

HDCC SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS EXPLANATION

Dear HDCC Scholarship Recipient:

Congratulations on being selected for an HDCC Aspirations Scholarship this spring. The Scholarship Review Committee was happy to recognize your effort in school and your effort to pursue education beyond high school as reflected in your application.

Regarding the \$125 scholarship award, please understand that it is redeemable, upon request, for the following purposes:

- (a) To open up a tax free 529 Education Savings Plan which is specifically designed to help families save for any kind of college and/or internship. Please see attached IDEAL brochure for further information and contact Nick Thiros (Idaho College Savings Program representative) at Nicholas.thiros@idaho529.org or call 208-488-9879 to have your questions answered and complete the easy online application.
- (b) To help with tuition and/or book costs in a vocational, trade, two-year or four-year college after you graduate from high school;
- (c) To help with a special program, camp, or relevant purchase (e.g., robotics set or art supplies) during middle school or high school connected with one's aspirations.

Scholarship requests can be made to HDCC Director Bayard "Bags" Brokaw at **bagsbrokaw@gmail.com**. I will provide a *Scholarship Request Form* for you to fill out that will be reviewed by HDCC.

Again, congratulations and have a wonderful summer.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT:

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