



Robert Burns Memorial Scholarship

Scholarship Application

Introduction

Dear Student:

The Robert Burns Memorial Scholarship is dedicated to the memory of a man who loved his family, music and sports. Robert Burns wanted everyone to find their way in life and enjoy it to the fullest. He used his love of music and sports to add to his life, happily sharing it with family and friends. The Burns-Bartolotta family has established this scholarship fund for students who ***demonstrate a love of the arts, music and/ or sports and can share how their love has helped them in a positive way.*** Consideration will also be given to a well rounded candidate who has participated in voluntary and/or community service. These funds were raised through the Smiles Turkey Trot 5k in Blue Point with the support of the community, local businesses and our family & friends.

This fund will award 9 scholarships to applicants meeting established criteria as defined by the Scholarship Committee.

Scholarships will be awarded as follows:

- 1. One 8th grade student in Blue Point Bayport Middle School NY (\$250)**
- 2. Two seniors in Sayville High School in Sayville NY (\$500 each)**
- 3. Two seniors in Bayport-Blue Point High School in Bayport NY (\$500 each)**
- 4. Two seniors in Longwood High School in Middle Island NY (\$500 each)**
- 5. Two seniors in Patchogue-Medford High School in Patchogue NY (\$500 each)**

A copy of the guidelines and an application are attached. If you wish to be considered for the Robert Burns Memorial scholarship, please read the eligibility requirements and complete the application in its entirety. It is the responsibility of the applicant to forward all necessary materials in one package, to the scholarship committee. **INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.** Please MAIL to:

Kids Run Long Island
77 Indian Head Drive
Sayville NY 11782

ALL APPLICATIONS MUST BE MAILED NO LATER THAN May 15, 2023. PLEASE DO NOT FAX OR EMAIL APPLICATIONS.

Thank you,

The Burns-Bartolotta Family: Kiersten, Charles, Lilia, Noelle and Donovan

PLEASE NOTE- a system will be put in place so that the committee does not know the name of the applicant when reviewing the application to be able to fairly review applications from community members.

Guidelines

Eligibility:

We will be giving out 9 awards:

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- Two seniors in Sayville High School in Sayville NY (\$500 each)**
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- Two seniors in Longwood High School in Middle Island NY (\$500 each)**
- Two seniors in Patchogue-Medford High School in Patchogue NY (\$500 each)**

Application:

All applications must be completed and received no later than May 15, 2023.

Check List:

Before mailing your application, be certain that you have included the following.

1. A Completed Application
 2. Essay of 250 to 500 words on “How my passion for the arts (music, art) or how sports (a specific sport or multiple sports) has affected or influenced my life in a positive way.”
- IMPORTANT: DO NOT PUT YOUR NAME ON YOUR ESSAY (PART III). Please staple application and essay together before mailing.**

Student Application

Part I – Personal Information

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____ Email: _____

Age as of May 15, 2023: _____ School: _____ Grade: _____

Name and email of Mother, Father or Guardian so we can reach out if awarded:

Part II – List below information outlining volunteer work, community work, employment, school clubs.
Write on back of this page if you need more space:

Part III- Submit an essay of 250 to 500 words on “How my passion for the arts, music, or sports has affected or influenced my life in a positive way.” **DO NOT PUT YOUR NAME ON THIS ATTACHED DOCUMENT. PLEASE STAPLE APPLICATION AND ESSAY TOGETHER WHEN MAILING.**

ANY QUESTIONS- PLEASE EMAIL KIDSRUNLONGISLAND@GMAIL.COM. Put in the subject line: Scholarship