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Applications Open for Members First Credit Union's Memorial Scholarships

\$7,500 in scholarships will be awarded

MANCHESTER (January 27, 2022) – [Members First Credit Union](#) will award six scholarships totaling \$7,500 in the Members First Credit Union Memorial Scholarship Program. Applications are now [available](#) and will be accepted through March 31, 2022.

Each year, Members First Credit Union honors the memory of three local individuals who served their community in exceptional ways by providing scholarships to its membership. The scholarships recognize John S. Walsh, Manchester firefighter and founder of Members First Credit Union; Wilbur L. Jenkins, the first personnel director for the City of Manchester and credit union supervisory committee member for 34 years; and Manchester Police Officer Michael L. Briggs, who made the ultimate sacrifice in the line of duty.

“Investing in the next generation is our way of recognizing the contributions of these honorees,” said Bruce Leighton, president and CEO of Members First Credit Union. “We honor the generosity and spirit of the volunteers who gave freely of their time, and the heroism of those who lost their lives in service of others. Every year we are inspired by the students whose hard work and dedication we are pleased to recognize.”

To learn more about the Members First Credit Union Memorial Scholarship Program and to apply, visit <https://www.membersfirstnh.org/Learn/Applying-for-Scholarships>. Applications must be postmarked or delivered no later than Thursday, March 31, 2022.

About Members First Credit Union

Since 1949, Members First Credit Union has been a trusted financial resource in Manchester, Bedford and surrounding communities. We get to know our members so we can recommend the right solutions to help them reach their goals. In other words: we're small enough to make a big difference.

As a full-service financial institution, we offer the products and services our members need, whether for themselves, their family or business. And because we're not for profit, earnings go back to our members, so they can save and borrow at reasonable rates. Membership is open to anyone living, working, or attending school in New Hampshire.

For more information, call 603-622-8781 or visit www.membersfirstnh.org.

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