

*ANNUAL SCHOLARSHIP AWARD FROM THE
SAN LUIS OBISPO MOTHERS FOR PEACE*

The San Luis Obispo Mothers for Peace offers a \$1000 scholarship to a student whose legal residence or current college or university is in San Luis Obispo or Santa Barbara County, of junior or senior standing in 2007-2008. Applicants must have career goals that will have positive impact on the physical, social or political environment. Documentation of past and current commitment to such goals is essential. Scholarship funds will be paid directly to the college or university being attended during 2008- 2009. There is no restriction on field of major study.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

I. Write an essay that contains:

a) a brief history and description of your interest and involvement in environmental, social justice and/or peace issues. Explain your career goals, and describe how your education and experiences will enable you to benefit the environment.

b) an expanded demonstration of your knowledge about an environmental or peace issue (two to five pages), and your ability to express your thoughts in writing. A paper written for a class or one written for this application would serve this purpose equally well.

II. Obtain three letters of recommendation from people familiar with your character and potential for contributing to environmental or peace causes. While at least one letter should be from a college or university professor, letters from persons outside the educational setting who know you and your involvement in issues would also be appropriate. Referents should send their letters directly to Mothers for Peace.

III. Send to the scholarship committee transcripts of all college work.

IV. Applicants who are considered as finalists will meet with the Mothers for Peace Scholarship Committee for a personal interview.