

High School Scholarship Opportunities

Several High School Scholarships are offered to our students by a number of St. Barnabas organizations, people of the parish family and the greater community. Each scholarship has specific qualifications which are included in this packet. Unless otherwise noted, essays should be handwritten. Pay close attention to directions on each scholarship application and encourage your student to write legibly.

The following Scholarship Applications are due by 8:00 am on Monday, April 9, 2018 to the eighth grade homeroom teachers. No applications can be accepted after this date.

- **50+ Club - \$500 Scholarship open to eighth graders attending a Catholic High School**
- **Knights of Columbus - Five \$400 Scholarships open to eighth graders attending a Catholic High School**
- **Athletic Association - Four \$250 Scholarships and One \$500 Athlete of Character Scholarship open to all eighth graders**
- **Florence and Frank Kovach Memorial Scholarship - One \$1000 Scholarship open to eighth graders attending a Catholic High School**
- **Catholic War Veterans - Post #1812 - Eight \$500 Scholarships open to eighth graders attending a Catholic High School**

**** The following Scholarship Application is due by 8:00 am on Monday, May 7, 2018 to the eighth grade homeroom teachers. No application can be accepted after this date.**

- **PTU Carol Henn Service Scholarship - Two \$500 Scholarships open to all eighth graders who have completed at least 100 service hours this year (service hours must be completed between 6/1/2017 and 5/1/2018)**

50+ Club Scholarship Application

Name: _____

Gender (please circle): M F

High School Attending in 2018-2019:

Office Use Only

Number: _____

Student Number: _____ (To be completed by School Office)

50+ Club Scholarship Application

DUE DATE: MONDAY, APRIL 9, 2018

The St. Barnabas 50+ Club is a dedicated and creative group of senior citizens who provide recreation and programs for our seniors as well as supporting Busy Hands, Helping Hands and St. Barnabas Parish.

This year the 50+ Club is offering a \$500 Catholic High School Scholarship to one deserving eighth grade student in the day school. PSR Students who enrolled at a Catholic High School are also eligible. The deadline for this scholarship application is April 9, 2018. The winner of the scholarship will be announced at the May meeting of the 50+ Club.

Please answer the following questions briefly in complete sentences. Do not use any names and print legibly. The Scholarship Process is Anonymous. Only put your name on the cover sheet. Use of any names in answers or essay will cause disqualification. (Use Blue or Black Ink)

1. What is your current (first semester) grade point average?
2. Why are you applying for this scholarship?
3. How have you given service to others this year? List at least three meaningful service experiences.
4. Make a simple list below of all your extra-curricular activities in grades 6-8.
5. On the back of this paper, answer the following essay question (200 words or less): Who has been to you the most inspirational senior citizen in your life and explain why?

Knights of Columbus Scholarship Application

Name: _____

High School Attending in 2019-2019

Office Use Only

Number: _____

Student Number: _____ (To be completed by School Office)

Knights of Columbus Scholarship Application

DUE DATE: MONDAY, APRIL 9, 2018

The Knights of Columbus are a fraternal organization for Catholic men, 18 years of age and older. Begun in 1882 by Fr. Michael McGivney, it now has a membership worldwide of over one and a half million. Mainly the Knights of Columbus are involved in aiding their church, family and community. Activities include scholarship programs, the "Crusade of Life" which is a pro-life program, support of the Catholic Church and support of Vocations.

The St. Barnabas Knights of Columbus is awarding this year at Awards Night five \$400 scholarships to deserving students. Please respond to each of the following five short answer essay questions below and on the back of this paper.

Please answer the following questions briefly in complete sentences. Do not use any names and print legibly. The Scholarship Process is Anonymous. Only put your name on the cover sheet. Use of any names in answers will cause disqualification. (Use Blue or Black Ink)

1. Briefly discuss your academic record for grades 7 & 8 including what degree of effort you put into your grades.
2. Describe the need you have for this scholarship.
3. How have you helped our Community this year through your service activities?
4. Define "pro-life" and briefly discuss where you stand on this issue and why.
5. Project your thinking into the future. In what Vocation do you see yourself and why? (Religious Life, Married Life, Single Life)

Scholarship Application - St. Barnabas Athletic Association

Your Name _____

Name of High School you will attend in the fall _____

List the Athletic Association sponsored teams on which you played at St. Barnabas

Sport	Grade	Coach
_____	_____	_____
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Please respond to each of the topics below. Be sure to include specific examples demonstrating your attitude, leadership, effort, reliability, sportsmanship and achievement. Use a separate piece of paper if necessary.

1. Describe a time when you fell short of a personal goal and how you responded to that situation?

2. What values have you learned from CYO athletics and how have you applied them in your daily living?

Signature _____ Parent Signature _____

NOTE: Place your name on the attached “Coach Reference” form and deliver it to one of your CYO coaches (should not be your parent). An assistant coach can complete the form if the head coach is your parent or is not available. We will call the coach if it is not submitted by the deadline. Please supply the coach’s name and phone number below.

Coach: _____ Phone _____

Deadline is April 9, 2018

Please deliver this completed form in a sealed envelope addressed to “SBAA Scholarship” to the School Office.

St. Barnabas Athletic Association Scholarship
Coach's Reference

Student/Athlete Name: _____

Sport(s) and grade(s) in which you coached this athlete:

Please rate this athlete in the following areas, where 10 is the highest and 1 is the lowest:

Effort 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1

Reliability 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1

Attitude 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1

Leadership 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1

Sportsmanship 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1

Additional Comments: _____

Coach's Name and signature: _____

Deadline: April 9, 2018

Please deliver the completed form in a sealed envelope addressed to "SBAA Scholarship" to the office.

**Florence and Frank Kovach
Memorial Scholarship Application**

Name: _____

High School attending in 2018-2019:

Official use Only

Number: _____

Florence and Frank Kovach Memorial Scholarship

Eligible: Graduating Eighth Graders Attending a Catholic High School

Florence and Frank Kovach were founding members of St. Barnabas. Although of modest means, they supported the creation of the parish and the school. They helped in the construction of the original eight classrooms and provided monetary support at the level they were able.

Their children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren (still living in the area) all attended or are currently attending St. Barnabas School. Catholic education at all levels is valued by the family.

This scholarship is endowed, recognizing that the cost of catholic secondary education is a financial sacrifice for families. The successful applicant for the one-time high school scholarship of \$1,000 will be chosen based on the student's academic excellence, character, leadership and service, giving consideration to the family's financial sacrifice including other children enrolled in catholic high school or college. The selection will be made from an essay outlining the student's achievements and need. Descendants of Florence and Frank are not eligible.

Please do not use names within the essay. The scholarship process is anonymous. Only provide your name on the cover sheet.

- 1. Briefly discuss your academic record for grades 7 & 8 including any awards.**
- 2. Describe your involvement and interests in community and service activities.**
- 3. Describe your involvement in sports, clubs, etc. at school or in your personal life.**
- 4. Describe your family's need for this scholarship (include any siblings attending catholic schools).**
- 5. Describe how your experience at St. Barnabas has prepared you for high school and what you hope to achieve in high school and the future.**

Please respond to the above statements on regular notebook or copy paper. Your application can be submitted typed or handwritten. The deadline for submission is April 9, 2018.

St. Barnabas PTU Carol Henn Service Scholarship

Name: _____

High School attending in 2018-2019:

Official use Only

Number: _____

Saint Barnabas PTU Carol Henn Service Scholarship

The PTU Carol Henn Service Scholarship will be awarded to
one 8th grade boy and one 8th grade girl.

The scholarship will be awarded at 8th Grade Awards Night on May 21st.

General Requirements:

Any 8th grade student who has completed at least 100 service hours (between 6/1/2017 and 5/1/2018) may apply.

You must fill out this form and attach your 200-250 word handwritten or typed essay.

You must obtain the signature of a parent as permission to apply for the scholarship.

You must obtain the signature of your Religion teacher to verify the number of service hours completed. A copy of the service hour log must also accompany this form and the essay. (Please do not send your original log.)

Do not use any names in essay. The selection process is anonymous.

Essay Content Requirements:

How you earned your service hours and who was helped in the process.

Why you feel service hours are important to your St. Barnabas education.

How these service hours helped to strengthen your Catholic Faith.

Deadline: Monday, May 7, 2018

Return in an envelope marked: Deanna Butler c/o School Office

Name: _____ Date: _____

Homeroom Teacher & Homeroom #: _____

Number of Service Hours completed: _____

Student Signature: _____

Parent Signature: _____

Teacher Signature: _____

**Catholic War Veterans Post #1812
2018 Grade School Scholarship Program**

The Catholic War Veterans, Post #1812, is proud to announce the Twenty-third scholarship competition for Eighth Grade Students who are planning to attend Catholic High School next year.

The 2018 Scholarships will be in the form of Eight \$500, one time, awards which will be judged by a committee of five members of the post.

To enter the competition, your son/daughter must complete the enclosed application. All questions must be answered. Leave no blank spaces. If questions are not applicable, write N/A or NONE.

All information given in the application will be kept confidential.

This application will be reviewed by the scholarship committee.

The graded application will be reviewed and the winners determined.

All applications must be returned by April 9, 2018.

Good luck! Our prayers are with you.