

TFWC Fine Arts Scholarship

SCHOLARSHIP HISTORY:

The Penny Art Fund originated in the New Jersey Federation in 1919. It was adopted by GFWC in 1930, and later adopted by TFWC. Its aim was to enrich life through the development of appreciation for art and to assist students with artistic talents. The original plan was that each club member would contribute one penny or more each year.

The Musical Penny Scholarship: In 1943, a resolution was introduced to establish a fund to be known as the “Musical Penny Fund” for the purpose of building a music scholarship.

In September 2019, the TFWC Scholarship Committee combined the Penny Arts Fund and Musical Penny Scholarships into one TWC Fine Arts Scholarship to cover varying forms of art.

CURRENT PROCESS:

This scholarship is administered by the TFWC Scholarship Committee. The amount of the scholarship is to be a minimum of \$1000.00 annually. Awards are taken from the Scholarship Fund which includes all investments, interest, donations and fundraisers.

Eligibility: High school graduates as well as college students attending an accredited Texas college or university may apply.

Application: The application form must be completed with the proper attachments and in the hands of the District Scholarship Representative at least two weeks prior to District Convention. The District Scholarship Representative will then forward it to the State Scholarship Chairman two weeks prior to the annual TFWC Convention. Each district may submit (1) one applicant.