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Scholarship Opportunity

Sometimes, life just gets in the way. All your big plans get put on hold while you have to take care of things. And sometimes, it's hard to get started back on your path, the one you had mapped out for yourself: a degree, job, personal success, and stability. It feels like it, but it's not too late.

The Medina County Branch of the American Association of University Women is accepting applications for scholarships to be awarded to “non-traditional” women undergraduate students who are attending an accredited college or university.

A “non-traditional” student is a woman who is returning to college to finish an undergraduate degree, or a woman who has delayed entering college for several years after completing high school or earning a GED.

The scholarships apply to the 2023-2024 academic year. All applicants must be women at least 23 years old and residents of Medina County.

AAUW will be awarding four scholarships this year: two for \$1,000 each, and two for \$1,500 each, for a student pursuing a degree in STEM.

The deadline for submission of the application, college transcript, and recommendations is April 9, 2023. The scholarships will be awarded on the basis of financial need, academic achievement, and clarity of goals and objectives.

Applications are available through The Akron Community Foundation at www.akroncf.org/Students. For more information email Carol Rommel, Scholarship Committee Chairperson at carolrommel@yahoo.com.

The **American Association of University Women** (AAUW) is a nationwide network of more than 170,000 members and supporters, 1,000 local branches, and 800 college/university institution partners. The Medina Branch was founded in 1964 by a group of women dedicated to declaring their common interests in encouraging educational activities, cultural activities and personal growth. Our mission is to advance gender equity for women and girls through research, education and advocacy.