

**Please follow guidelines below when completing your Scholarship Application.
Return completed application to Coach Shibley by Friday, April 22, 2022.**

ARTICLE VII: SCHOLARSHIPS

SECTION 1: ELIGIBILITY

Graduating seniors of the Ross S. Sterling High School baseball team.

SECTION 2: SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE

Members in good standing of the Booster Club. These members cannot be related to a senior player. The committee shall consist of an odd number of member, with a minimum of three.

SECTION 3: GUIDELINES FOR SELECTION

A. Criteria for students:

1. A 250 word (maximum) typed, double-spaced essay explaining why the player feels he deserves the scholarship and what his plans are for the future.
2. Two reference letters from a teacher, coach, counselor, or a personal reference.
3. Neatness and completeness of scholarship application paperwork.

B. Selection Process

1. The President of the Booster Club will collect the applications, copy each of them, black out the players' names, and assign each a number before presenting the applications to the scholarship committee for review.
2. All applicants will be given equal consideration. Class rank shall not be considered.
3. Scholarship applications will be ranked by the committee, from highest to lowest, with no ties.
4. The committee's recommendation will be presented to the Board of Directors, and the names will be added to the numbered applications by the President.
5. The Club members shall agree on the number of scholarships the budget can handle for that particular year.

SECTION 4: MISCELLANEOUS

- A. The Sterling generic scholarship form will be used. (The Bruce Paulus application formerly used is a duplicate of the generic and will be discontinued, however the scholarship will continue to honor Coach Paulus.)
- B. A scholarship winner will be required to present proof of enrollment into the college of their choice before a check will be written.

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- C. Scholarship checks will be payable to the college, not the student. If the student is not enrolled in college or has not requested the transfer of the scholarship to the college by the Spring semester following graduations, the funds will revert back to the Booster Club.
- D. Scholarship winners will be announced at the Baseball Banquet

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Please select the school you attend

Student Name

GOOSE CREEK CISD LOCAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Name of Scholarship:

Name of Applicant:

Date:

Address:

City:

Zip:

Phone: Home

Cell

Other

Mother/Guardian:

Occupation:

Place of Employment:

Father/Guardian:

Occupation:

Place of Employment:

Total number in family living at home (include yourself): Children:

Adults:

Total number of family members currently attending college:

College you plan to attend:

What do you plan to study?

What career path do you expect to follow?

How do you plan to finance your education?

Please furnish two (2) personal references who may be contacted about your character, standing in school, community involvement, etc.

1. Name:

Relationship:

Address

City

Zip

Phone

2. Name:

Relationship:

Address

City

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Student Name

School/Community Involvement: In the space below or on a separate page (please attach), list your participation in school organizations, honors received, and activities/work in which you have participated during your high school years.

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Personal Statement: In the space provided below please write your Personal Statement. If you prefer, you may type your statement on a separate sheet and attach. The statement should summarize your plans as they relate to your educational and career objectives, your long-term goals, and reasons why a scholarship is desired.