

**Rib Mountain Ski Club
Berg Memorial Scholarship**

Scholarship Information:

The Rib Mountain Ski Club is offering up to 3 - \$1000 scholarships to graduating high school seniors and/or current post-secondary students seeking to pursue a certification, associate's, bachelor, or graduate degree at an accredited institution. The scholarships are presented in memorial of Hans and Russell "Spike" Berg, both lifelong skiers and generous ambassadors of the sport to the central Wisconsin community. An additional \$1000 scholarship is being offered in 2020 from the Berg family in honor of Carol (Berg) Schultz. Please see the attached scholarship application for specific information and requirements.

Applicant Guidelines/Preferences:

The ideal candidates will meet the following guidelines:

- Active member (family or individual) of the Rib Mountain Alpine Ski Club
- Active and passionate participant in the sports of skiing
- Demonstrates financial need to pursue further education
- Pursuing a certification, associate's or bachelors degree at an accredited institution
- Preference will be given to new recipients and undergraduate level students

Scholarship Release of funds:

Scholarship funds will be disbursed to the student's current educational institution and released upon proof of enrollment at an accredited post-secondary institution.

Miscellaneous:

A thank you note to the scholarship sponsor will be required of the recipient to review the following:

- Intended post-secondary institution, course of study, future plans
- Use of scholarship funds
- Reflection on scholarship essay (what learned, people contacted, etc.)

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Student Name:

Street Address:

City, State, Zip:

High School/Post Secondary institution currently attending:

Current/Desired major/program of study:

Cumulative G.P.A.:

Are you an active member in the Rib Mountain Ski Club? Yes No

If yes, how many years have you and/or your family been club members? _____

Scholarship Essay Requirements:

- A 3 to 5 paragraph historical essay on an aspect of local skiing history (e.g. individual, resort, club, program, etc.), or the development of skiing equipment and/or techniques for submission to club's publication
- Topic should indicate two sources AND a face to face interview with a topic expert / resource

In addition to the above requirements, provide at least one letter of recommendation from a non-related person.

Please return completed application by February 15, 2020 to:

Rib Mountain Ski Club
Attn: Berg Memorial Scholarship
416 Eau Claire Blvd.
Wausau, WI 54403