Legislative Memorial Scholarship Association April 2018

The Legislative Memorial Scholarship Fund was established in 1995 in memory of all those who have served the Maine Legislature. The annual Scholarship Auction is the primary source for raising funds and is a successor to the Gould-Michaud Scholarship Auction. The Gould-Michaud Scholarship Fund was established on behalf of the late Representative Stephen Gould (R-Stillwater) and David Michaud, House Page, who was killed by a drunk driver.

The LMS fund started awarding \$500 scholarships in 1997. In 2002, the awards were increased to \$750 and in 2003, to \$1000. Since its inception as the LMS, **the fund has awarded a total of \$308,000** to one student from each of Maine's sixteen counties. Awards are made to Maine residents attending Maine post-secondary schools based on various requirements including an essay, recommendations, community participation, academic standing and need. In addition, the Legislative Memorial Scholarship Association continues to support the Stephen Gould Legislative Memorial Scholarship and the David Michaud Memorial Scholarship.

2019 Awards Ceremony and 2019 Scholarship Applications

The date of the 2019 scholarship award ceremony has not been determined at this time.

Scholarship applications for 2019 are available online at:

http://www.famemaine.com/scholarships/maine-legislative-memorial-scholarship-fund/

Applications are due by May 1, 2018.

2019 Legislative Memorial Scholarship Auction

The annual Legislative Memorial Scholarship Auction is the sole fundraiser for the scholarship program. The **2019 auction** will be held on:

Tuesday, March 19th Le Calumet Club, 334 West River Road, Augusta

5:00 pm Socialize * Raffle * Bid on Silent Auction Items * 5:30 Buffet Dinner 6:00 pm Live Auction Dinner Tickets \$20 Note: \$20 covers the DINNER only. The auction is free to attend. Tickets must be purchased no later than Friday, March 15th.

The Legislative Memorial Scholarship is a not-for-profit, registered as a 501(c)(3) organization. Donations are tax deductible. FEIN #20-0924552

Auction donation and sponsorship forms can be found online at http://legislature.maine.gov/lio/legislative-memorial-scholarship-fund/9083

Please Note: Donation forms and items must be turned in to the Office of the Revisor, or the Senate Democrat or House Republican Office **no later than March 15**th.

Suggestions for donations: Previously we have auctioned off hotel and spa packages, art, pottery, jewelry, ski passes, cottages and camps, theater tickets, kayak and gear, and Maine made products.