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Boone County TEA Party to Award Scholarship

HARRISON, AR – The members of the Boone County TEA Party announce that we will be sponsoring our first scholarship award in 2012. The \$1,000 scholarship will be awarded to any high school senior in good standing currently enrolled in public school, private school or home schooling within Boone County, Arkansas. This will be an essay competition focused on the topic of the Boston Tea Party of 1773 and its relevance to today's Tea Party Movement.

The scholarship can be used for any higher education program which would provide the recipient with education or training necessary to increase the individual's earning potential. The scholarship may be used at any college, university, trade/technical school, or community college of their choice.

“The BCTP is very proud to be able to offer this scholarship to our community of young adults as they move from one milestone to the next. We understand that it is the young people of this nation who will become the leaders of tomorrow and that pride in the history of this great nation will be key in determining the very fabric of America in the 21st century and beyond. This scholarship is our way of supporting the hard work of our Boone County students and it is our hope that it is but a seed for their future prosperity and happiness.” said Kara Staton, president of the Boone County TEA Party.

Boone County seniors interested in applying for this scholarship (or would like more information) can submit a request by email to boonecounty.teaparty@gmail.com (please reference Scholarship in the Subject line); visiting our website at <http://boonecountyteaparty.com> or mailing a request to Boone County TEA Party, PO Box 154, Harrison, AR 72602. Applications must be received no later than January 23, 2012 with an essay entry deadline of no later than March 1, 2012.

“The BCTP congratulates the Boone County classes of 2012. Well done. We know you will make us proud.”