

The Oregon Wine Brotherhood

In the European tradition of wine brotherhoods, which date back to the 11th century, the Oregon Wine Brotherhood is an association of individuals, both within and independent of the wine industry, dedicated to promoting and supporting the wines of Oregon and Washington through education, scholarships, ceremony and brotherhood.

Formed in 1979, the Oregon Wine Brotherhood is chartered and affiliated with the Federation Internationale des Confreries Bachiques (FICB) in Paris, France.



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Scholarship Program

A major objective of the Oregon Wine Brotherhood is to award scholarships to students enrolled in a full-time Enology, Viticulture, Hospitality, or Culinary Arts program with a wine emphasis.

Scholarships vary from \$1000—\$3,000 per year.

Each Fall, a Barrel Tasting and picnic is held at a member winery to celebrate the harvest and most recent vintage of Oregon or Washington wines. A gourmet meal is served but the highlights of the day are a silent auction of rare wines donated by members, and a silent and oral auction of wonderful items, trips and dinners which provide funding for the Oregon Wine Brotherhood Scholarship Program. Additional support comes from paddle-raising cash donation pledges made by members of the brotherhood.



Qualification Requirements

- Enrollment in a full-time Enology, Viticulture, Hospitality, or Culinary Arts program with an emphasis on wine at one of the following approved colleges and universities:

Central Oregon CC—Bend

Chemeketa CC—Salem

Lane CC—Eugene

Mount Hood CC—Portland/Gresham

Southwestern Oregon CC—Coos Bay

Oregon State University—Corvallis and Bend

Umpqua CC—Roseburg

University of California-Davis

Walla Walla CC—Walla Walla, WA.

Washington State University—Pullman

- GPA of 3.0 or better
- Resident of Oregon or Washington

How to Apply

Applications are to be made through the Oregon Student Assistance Commission catalogue. www.getcollegefunds.org Scholarship code 392

The deadline for applications is March 1st every year and strictly adhered to.

Funding is through the OWB account at the Oregon Community Foundation.

For more information, visit our website at www.oregonwinebrotherhood.org

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- John Milton 
1608-1674