

April, 2020

Hello Partners With OLVH,

Hope this note finds all of you in good health through this tough time! Since we are still unable to meet as a group and we don't have any pressing business at this time, I thought this would serve as an extra "newsletter"!

Please do not feel that we are done as a volunteer group due to the pandemic, we are just on "hold" until things return to normal. At that time, the plan is to continue to get started with our volunteer opportunities and fundraising activities once again! In the meantime, stay home and stay safe!

As of the date of this writing, we have 8 high school scholarship applicants and one employee applicant. Since we have only one employee applicant, unless we received one more postmarked by April 20, we will not be voting on that one, it will automatically be given. I will announce the employee along with the high school winners after May 8. If you are interested in voting for the high school applicants, please let me know by May 1 and I will either email or snail mail you the information for you to vote.

I have retyped each application in a Word document to make it easier to email the applications for voting. I do not have a program that I can edit out the personal information if I were to scan them. If you do not have email, I will snail mail the retyped applicant information or drop it on your doorstep if you live in town. You will be voting for two applicants, and the two applicants with the most votes will be the two high school winners and you may either **email or call me at 715-644-3638** with your two choices. **All votes will need to be returned by May 8.** If there is a tie, I will let everyone know and we will have to revote on the tied applicants after May 8.

At this time I am assuming there will not be any awards programs at any of the schools, so I will try contacting the school councilors to see how they would like to have the winners informed.

I've also attached an email I've received from the State President. Please read it even though it is a little long! Hopefully it will help you understand about our state organization and what purpose it serves.

Stay Home & Stay Safe!

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