



Shared Growth Shared Success

2026 Jim Vondra Memorial Scholarship Application

Eligibility:

- Student graduating high school or previous graduates pursuing higher education.

Please Note:

- Application must be postmarked by April 20, 2026

Description:

- \$500 scholarship awarded to students pursuing higher education based on scholastic achievement, leadership, need, and community involvement in honor of the memory of Jim Vondra. Jim was a highly personable and conscientious employee; his dedication to serving others was second only to his family.

Student Name-Last, First, Middle •	Date of Birth •	Telephone Number •		
Mailing Address- •	City •		State •	Zip Code •
Name of Father/Guardian- •	Name of Mother/Guardian- •			
Address of Parent/ Guardian if different than student •	Telephone Number •			
High School / College •	City •		State •	Zip Code •
High School Counselor/ College Advisor or Contact •	Phone •		Student email •	
College Major •	High School you graduated from if College Student •			

Please attach the following to your completed application:

1. Your most recent academic year's grade transcript. (Include class rank and GPA if possible.)
2. Your most recent school photo. **PCE reserves the right to use photo with a press release if you are awarded this scholarship. Scholarship will be denied if no photo is submitted.**
3. A list of service and leadership activities.
(Include school, community, church, organizations, etc.)
4. An explanation of how important the financial impact of the scholarship would be to you?
5. An essay entitled:

"The Dividends of Serving Others"
How I perceive serving others affects myself and my community.

Information for submission:

Mail to address listed below.
Pearl City Elevator Inc.
Vondra Scholarship Committee
PO Box 309
Lena, IL 61048

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