

Happy Holidays!!!

'Tis the season to be jolly. 'Tis the season to share. 'Tis the season to remember those less fortunate.

For nearly a decade, Reading Pediatrics has offered a \$1000.00 scholarship in honor of Lynn Reed. Lynn was a member of Dr. DiRenzo's family whose life ended suddenly and tragically. She did not have the opportunity to continue her education. To help, in a small way, the "graduates" of Reading Pediatrics continue their education, we offer the \$1000.00.

To apply for the scholarship, we ask that you describe in a well-written essay, the roles you have played in your community. Community is an interesting concept. Community requires a group of people to communicate, support, share and succeed or fail together. We each fill a role in our community and, at times, will either lift up or be lifted up by the members of our community. Have you been in either role?

Past winners of the scholarships wrote about starting golf outings that raised money for special needs students, running local fairs that raised awareness and funds for those in need, or just helping out at the local shelter, geriatric center or church. In each case, the winner expressed clearly and in detail, their reasons for their actions, the impact of their actions on others and on themselves, and the extent of their involvement in the activity.

Obviously, to do an adequate job describing your experience, will take 300 words or more. The scholarship will be given to a graduating senior who plans to attend a post-graduate college or vocational school. Applications are due April 1, 2011. We hope to announce the winner by June 1, 2011.

Thank you and good luck. Please forward all essays to:

Dr. Raymond J. Hubbard  
Attn: Lynn Reed Scholarship  
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Wyomissing, Pa 19610

Please do not forget to submit name, school applied to and a means to contact you.