

## **The Louis "Skip" Penna Scholarship**

This award is being sponsored by the Sons of Italy organization and it is in memory of Louis "Skip" Penna who was a graduate of Ashtabula High School.

### **Selection Criteria**

- Applicant must be attending Kent State Ashtabula branch.
- A graduating senior with a 2.5 or higher grade point average.
- Based upon financial need- (SAR) report.
- Essay topic.
- Two recommendations.

The award will be for \$500 which will be sent directly to Kent State University – Ashtabula branch.

Please see attached page for applications and instructions.

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Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Accumulated GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

Future Area of Study: \_\_\_\_\_

**Must be attending Kent State University Ashtabula in the fall.**

-Essay Requirement: Write a 500 word essay...typed or handwritten.

-Essay Topic: The importance of "commitment" and "work ethic"

-Two recommendation letters: Teacher, Counselor, Pastor, Principal etc.

-Copy of Student Aid Report (SAR)...from your FAFSA

**Application Submission – Attach the required essay, recommendations and SAR report to this application page and return to the Guidance Office by April 1, 2021**