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To Whom It May Concern:

The Ancient Order of Hibernians Division 10 of Mercer County is currently seeking students ages 15-17 who are interested in applying for an Irish Cultural Scholarship that will include a trip to Ireland during the summer of 2024 between July 18th and August 9th.

All applicants will be required to submit an essay entitled “My Irish Heritage and What It Means to Me”. The essay must be a minimum of two pages to be considered. Two finalists will be selected and will receive a three-week trip to Coláiste Bhun an Inbhir; an Irish Cultural College in County Donegal, Ireland. The winners will be given basic Irish language educational tools to help them prepare for their experience.

Applications are available online at: <http://www.aohdiv10.com/billybriggs> or www.facebook.com/billybriggsmemorialscholarship. The essay should accompany the application. Both the essay and the application should be mailed to: Ancient Order of Hibernians Division 10- Billy Briggs Memorial Scholarship at P.O. Box 9952 Hamilton NJ 08650 or emailed to scholarship@aohdiv10.org. The applications and essays must be received no later than **Friday, March 22, 2024**.

This year is the 14th year that this scholarship has been in existence. In past years the Scholarship Committee was extremely proud to be able to award multiple students from Steinert, Ewing, West Windsor, Stuart Country Day, Notre Dame High School, The Hun School, Villa Victoria Academy, Nottingham High School, Lawrence High School, and Allentown High School, with the opportunity to attend the three-week program in Ireland. To help us continue with the success of this scholarship, we hope that you will encourage any students who may be interested in attending the program to apply for this scholarship.

If you have any questions or need any additional information, please feel free to contact us through E-Mail at: scholarship@aohdiv10.org.

Sincerely,

The Billy Briggs Memorial Scholarship Committee