



March 2021

Dear Student:

On September 9, 1977, Officer Larry L. Frost lost his life in the line of duty while serving with the Tacoma Police Department. Officer Frost was not only an outstanding police officer, known throughout the community, but was also known as an athlete and sportsman.

Golf was his game. He loved it and played the game well, as an amateur, holding a 6 handicap. Officer Frost began playing golf as a youngster, playing for the Lincoln High School Golf Team, and entered many area tournaments, in which he consistently placed near the top. There is no doubt in the minds of those with whom he played, that if time permitted, Larry would have excelled to unknown heights in this gentleman's sport.

Indeed, Officer Frost believed that the quest for excellence in a sport was a goal which, if sought by young people, would provide them with honesty, integrity, and self-reliance; attributes which he believed would keep young people on the right side of the law. Larry often said that if more youngsters would become involved in some kind of athletic activity, it would make his job as a police officer much easier.

As a result of this tragic loss, the family, friends, and fellow officers of this fine community servant have established the Larry L. Frost Memorial Golf Scholarship. In his memory, an athletic scholarship in golf will be presented to a deserving high school senior each spring. Candidates will be selected from the greater Pierce County area. The recipient must be an above-average student, who desires to further his/her education, has shown athletic prowess in golf, has no police record, is of outstanding character, and demonstrates a financial need.

If there are any questions regarding the scholarship or application form, please write to the Tacoma Police Union, P.O. Box 11265, Tacoma, WA 98411-1265

Sincerely,

Randy Frisbie  
Scholarship Committee

Attachment

**LARRY L. FROST MEMORIAL GOLF SCHOLARSHIP**

**2021**

**TACOMA POLICE UNION LOCAL #6**

**PO Box 11265**

**TACOMA, WA 98411**

**All forms must be completed and returned  
to the above Union by June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021**

## THE LARRY L. FROST MEMORIAL GOLF SCHOLARSHIP

**WHEREAS:** The Tacoma Police Union has set aside certain grants and other funds for the specific purpose of awarding a golf scholarship to young men and/or women who participate in the sport of golf. The person applying can be a member of a high school golf team or can be a high school golfer with a U.S.G.A. certified handicap. The person applying must be registered and attending a public or private high school within the confines of Pierce County, State of Washington.

**WHEREAS:** The Tacoma Police Union Golf Scholarship Committee has the responsibility of awarding said scholarships and setting the standards, conditions, and qualifications recipients must meet to receive an award.

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:** that the following guidelines shall be adopted, subject to change from time to time, for the purpose of determining the candidates who may be considered for an award.

- 1) The candidate(s) must have been an active member of a golf team in his/her respective high school, or must have an established certified handicap at a U.S.G.A. rated golf course.
- 2) He/she must be a high school senior maintaining a grade standard acceptable for admission to a two or four year college or university.
- 3) Candidates selected for the scholarship awards shall be advised that in all cases, payment will be contingent upon the candidate(s) completing a full college term at a college or university. The recipient will have maintained a passing grade standard and not be placed on academic probation.
- 4) The candidate(s) must be of high moral character and must not have been convicted of a misdemeanor or felony; nor have been barred or disqualified from any golf team or suspended from a golf course for bad conduct.
- 5) The scholarship committee shall establish the monetary value of each award which may vary from year to year. Notice will be given yearly to respective school college counselors regarding the number of awards and the amount to be granted that year. The current award for this year is five hundred dollars.
- 6) The selection of recipients for the scholarship awards shall rest entirely with the scholarship committee of the Tacoma Police Union and their decision shall govern. The scholarship committee shall be made up of members as regulated in the Constitution and Bylaws of the Tacoma Police Union.
- 7) Individuals interested in applying for this particular scholarship will submit an application which will be furnished by the Tacoma Police Union. The application will consist of general questions about the applicant and authorization for the Tacoma Police Union members to make a follow-up relating to information placed on the application form.
- 8) Application will be submitted upon request to the Tacoma Police Union. Each year's applicants will be screened and may be contacted for a possible personal interview.