



**National
Outdoor
Careers
Scholarship Program**



Sponsored by

Lowe Alpine Systems, Inc.

National Council deadline: March 31

Venturing Division
Boy Scouts of America

Lowe Alpine Systems, Inc.

Background

Lowe Alpine Systems offers this scholarship program to encourage and support Venturers' pursuit of an education and career in the exciting outdoor field. Lowe Alpine Systems recognizes that the outdoors is one of the six key experience areas of Venturing. As Americans spend an increasing amount of time outdoors, the sector, both public and private, will need more qualified professionals.

Scholarship

One cash scholarship of \$1000 will be awarded annually. The scholarship will be presented only after the scholarship committee receives documentation of enrollment in the university or school of your choice.

Qualifications

1. Must be a registered Venturer.
2. Must have parent or guardian approval if under 18 years old.
3. Provide at least two letters of recommendation from crew advisors, teachers, employers, etc.
4. Must submit an essay detailing your plans for a career in the outdoor sector, public or private.

Selection

Selection of the recipient will be made within 60 days of the March 31 scholarship application deadline. The recipient will be notified immediately upon selection.

About Lowe Alpine Systems

For over 30 years, Lowe Alpine Systems has been an international designer and manufacturer of outstanding outdoor equipment. Lowe Alpine offers a complete range of backpacks for the entry level Scout to the High Adventure Explorer. In recent years, Lowe Alpine has introduced a complete range of technical outdoor clothing including water-proof breathable shell garments, middle layer fleece garments and base layer underwear. These garments are designed for a wide variety of outdoor uses from mountain climbing, to backpacking, to skiing, to walking, etc

LOWE ALPINE SYSTEMS
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Application

Personal Information

Please Print

Name _____ Date of birth _____ Age _____

Street Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____

Name of parent(s) or guardian(s). _____

Signature of parent(s) or guardian(s). _____

Council Information

Crew Number _____ Crew's Outdoor Specialty _____

Chartered Organization Name _____

Advisor's Name _____ Telephone _____

Advisor's Recommendation Signature _____

Advisor's Street Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Date of Application Submission _____

Council Approval: _____ Cncl.No. _____ Date: _____
Scout Executive signature

Don't forget to include essay and letters of recommendation.

Send To: **Venturing Division, BSA, S211**
 Lowe Alpine Systems, Inc.
 Outdoor Scholarship Program
 P.O. Box 152079
 1325 W. Walnut Hill Ln.
 Irving, TX 75015-2075

Qualifications

1. Major outdoor career interest? _____

2. List school and community organizations in which you are or have been active. (Indicate those you are active in now.) _____

3. List leadership positions you have held in your Venturing crew, clubs, or other organizations. (indicate those positions you now hold.) _____

4. List important awards or recognitions you have received, the organizations that presented them, and the year received. _____

5. Attach a transcript or statement from your school

6. Please attach to this application an essay of 500 words or less on why you should be selected for this scholarship. You should include your plans for a career in the outdoor sector. Additionally, you may want to describe your academic goals, significant outdoor experiences through Venturing, outdoor skills, environmental service projects, and/or how you plan to continue with Venturing.

7. Include at least two letters of recommendation from an advisor, teacher, community leader, employer, etc. Include at least two letters of recommendation from an advisor, teacher, community leader, employer, etc.

PARENT OR GUARDIAN APPROVAL

I approve of my son's or daughter's participation in this award program. I have read the qualifications listed for the award/scholarship and state that he/she meets the qualifications as I understand them.

Signature _____ Date _____

Name (printed) _____ Telephone _____