



The Jessie Klicka Foundation Scholarship

WHAT: **\$2,000 Scholarship** for graduating **high school seniors**
One scholarship will be awarded. It is a one-time award for one year.

REQUIREMENTS: Applicants must:

- ◆ currently reside in North Park
- ◆ have applied to a 4 year institution of higher learning
- ◆ possess a minimum 3.0 grade point average on a 4.0 scale
- ◆ demonstrate community dedication through one or more of the following:
 - volunteerism
 - community service
 - civic participation
 - extracurricular activities

There's still time to do some of these before the application deadline.
- ◆ complete the application form which includes:
 - an autobiography, 2 page maximum
 - an essay on community service, civic volunteerism or extra curricular activities, 2 page maximum
 - two letters of reference

MORE: The application and further information are available on the North Park Historical Society's website, www.northparkhistory.org/projects/klicka/

Questions may be directed to Louise Russell, Scholarship Chairperson, at 619-299-3736 or louiserussell@sbcglobal.net

Application deadline is **March 19, 2011**.

WHO IS JESSIE KLICKA?

Jessie Weegar Klicka, wife of Emil Klicka, was a pioneer of the backcountry of San Diego County. Mrs. Klicka passed away in 1957 and upon the death of Mr. Klicka in 1959, the Foundation was created through Mr. Klicka's will to honor his deceased wife. Mr. Klicka developed the North Park Theatre in 1929, and helped bring the Consolidated Aircraft Corporation to San Diego in 1933. The award-winning book, *North Park: A San Diego Urban Village, 1896-1946* by Donald P. Covington, has more information on the Klickas.