

## **Leesville Road High School PTSA Scholarships**

### **Overview:**

The PTSA awards 2 Scholarships per year, of \$500 each. Seniors are encouraged to apply. Applications for both are available on the website (under Parent Groups/PTSA/Forms) and in the Career Center. The deadline for submitting applications to Mr. Eric Greene in Guidance, will be March 28, 2008. Applications will be reviewed by a committee of LRHS Staff. To be neutral, no parents are involved in the review. PTSA creates the criteria and funds the award. Once the Scholarships are awarded, the details on the winners will be shared with PTSA, so that a congratulations article can be written for the newsletter, and used at the meeting when the award is presented. The awards will be presented at the PTSA meeting on Monday, May 12, 2008 at 7:00 pm. in the Media Center. Winners will be notified by May 5, 2008.

Questions, contact Mr. Greene in Guidance, or any PTSA Officer (info on website).

### **Application Deadline: March 28, 2008**

#### **1. Academic Scholarship:**

Description: The LRHS PTSA would like to encourage academic accomplishments, and reward those who are working hard in their classes. During the year, we recognize students who make the Honor Roll through events, certificates, and written recognition on a bulletin board and in the newsletter. This Scholarship will be given to one student to continue that Academic emphasis by PTSA. Amount: \$500.

Criteria:

- \* 3.7 (or above) Weighted GPA
- \* School and community involvement (submit school-format resume)
- \* One Teacher recommendation
- \* Essay on this topic: "Of which of your academic accomplishments are you most proud, and why?" Essay should be no longer than one type-written page, double spaced.

#### **2. School Involvement Scholarship:**

Description: The LRHS PTSA exists to support our school. Our activities throughout the year are designed to improve and enhance school activities. We would like to continue this by awarding a scholarship to a student who is also helping to make Leesville High a great place to be. Amount: \$500.

Criteria:

- \* 2.5 (or above) weighted GPA
- \* School involvement (submit school-format resume, and any other info. that will describe your activities at LHS in more detail)
- \* One Teacher or LHS Staff recommendation
- \* Essay on this topic: “How have you contributed to LHS during your years here? What involvement have you had with the school? (This can be through clubs, activities, sports, groups, volunteering, etc.) How has your involvement been a positive contribution to our school?” Essay should be no longer than one type-written page, double spaced.