



Boston Society of Vulcans of Mass., Inc.



2024 Lloyd Phillips, Raymond Moss
& Robert Powell
Firefighter Memorial Scholarship Award
Application

Applicants must be high school seniors who plan to attend an accredited 2 year or 4 year college or university. **Applicants must be a Boston Public High School Student or child of a Vulcan member.**
Email: BostonVulcansPresident@gmail.com for more information or go to the Web Site: www.BostonVulcans.org.

Applicants must include a typed, 500 word (approximately), double-spaced essay with 12 point font on the following two topics (must address both topics): **1. *Share your major academic interests and how you plan to pursue them in college.* 2. *What career path are you considering and how does this scholarship help you achieve it?***

This application and essay must be sent (via **Email** or **Mail & Postmarked by June 14, 2024** to be considered. Please email the application & essay to the above email address or mail both to: Boston Society of Vulcans, P.O. Box 190736 Roxbury, Massachusetts 02119

1. **Name:** _____
2. **Telephone #:** _____
3. **Address:** _____
4. **Email Address:** _____
5. **High School:** _____
6. **College Attending:** _____

Are you a child of a Vulcan Society Member? Yes: _____ No: _____ (If yes, please give his / her name):



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SCHOLARSHIP DETAILS:

Selection for scholarship awards are decided by recommendations of an independent committee of concerned Boston Educators / Residents that are not employed by the Boston Fire Department. Winners will be notified by phone or email etc. Criteria for selection of any scholarship award by the Vulcan Society is subject to review by the Executive Board and will be judged by Essay content.

The Boston Society of Vulcans are offering scholarships for \$2000.00 each to five Boston Public High School Seniors who are Boston residents, or the sons & daughters of Vulcan members. A maximum of two immediate family members / children of Vulcan members can receive the award. Eligible students who are selected by the scholarship committee must attend a 2 or 4 year college / university during the Fall 2024 - 2025 school year. The award will be given directly to the student in the Fall after registration confirmation and the school's add / drop period expires.

Lloyd Phillips, Raymond Moss and Robert Powell were Black Boston Firefighters and community & civic leaders. Lloyd Phillips served as a Boston firefighter and recruiter for many years. Raymond Moss served as a vocal activist for the equal treatment of all firefighters. Robert Powell was a founding member of the Vulcan Society and served as its first Chief Historian and a mentor for over thirty-five years. They were all deeply committed and interested in young adults who demonstrated an interest in the fire service and more importantly, an interest in their community through participation in civic activities. They encouraged young people to pursue careers in public safety along with a college education and they lived by the motto; "All that I am, I owe" (to those that came before me).

Prospective candidates are required to write an approximately 500 word essay (double spaced with 12 point font) that "***Shares your major academic interest(s) and how you plan to pursue it / them in college. Also, explain what career path you're considering and how this scholarship helps you achieve it.***" Award recipients will be selected based on essay content.

Please complete the application form and return it with the essay via email (above) or vial mail to **The Boston Society of Vulcans, PO Box 190736, Roxbury, MA 02119 and Postmarked no later than June 14,2024.**

Application Procedure

Forward to The Boston Society of Vulcans Scholarship Committee (via mail or email)

1. Application Form (page 1) Completed
2. A Typed 500 word essay (double-spaced with 12 point font)

Note: The winners will be notified by phone / email etc. by July 31, 2024.