Scott Ellington Memorial Scholarship

The Department of Biology of New Mexico State University announces the availability of the Scott Ellington Memorial scholarship for the 2010-2011 academic year to be awarded to a junior or senior Biology major with a minimum GPA of 3.0. The estimated value of the scholarship is $500.

Scott was a native of Las Cruces and the son of a NMSU faculty member. He was a senior biology student at the University of New Mexico when he was diagnosed with cancer. He lost his battle with the disease in 1994 and this scholarship was established by his family.

Applications should be submitted to Dr. Marvin Bernstein, Chair of the Department of Biology, in Foster Hall room 275 by 5:00pm on Friday April 23.

Application Materials:
1. A completed cover sheet indicating the scholarship requested. The cover sheet is available on the Biology Advising Center website (http://biology-web.nmsu.edu/advising)
2. An original, signed, letter of application. This letter must be contained on a single sheet, although this sheet may be printed on both sides. The letter should detail your reasons for seeking the scholarship and your accomplishments.
3. UNOFFICIAL transcripts. These can be requested from the Registrar’s office at NMSU. This transcript must include the most recent completed semester, i.e. applications in the Spring must include completed grades for the previous Fall semester. Please DO NOT provide a Banner (my.nmsu) printout of your grades. If you have transferred from another institution, you must include transcripts from there also.