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Applications Now Available for Building Futures Foundation Scholarship Program

The Building Industry Association (BIA) of Clark County is pleased to announce that the Building Futures Foundation is now accepting applications for academic scholarships this year. The Building Futures Foundation, the educational foundation for the BIA, has promoted public education, student scholarship and environmentally sensitive building practices in the building industry since 2002.

Scholarships will be awarded in April to qualified students pursuing an education in the building, construction and real estate trades at an accredited college, university or trade institution. Selection criteria are financial need, academic relationship to the building industry, community service, grade point average and quality of application submitted.

The Building Futures Foundation Scholarship Application is available as a fillable PDF this year. The link to this document is available on the BIA home page (www.BIAofClarkCounty.org) and on the Consumer Resources page under the Building Futures Foundation tab.

The direct link is:

http://biaofclarkcounty.org/wp-content/uploads/2012/08/BIA-Scholarship-Application-2015.pdf

Completed applications must be submitted by March 15, 2015.

Additionally, the Building Futures Foundation is hosting a Mardi Gras Casino Night presented by DeWils, to raise money for this year's scholarship program. The event will be held on February 13 from 5:30 – 9:30 pm at The Heathman Lodge. Registration is available online or by calling 360.694.0933.

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