Special Job & Opportunity scholarships awarded

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Ten high school students from the San Diego area have been chosen as the first recipients of Special Job and Opportunity Scholarship awards designed to cover living and educational costs for study at the University of California, San Diego.

The job-scholarship fund, established by the faculty and staff of UCSD and aided substantially by a grant from the Jessie Klicka Foundation, will pay the full cost of room and board and incidental registration fees during a full year of study at the University. In addition, it will cover the cost of books and supplies, the associated student body fee and personal expenses during the first quarter.

During the second and third quarters the scholarship winners will be required to work 10 hours per week (approximately commuting time if the students were living at home) in most cases in an office or laboratory associated with their major field of study. In addition, the students may have summer jobs at the University if they request them.

According to W. Henry Ward Beecher, Assistant Dean of Student Affairs, the scholarship awards are renewable each year and could cover the student's full four-year college career.

The first step toward establishment of the Special Scholarship fund was taken several months ago through the naming of a UCSD Faculty Senate committee headed by Dr. Herbert York, Professor of Physics. The plan is to give deserving high school seniors a scholarship covering their living and educational expenses while offering them work experience in their educational fields.

The Jessie Klicka Foundation has for several years supported similar scholarship programs. Matching funds for the Special Scholarship fund also came from the University Board of Regents.

The scholarship winners are: Miss Shirley Mitchell, Edward Spriggs, Steve Pochel, and Israel Chavez, all students at Morse High School.

Mike Morales, William G. Stiles, Miss Susan Glover, and Miss Norma Johnson, all students at Lincoln High School.

Joseph Iwashita, and Miss Susan Radcliffe, both students at San Diego High School.

The scholarship awards will be presented to the San Diego High School winners at their school at 10:00 a.m. Monday, June 14 by Mr. Sam Hinton, Specialist in School and College Services for UCSD. The Lincoln High School winners will receive their awards at their school at 9:00 a.m. Wednesday, June 16, from Dr. Edward Goldberg, Provost of Revelle College at UCSD. The Morse High School winners will receive their awards at their school at 8:15 a.m. Wednesday, June 16, from Sam Hinton.