

Attn: High School Students

Wisconsin Labor History Society
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Win Cash Prizes!

Labor History Essay Contest

Win cash prizes up to \$500

For essays of about 750 words on the topic:

"Unions have been important to my family and my community because . . ."

The Wisconsin Labor History Society announces its High School Essay Contest for the 2014-2015 School Year. Wisconsin high school students (grades 9-12) are eligible to participate.

Students are urged to interview family members, neighbors, friends or others for their stories about work and unions. Teachers are urged to assist students in their efforts.

Read winning essays from 2013-2014 contest! Go to: <http://wisconsinlaborhistory.org/contests/high-school-essays>

Rules: Essays should be approximately 750 words in length. They will be judged on understanding, evidence of original research, writing style and significance. Essays must be typed, double-spaced, on white paper. Two copies must be submitted (One may be a photocopy.) Please be sure to provide the following information on the cover sheet: Your name, address, home telephone number, your grade in school, name and address of your school, and, if you were encouraged or assisted by a teacher, the teacher's name. (Also, list your family's union membership, if applicable.) If you have any questions, contact: Harvey J. Kaye (920-465-2355 or kayeh@uwgb.edu). **Submissions must be postmarked Feb. 13, 2015 or before.**

TOP PRIZES!

- ◆ First Prize: \$500
- ◆ Second Prize: \$300
- ◆ Third Prize: \$200
- ◆ Honorable Mention: \$100 (*Up to five awarded*)



**Send completed essays to:
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