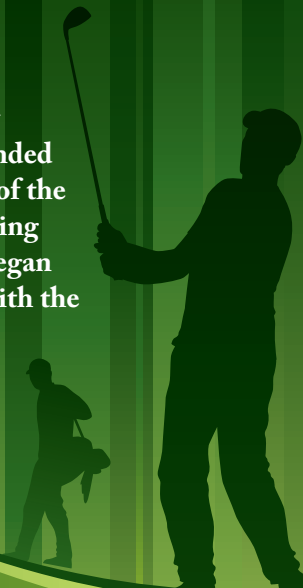


The Caddie Welfare Committee for the Western Pennsylvania Golf Association started in 1927, addressing caddie issues at Member clubs, mostly about employment. In 1941, the Scholarship Fund for college tuition assistance was initiated with the awarding of two scholarships to students at the University of Pittsburgh and Duquesne University. Since then, nearly 650 scholars have attended colleges or universities with the assistance of a WPGA scholarship. Donations to the WPGA Scholarship Fund provide more students with help to meet the ever increasing financial demands of college.

Those responsible for beginning the Caddie Scholarships were:

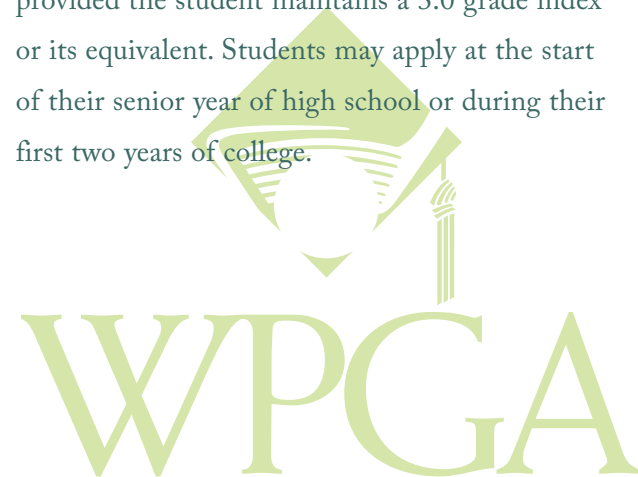
C.K. Robinson, Committee Chairman; William H. Duff, II, President; Wallace M. Thompson; and Fred Brand, Jr., Association Secretary. Brand was inspired by Charles "Chick" Evans who founded the Evans Scholars Foundation of the Western Golf Association. Starting in 2007, the Scholarship Fund began collaborating on a scholarship with the Evans Scholars Foundation.



www.wpga.org/scholarship

The WPGA Scholarship Fund's purpose has always been to assist needy employees of Member Clubs who meet the Fund's academic and overall requirements. The Fund was first designed to help caddies only, but was expanded in the 1980s to include employees from all departments including course maintenance, club house, swimming pools, and the golf shop. The Fund qualifies in the IRS code as a 501-c3 charitable trust; all donations are tax deductible. The Scholarship Fund is an equal opportunity program that does not discriminate on the basis of gender, race, religion or ethnicity.

In selecting students, the Scholarship Committee concentrates on financial need, academic qualifications, extra-curricular/community activities, and club employment. To be eligible, an applicant must have worked at least two seasons at a WPGA Member Club. The annual award for undergraduate students is renewable up to four years provided the student maintains a 3.0 grade index or its equivalent. Students may apply at the start of their senior year of high school or during their first two years of college.



With the rising cost of tuition, the WPGA Scholarship Fund needs to continue to grow to provide meaningful support for as many students as possible. The Fund needs the help of alumni, friends, organizations, and Member Clubs. The Fund cannot grow without the overall participation of the golf community. With additional funds, we can do two things – grant larger scholarships to the students whose needs obviously exceeds our grants and provide more scholarships. We want to do both.

Please consider a donation so we can continue to promote education for the worthy club employees who make the days at our clubs and courses more enjoyable. Help us provide the opportunity for them to continue their education.

You can donate by returning a check in the envelope provided, with a credit card at the WPGA's Scholarship website – <http://www.wpga.org/scholarship> or through a United Way donation, Code # 926754.

WPGA Scholarship Fund alumni have distinguished themselves in numerous careers including medicine, law, business, science and within the golf industry.

Detach here and enclose the form and your check, seal and mail.



I want to contribute to the Western Pennsylvania Golf Association Scholarship Fund. Please accept my contribution in the following category. You can donate online with Visa, Discover or MasterCard at <http://www.wpga.org/scholarship>

Level

- Par \$150
- Birdie \$300
- Eagle \$500
- Other _____

All donations are gratefully accepted.

Thank You.

Name

Address

() _____
Telephone

Club/Course Affiliation

Alumnus? Yes No

Many employers offer matching contributions. If your company does, please provide the contact information including company name, address and contact person:

**We are an authorized United Way participant,
Code # 926754**

Send Contributions to:

**Western Pennsylvania
Golf Association**
Scholarship Fund
324 Fourth Street
Pittsburgh, PA 15238

Or donate online with
Visa, Discover or
MasterCard at:

www.wpga.org/scholarship



Western Pennsylvania Golf Association
Scholarship Fund
324 Fourth Street
Pittsburgh, PA 15238

Postage
Required



Western Pennsylvania Golf Association
Scholarship Fund
324 Fourth Street
Pittsburgh, PA 15238



SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Western Pennsylvania
Golf Association