

ALICE RAGONA MEMORIAL YOUTH SCHOLARSHIP

Information Sheet

This application is valid annually to fund dues for student or credentialed student NAP members or membership exam fee.

What is the Alice Ragona Memorial Youth Scholarship?

The Alice Ragona Memorial Youth Scholarship is an award to support NAP student members or credentialed student members, 23 years of age or less, by paying NAP and Association dues or reimbursing cost for successful completion of the NAP membership exam.

Who was Alice Ragona and what is the sponsoring organization?

Alice Ragona was a Professional Registered Parliamentarian, a long-time supporter of NAP, a NAPEF life contributor, past president of NAPEF, and a former NAP Youth Committee Chairman. She helped establish partnerships with NAP and youth organizations such as FBLA, FCCLA, Skills USA, and others. The NAP Educational Foundation (NAPEF) is the sponsoring organization. NAPEF's mission is to fund and support NAP and others to have educational programs that promote effective meetings.

What does the scholarship fund?

The Alice Ragona Memorial Youth Scholarship funds:

- 1. NAP and Association membership dues for one year. (The scholarship does NOT pay local dues); or
- 2. Cost of successful completion of NAP membership exam.

How is the application accessed?

The application form for the Alice Ragona Memorial Youth Scholarship may be found on the NAPEF website - <u>napef.org</u>.

Who may apply and how often?

Any student member or credentialed student member, 23 years of age or less, who has been actively involved in activities relating to parliamentary procedure study and its application is eligible to apply for this scholarship. The student member may apply and be awarded the scholarship more than once for payment of dues.

How is the application submitted?

The student member shall submit the application by **November 1** of each year to the NAPEF Scholarship Committee Chairman.

How will the scholarship be received?

If an applicant is selected, NAPEF will pay NAP directly the full amount for NAP and Association dues for the following year. Fees to be reimbursed will be sent to the applicant upon receipt of payment of fees.

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