

Boulder County Latina League **2014 / 2015 Scholarship Renewal Information**

The mission of the Boulder County Latina League (BCLL) is to offer support to high school graduates seeking a college degree. As part of our mission is provide scholarships and encouragement to enable qualified need-based Latino students to attend colleges and universities.

Renewal Documentation:

A. Deadline:

1. All documentation must be postmarked NO LATER THAN March 3rd 2014.
2. Late documentation will not be accepted.

B. Renewal Eligibility:

1. Continuing college scholarship recipient [have received a previous scholarship from the Latina League] must be enrolled full-time (A minimum of 9 credits per semester), and must maintain a 2.5 grade point average.

C. Required Documentation:

1. An official transcript verifying your enrollment and maintained a 2.50 GPA in your first semester.
2. Letter to the Latina League summarizing your first year of study so far and additional plans, or the changes in plans, you have made for your second year.
3. If we do not receive your documents by **March 3rd 2014**, we will assume you do not want to renew your scholarship and we will release your funds to new recipients.
4. To further verify that you have met the scholarship requirements, **you must also send an updated transcript showing your full academic year to Impact on Education by June 16, 2014**. Scholarship funds will be sent directly to the college or university. The scholarship can only be used for tuition.

SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS WILL NOT BE MAILED WITHOUT THIS INFORMATION

D. Additional Requirements/Requests

1. If you did not meet the requirement of a GPA of 2.50, your scholarship will be cancelled. However, you may appeal the cancellation. To appeal the cancellation, write a letter to the Latina League describing how and why you did not meet scholarship requirements. Be specific ("I was ill" is not specific – describing how your illness affected your ability to meet requirements is specific). Additionally, write at least one full page on what changes you will be making your second year to ensure you will be able to meet scholarship requirements. Again, be specific ("I will study harder" is not specific – outlining the resources you will be using and how those resources will address your challenges is specific). Finally, attain a letter of support from a faculty or staff member of your college or University which states how you will be connecting with support offered through their office or department that will aid you in attaining your 2.5 GPA. Attach this letter of support with your appeal. The appeal is due **June 16, 2013**.
2. If you were not a 2013-14 scholarship recipient then you must fill out the new application for 2014-15.

- Name/Page number on each page _____
- Postmarked no later than March 3, 2014 _____
- Official transcript _____
- Letter to the Latina League (TYPED) _____
- Letter of appeal (if needed) _____
- Letter of support (if needed) _____

MAIL COMPLETED DOCUMENTATION TO:

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C/o Impact on Education
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Or
Email Sharon@impactoneducation.org