

KARNS CITY HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP BOOKLET

A LIST OF LOCAL SCHOLARSHIPS AND
CRITERIA



Preparing Our Students for a Future of
Endless Possibilities

Allyson Voltz, M.Ed
724-756-2030, x1017
avoltz@kcasdk12.org

John M. Bowser, M. Ed
724-756-2030, x1018
jbowser@kcasdk12.org

All scholarships and applications can be found on the KC Guidance Department webpage

Applications with February Due Dates:

Beck – Johnson Memorial Scholarship

DEADLINE: February 6, 2026

AMOUNT: Amount varies depending upon available funds, for tuition and expenses, total amount may be used in one year or apportioned over four years.

CRITERIA:

1. Scholastic performance
2. School activities
3. Outstanding senior
4. Nominated and voted on by KC faculty and approved by KC School Board
5. **NO APPLICATION NEEDED**

FOR: Students planning to attend college, trade, technical school, business-college or nursing school

Karns City Marching Band Parents Scholarship

DEADLINE: February 20, 2026 (Application and all documents returned to the Guidance Office)

AMOUNT: \$500 one time award

CRITERIA

1. Applicant must provide the name and address of the institution you plan to attend
2. Must have participated in Marching Band for four (4) consecutive years (9th-12th grades). NOTE: Mrs. Walters must confirm this.
3. Must have at least a 3.0 cumulative GPA
4. Submit essay, "How has band shaped me into the person that I am today?"
5. **APPLICATION IN THE GUIDANCE OFFICE**

FOR: Any senior planning on attending a post-secondary institution

Armco Credit Union Scholarship

DEADLINE: February 27, 2026 (Send application directly to Armco)

AMOUNT: TBD

CRITERIA:

1. Student must be bound for full-time enrollment at an accredited college/university or trade school where additional expenses are incurred in Fall 2026
2. Be an incoming freshman student of the upcoming 2026-2027 class.
3. Must have been an Armco Credit Union member, or have a parent or legal guardian who has been a member since Dec. 31, 2025.
4. Be a member in good standing.
5. Have a GPA of at least 3.0 (on a 4.0 scale).

Visit ArmcoCU.com to download eligibility guidelines, application, and sample resume. Submit your application package online, by mail or drop off at a branch location.

Applications with March Due Dates:

Griffith D. Morgan Scholarship

DEADLINE: March 5, 2026 (Application online)

AMOUNT: Amount varies depending upon available funds

CRITERIA:

1. Be a resident of the Borough of East Brady, Clarion County, PA, or an area in the vicinity which is or will be served by the East Brady joint area school.
2. Be high school seniors, or graduates, or current college undergraduates, or graduate level students
3. Plan to enroll in full-time undergraduate or graduate study at an accredited college, university or vocational-technical school in the United States of America, for the entire upcoming academic year.
4. **APPLICATION ONLINE**

* Children of PNC Bank N.A. employees and employees or members of the selection committee are **ineligible**.

* Awards are for undergraduate and graduate study

* If interested in applying, please use link below for the application

<https://scholarshipamerica.org/scholarship/morganscholarship/>

NexTier Bank Scholarship

DEADLINE: March 6, 2026 (Application and all documents return to the Guidance Office)

AMOUNT: Two \$500 scholarships, one male and one female graduating senior

CRITERIA:

1. Demonstrated community involvement
2. Cumulative GPA of 3.5 or higher
3. **APPLICATION IN THE GUIDANCE OFFICE**

FOR: Any senior pursuing a college degree in a business-related field

Karns City College Aid Scholarship “Penn State”

DEADLINE: March 6, 2026 (Application and all documents return to the Guidance Office)

AMOUNT: Amount varies dependent upon available funds

CRITERIA:

1. Enrolled full-time at Penn State University - includes branch campuses
2. Karns City graduate
3. Demonstrated academic success (cumulative GPA, SAT scores, school activities, community service)
4. Demonstrated financial need
5. **APPLICATION IN THE GUIDANCE OFFICE**

FOR: Academic recognition of KC graduates needing financial aid planning to attend any of the Penn State University campuses

Alex Summers Foundation Scholarship

- DEADLINE:** **March 15, 2026 (send application and all documents to the address below)**
- AMOUNT:** Amount varies dependent upon available funds. One time award
- CRITERIA:**
1. Based on community service rather than academics
 2. Based on demonstrated faith in Jesus Christ and active participation in mission and ministry of congregation
 3. Based on a life exemplary of the qualities portrayed by Alex

Application should be submitted to:

Alexis "Alex" Summers Scholarship Foundation
c/o Brian and Tammy Summers
148 O'Hara Rd
Saxonburg, PA 16056

FOR: Available to students in good standing who are pursuing their first year of post high school education at an accredited 4 year college or university; an accredited community college; or an accredited vocational institution.

More information including application can be found at: www.alexsummers.org/foundation-info/

Central Electric Cooperative "Good Neighbor Scholarship"

- DEADLINE:** **March 15, 2026 (Apply Online)**
- AMOUNT:** Amount varies dependent upon available funds. One time award
- CRITERIA:**
1. Complete entire application ONLINE at <https://central.coop/content/good-neighbor-scholarship>
 2. Copy of acceptance letter from a post-secondary educational institution
 3. Letter of recommendation from a non-relative
 4. 500 word minimum essay on "What Does a Good Neighbor Mean to You?" Describe activities you do to contribute to your community.
 5. Appropriate high resolution portrait (school or sport) style photo
 6. **APPLY ONLINE**
- FOR:** Any senior planning to attend a post-secondary educational institution whose Parents or guardians reside on cooperative lines.

Friends of the Eccles-Lesher Memorial Library Scholarship

DEADLINE: March 19, 2026 (Application and all document return to the Guidance Office)

AMOUNT: \$1000

CRITERIA:

1. Resident of East Brady and Brady Township
2. GPA 3.0 or higher
3. Accepted to a four-year college, a two-year program, or a technical or trade school
4. Applicants must have a library card for a public library

FOR: Seniors from the graduating class of 2026

Karns City Quarterback Club Scholarship

DEADLINE: March 19, 2026 (Application and all documents return to the Guidance Office)

AMOUNT: See below

CRITERIA:

1. Must be senior member of KC football team
2. Academic performance as noted on official transcript and SAT scores
3. Athletic performance and leadership qualities
4. Athletic, school, and civic honors and awards
5. Participation in civic organizations and a history of work
6. An essay on "Why you feel you deserve this scholarship"
7. **APPLICATION IN THE GUIDANCE OFFICE**

FOR: Financial aid for student athlete (football) attending college

Scholarships awarded are as follows:

- Quarterback Club Scholarship - \$2250
- Ron Ridley Memorial Scholarship - \$1500
- Jacob Myers Scholarship - \$500
- John B. Andreassi Memorial Scholarship - \$500
- Dennis Scherer Memorial Scholarship - \$500

NOTE: The recipient of these awards must submit his post-secondary report card on completion of his first semester of school. This is to be submitted to the KC Quarterback Club. If the recipient maintains an overall cumulative GPA of 2.0 the treasurer will send a check issued to the parent/guardian and the recipient.

Melvin R. Semenko Scholarship

DEADLINE: March 19, 2026 (Application and all document return to the Guidance Office)

AMOUNT: Amount varies dependent upon available funds

CRITERIA:

1. Must be a graduating senior from the KCHS football team
2. Applicants must have a minimum GPA of 3.0
3. Participation in extracurricular activities
4. Proof of acceptance into a college or university
5. Applicants can provide up to three letters of recommendation
6. Applicants must complete the essay which is attached to the application
7. Funds will be paid directly to the school
8. **APPLICATION IN THE GUIDANCE OFFICE**

FOR: Any senior from the KCHS football team who has been accepted to a 4 year college, university, community college, or technical school.

Karns City Cheer Club Scholarship

DEADLINE: March 19, 2026 (Application and all documents return to the Guidance Office)

AMOUNT: Amount varies dependent upon available funds

CRITERIA:

1. Candidate must be a varsity cheerleader for a minimum of 2 years; the second year being their senior year
2. Candidate must have participated in each cheer club fundraiser or the buyout option
3. Candidate must submit a one page essay, double spaced, 12 pt. type. See application for essay topic.
4. Candidate must plan to attend a post-secondary institution
5. **APPLICATION IN THE GUIDANCE OFFICE**

FOR: Any graduating senior meeting the above requirements

Tyler Barger Memorial Scholarship

DEADLINE: March 27, 2026 (Application and all documents return to the Guidance Office)

AMOUNT: One time \$500 Scholarship

CRITERIA:

1. Karns City Graduating Senior
2. Cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher at KC
3. A letter of recommendation from any non-relative teacher or community member
4. A completed Activity Sheet
5. Funds will be paid directly to the school after completion of first semester of post secondary education and verification of continued second semester
6. **APPLICATION IN THE GUIDANCE OFFICE**

FOR: Any Senior planning to attend a four-year college full-time

Applications with April Due Dates:

Joe Meshanko, Jr. Memorial Scholarship

DEADLINE: April 3, 2026 (Application and all documents return to the Guidance Office)

AMOUNT: To be determined each year

CRITERIA:

1. Must be a girls soccer player
2. Graduating senior planning to enroll in a post-secondary school to continue their education
3. Must have a cumulative GPA of 3.5 or higher
4. Must display dedication, loyalty, kindness, success, and professionalism on and off the soccer field, shown through a letter of recommendation by their coach as well as discipline record (copy of discipline record must be submitted with application) and other input
5. Must have demonstrated financial need
6. Funds will be paid following demonstration of successful completion of 1st semester of post-secondary education and verification of continuing 2nd semester
7. **APPLICATION IN THE GUIDANCE OFFICE**

FOR: Any senior varsity girls soccer player planning on attending an institution of higher learning

Katie Shannon Memorial Scholarship Karns City Soccer Club

DEADLINE: April 7, 2026 (Application and all documents return to the Guidance Office)

AMOUNT: Amount varies dependent upon available funds

CRITERIA:

1. Minimum 2-year varsity soccer player, including senior year
2. Cumulative GPA of 3.25 or higher by end of 1st semester senior year
3. Soccer and academic awards, honors and/or leadership
4. Community service and involvement
5. Funds will be paid following demonstration of successful completion of 1st semester of post-secondary education and verification of continuing 2nd semester
6. **APPLICATION IN THE GUIDANCE OFFICE**

FOR: Any senior varsity soccer player planning on attending an institution of higher learning

Tony Cipolla Memorial Scholarship

DEADLINE: April 10, 2026 (Application and all documents return to the Guidance Office)

AMOUNT: Amount varies dependent upon available funds

CRITERIA:

1. KC graduating senior planning to major in Art
2. Cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher
3. Minimum of 3 senior high art courses
4. Consideration given for art and academic awards, honors and leadership qualities
5. Consideration given for community involvement and service
6. Demonstration of successful completion of first semester of post-secondary schooling
7. **APPLICATION IN THE GUIDANCE OFFICE**

FOR: Any senior planning to major in Art at a post-secondary institution

Nicholas Dunlap Memorial Scholarship

- DEADLINE:** April 10, 2026 (Application and all documents return to the Guidance Office)
- AMOUNT:** Amount varies dependent upon available funds
- CRITERIA:**
1. Any senior leaving a lasting, positive influence on those lives he/she has touched through kindness, thoughtfulness, and integrity
 2. This individual has a way of making everyone feel special.
 3. Above average to average grades, impeccable attendance, and an unblemished disciplinary record
 4. Demonstrated participation in school and community activities that focus on helping others
 5. Draft an essay documenting how they have made a lasting, positive influence on everyone's lives they have touched at school and in the community
 6. Consideration will be given to students who have not been awarded any other scholarship monies
 7. **APPLICATION IN THE GUIDANCE OFFICE**
- FOR:** Any senior planning to pursue an education beyond high school.
-

Roundball Club Scholarship

- DEADLINE:** April 10, 2026 (Application and all documents return to the Guidance Office)
- AMOUNT:** TBD - Two scholarships, one male and one female member of the KC basketball program
- CRITERIA:**
1. Academic performance as noted on official transcript and SAT scores
 2. Full-time student at a post-secondary school
 3. Athletic contributions and leadership abilities
 4. Civic involvement
 5. Financial need
 6. Verification of successful completion of 1st semester of college
 7. **APPLICATION IN THE GUIDANCE OFFICE**
- FOR:** Financial aid for senior basketball players continuing their education

Bill Markel Memorial Scholarship

DEADLINE: **April 15, 2026**

AMOUNT: TBD

- CRITERIA:*
1. Graduating senior planning to attend post-secondary education
 2. Cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher
 3. Demonstrate participation in school and community activities focusing on helping others
 4. Letter of recommendation from a non-resident adult (teacher, coach, school administrator, employer, or someone you feel can best judge your character)
 5. Draft an essay on the included prompt in 500 words or less

ESSAY PROMPT: Bill Markel was a compassionate leader who made a lasting impact on everyone he met and the community he lived in. In his honor, we invite you to reflect on your own leadership journey. Write an essay about a time when you took on a leadership role and how that experience helped shape you into the person you are today. Be sure to highlight the challenges you faced, the lessons you learned, and the impact you made on others.

FOR: Any Karns City High School senior planning to continue their education through college, technical school, university, or other post-secondary school.

NOTE: Special consideration given to applicants involved in the KCHS basketball program.

Bob Craig Memorial Scholarship

DEADLINE: April 17, 2026 (Application and all documents return to the Guidance Office)

AMOUNT: \$500 for tuition and books

CRITERIA:

1. KC graduate
2. Cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher
3. First consideration given to a student not receiving any other scholarship monies
4. Two letters of recommendation
 - a. One from a KC teacher
 - b. One from a community service organization representative
5. Student must submit documentation to verify satisfactory completion of 1st semester of schooling before check is sent
6. **APPLICATION IN THE GUIDANCE OFFICE**

FOR: Students dedicated to community service who demonstrate a financial need

Hardball Club Scholarship

DEADLINE: April 17, 2026 (Application and all documents return to the Guidance Office)

AMOUNT: Dependent on funding

CRITERIA:

1. Full-time student at a post-secondary school
2. Community service/extracurricular involvement
3. Must have played baseball 10th-12th grades, including senior year
4. Must submit essay on "Why I deserve this scholarship"
5. Must have minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5
6. **APPLICATION IN THE GUIDANCE OFFICE**

FOR: Financial aid for student athlete (baseball) for continuing education

Zachary Evankovich and Family Scholarship

DEADLINE: April 17, 2026 (Application and all documents return to the Guidance Office)

AMOUNT: Amount to be determined each year

CRITERIA:

1. No more than two letters of recommendation
2. Cumulative GPA, class rank and SAT score(s)
3. Attendance record
4. Must be a full-time undergraduate student
5. **APPLICATION IN THE GUIDANCE OFFICE**

FOR: Graduating senior enrolled in or planning to enroll in a college or university and pursue a career in the medical field

Lillian Heck – Butler County Scholarship

DEADLINE: April 24, 2026 (Application and all documents return to the Guidance Office)

AMOUNT: Amount varies dependent upon available funds and the number of applicants

CRITERIA:

1. Demonstrate extreme financial need
2. Must provide a copy of parent's most recent tax form
3. Must provide a copy of post-secondary school acceptance letter
4. Must be a Butler County resident.
5. **APPLICATION IN THE GUIDANCE OFFICE**

FOR: Financial aid for Butler County students attending post-secondary institution

George Mourer “Track” Memorial Scholarship

DEADLINE: April 24, 2026 (Application and all documents return to the Guidance Office)

AMOUNT: Two \$500 scholarships, one male and one female graduating senior

- CRITERIA:**
1. Applicant must be involved in Track & Field and/or Cross Country
 2. Applicant must have “C” average or higher
 3. Applicant must be deemed a person who is kind to others, shown through a letter of recommendation by their coach, as well as discipline record (copy of discipline record must be submitted with application)
 4. Funds will be paid directly to educational institution
 5. **APPLICATION IN THE GUIDANCE OFFICE**

FOR: Student planning to attend a four-year college or other technical/trade school program

Cheryl A. Phythyon Memorial Scholarship

DEADLINE: April 24, 2026 (Application and all documents return to the Guidance Office)

AMOUNT: TBD

- CRITERIA:**
1. KC graduating senior
 2. Cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher
 3. Two letters of recommendation, one from a teacher and one from a community member, e.g. employer, clergy, non-relative, etc.
 4. **APPLICATION IN THE GUIDANCE OFFICE**

FOR: Senior planning to attend a 4-year college or university. **NOTE:** Preference given to students entering the field of education and/or attending Youngstown State University. Funds will be paid directly to the college or university.

Student Council Scholarship

DEADLINE: April 24, 2026 (Application and all documents return to the Guidance Office)

AMOUNT: \$500 one time award

CRITERIA:

- 1.KC graduating senior
- 2.Cumulative GPA of 3.25 or higher
- 3.Attendance and disciplinary record
- 4.Essay explaining “Why student is deserving of the scholarship”
- 5.School activities (sports, clubs, organizations)
6. **APPLICATION IN THE GUIDANCE OFFICE**

FOR: Students attending a four-year college/university

Larry “Nerp” Slagle Memorial/Bruin VFD Scholarship

DEADLINE: April 24, 2026 (Application and all documents return to the Guidance Office)

AMOUNT: \$500 for tuition and books

CRITERIA:

1. Graduating senior planning to attend post-secondary education
2. Cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher
3. Community service involvement
4. Must submit an essay on “Why I feel community service is important.”
5. **APPLICATION IN THE GUIDANCE OFFICE**

FOR: Any senior pursuing education beyond high school

NOTE: The recipient of this award must submit his post-secondary report card on completion of his/her first semester of school. This is to be submitted to the Bruin VFD scholarship committee. If the recipient maintains an overall cumulative GPA of 2.5 the treasurer will send a \$500.00 check issued to the parent/guardian and the recipient.

Charlie Miller Memorial Girls Basketball Scholarship

DEADLINE: April 24, 2026 (Application and all documents return to the Guidance Office)

AMOUNT: TBD

Charlie Miller was a proud Gremlin, who graduated from Karns City High School in 1975. She participated in Varsity Girls Basketball (#11). During Charlie's senior year, the Karns City Girls Basketball team were the Class B champions. During that season, Charlie was voted to the All-Star Team, and also earned all conference honors as well. In her honor, her family has established this scholarship. Please see the directions below on how to apply for the scholarship, and return all required materials to the Guidance Office by Friday, April 24, 2026.

- CRITERIA:**
1. Applicants must be a member of the Karns City High School graduating class of 2026.
 2. Applicants must have been a member of the Karns City High School Girls Basketball team for at least 3 years.
 3. Applicants must plan to attend a college, university, or technical school, upon graduation, and provide the school with an acceptance letter from said school.
 4. Applicants must complete a copy of the Student's Activities Record, which is available in the Guidance Office.
 5. Applicants must provide up to three letters of recommendation, (from a non family member). These letters must provide insight on the applicant's work-ethic, personality, overall character, and detail any volunteer work the student might have participated in.

Charlie Miller Memorial Girls Softball Scholarship

DEADLINE: April 24, 2026 (Application and all documents return to the Guidance Office)

AMOUNT: TBD

Charlie Miller was a proud Gremlin, who graduated from Karns City High School in 1975. Charlie had a passion for the game of softball, and played and coached the game for many years. In her honor, her family has established this scholarship. Please see the directions below on how to apply for the scholarship, and return all required documents to the Guidance Office by Friday, April 24, 2026.

- CRITERIA:**
1. Applicants must be a member of the Karns City High School graduating class of 2026.
 2. Applicants must have been a member of the Karns City High School Girls Softball team for at least 3 years.
 3. Applicants must plan to attend a college, university, or technical school, upon graduation, and provide the school with an acceptance letter from said school.
 4. Applicants must complete a copy of the Student's Activities Record, which is available in the Guidance Office.
 5. Applicants must provide up to three letters of recommendation, (from a non family member). These letters must provide insight on the applicant's work-ethic, personality, overall character, and detail any volunteer work the student might have participated in.

Charlie Miller Memorial Marching Band Scholarship

DEADLINE: April 24, 2026 (Application and all documents return to the Guidance Office)

AMOUNT: TBD

Charlie Miller was a proud Gremlin, who graduated from Karns City High School in 1975. She played drums in the Marching Band and had a solo performance on “Senior Night”. She was a member of the Senior High School Choir, the Pep Band, and was chosen for Bell Choir. In her honor, her family has established this scholarship. Please see the directions below on how to apply for the scholarship, and return all required materials to the Guidance Office by Friday, April 24, 2026.

- CRITERIA:**
1. Applicants must be a member of the Karns City High School graduating class of 2026.
 2. Applicants must have been a member of the Karns City High School Marching Band for at least 3 years.
 3. Applicants must plan to attend a college, university, or technical school, upon graduation, and provide the school with an acceptance letter from said school.
 4. Applicants must complete a copy of the Student’s Activities Record, which is available in the Guidance Office.
 5. Applicants must provide up to three letters of recommendation, (from a non family member). These letters must provide insight on the applicant’s work-ethic, personality, overall character, and detail any volunteer work the student might have participated in.

Applications with May Due Dates:

The John C. Kelly Memorial Scholarship

Offered through the Karns City Scholastic Foundation

- DEADLINE:** May 4, 2026 (Application and all documents return to the Guidance Office)
- AMOUNT:** Four \$2,000 scholarships
- CRITERIA:**
1. Demonstration of financial need
 2. Application must include an essay on your future potential
 - a. Essay must include information on why you chose the institution and course of study and how you will use your education after graduation from college
 3. Demonstration of successful completion of 1st semester of post-secondary education (minimum 2.5 cumulative GPA) and verification of continuing 2nd semester
 4. Payment will be made directly to the educational institution
 5. Any one student cannot receive this scholarship more than 2 times
 - a. Application must be submitted each year to be eligible
 6. **APPLICATION IN THE GUIDANCE OFFICE**
- FOR:** Any Karns City School District senior or recent graduate attending or planning to continue their education through a technical school, college, university or other post secondary school

Brad "Stackhouse" Miller Scholarship

- DEADLINE:** May 4, 2026 (Application and all documents return to the Guidance Office)
- AMOUNT:** \$1000 one time award
- CRITERIA:**
1. Graduate of Karns City High School in good standing
 2. Accepted and attend a post-secondary institution
 3. Involvement in extracurricular activities
 4. Embodies similar character as Brad did
 5. Preference given to football players who plan to pursue a career in education
 6. If no football player is seeking education as a major, then the scholarship becomes available to the senior class as long as they are seeking higher education or trade school
 7. Student should have a GPA above a 3.25, however, others will be considered
 8. Funds to be paid to the post-secondary institution after completion of the first semester.
 9. **APPLICATION IN THE GUIDANCE OFFICE**
- For:** Senior accepted and attend a post-secondary institution

Frank and Josephine Rob Memorial Scholarship (KCHS Student)

DEADLINE: May 4, 2026 (Application and all documents return to the Guidance Office)

AMOUNT: \$2000 one time award

- CRITERIA:**
1. Must be a senior at Karns City Area High School.
 2. Cumulative GPA of at least 4.0.
 3. Complete a minimum 250 word essay on "What is the most valuable lesson you have learned during your time at Karns City Area High School?"
 4. Proof of acceptance into a college, university, or trade school.
 5. Winning student is only eligible to receive the award one time.
 6. Demonstration of successful completion of 1st semester of post-secondary education and verification of continuing 2nd semester
 7. **APPLICATION IN THE GUIDANCE OFFICE**

FOR: Senior at Karns City Area High School who has been accepted into a college, university, or trade school.

Lloyd & Audrey Sheakley Memorial Scholarship

DEADLINE: May 4, 2026 (Application and all documents return to the Guidance Office)

AMOUNT: TBD

- CRITERIA:**
1. KC graduate
 2. Must have a good discipline record (copy of discipline record must be submitted)
 3. A list of involvement in the following recommended:
 - A. Extra-curricular activities
 - B. Public or charity involvement (Examples: fire depts., church group, food cupboards)
 4. Applicant must have a "C" average or above
 5. Student must submit documentation verifying satisfactory completion of 1st semester of education
 6. **APPLICATION IN THE GUIDANCE OFFICE**

FOR: Student planning to attend a four-year college, trade or technical school, business college, or nursing school

Stacy Martin Award

DEADLINE: May 4, 2026 (Application and all documents return to the Guidance Office)

AMOUNT: Amount varies depending upon available funds.

CRITERIA:

- Must be a graduating senior
 - Submit an essay describing your acts of service as well as how you plan to continue serving and impacting others throughout your career.
 - Provide two brief letters of recommendation.
 - Strong consideration will be given to those pursuing a career in Health Services.
-

Kay Sedwick / Tina Schorr Memorial Scholarship

DEADLINE: May 5, 2026 (Application and all documents return to the Guidance Office)

AMOUNT: Amount varies dependent upon available funds

CRITERIA:

1. Any senior who has displayed kindness and consideration in school community
2. Above average grades, good attendance, and no discipline record
3. Consideration given to applicants who demonstrate financial need
4. Essay that addresses the issue of kindness and caring that the applicant has demonstrated throughout his/her high school career
5. **APPLICATION IN THE GUIDANCE OFFICE**

FOR: Any senior planning to pursue an education beyond high school

Carl Curran II Memorial Scholarship

DEADLINE: May 5, 2026 (Application and all documents return to the Guidance Office)

AMOUNT: Amount varies dependent upon available funds

CRITERIA:

1. Karns City senior planning on attending an institution of higher learning
2. Active engagement in the boy scouts or girl scouts or the American Legion
3. Academic performance
4. Patriotic involvement
5. Relative who is a veteran
6. Financial need
7. Monies awarded upon successful completion of the 1st semester of studies after the recipient has provided documentation of the successful completion of the 1st semester of studies to:
8. **APPLICATION IN THE GUIDANCE OFFICE**

Mr. & Mrs. David Curran
251 Bish Road
East Brady, PA 16028

FOR: A senior in need of financial aid who plans to attend an institution of higher learning

KCEA "Faculty" Scholarship

DEADLINE: May 5, 2026 (Application and all documents return to the Guidance Office)

AMOUNT: \$1,000 one time award

CRITERIA:

1. Attend college full-time as an education major
2. Academic performance, SAT scores and essay
3. Financial need
4. The recipient must present a copy of his/her college transcripts to the Karns City Education Association prior to his/her student teaching semester
5. **APPLICATION IN THE GUIDANCE OFFICE**

FOR: Seniors majoring in education at a college/university

Donald Rupnik Memorial Scholarship

DEADLINE: May 6, 2026 (Application and documents return to the Guidance Office)

AMOUNT: Amount varies dependent upon available funds

CRITERIA:

1. Cumulative GPA of 3.5 or higher
2. SAT combined scores of at least 1000
3. Consideration of attendance and disciplinary record
4. 3 sciences, one of which must be a lab science
5. Participation in a science-related extracurricular activity, i.e., Physics Fair, PJAS, or Envirothon
6. Documentation of successful completion of 1st semester of post-secondary education
7. **APPLICATION IN THE GUIDANCE OFFICE**

FOR: Any senior entering a science-related major at a four-year college or university

Karns City Performing Arts Scholarship

DEADLINE: May 6, 2026 (Application and all documents return to the Guidance Office)

AMOUNT: \$500 one time award

CRITERIA:

1. Must have participated in at least three stage productions at Karns City (concerts, variety shows, musicals)
2. Cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher
3. Consideration given to applicants who demonstrate financial need
4. **APPLICATION IN THE GUIDANCE OFFICE**

FOR: Any senior who has been active in the performing arts and plans to attend a post secondary institution

National Honor Society Scholarship

- DEADLINE:** May 6, 2026 (Application and all documents return to the Guidance Office)
- AMOUNT:** \$500 one time award
- CRITERIA:**
1. A member in good standing of KC National Honor Society (including GPA, service hours, and meeting attendance)
 2. Enrollment in a two-year or four-year college/university
 3. **Demonstrated** strengths in scholarship, leadership, service, and/or character
 4. Completion of application and essay
 5. **APPLICATION IN THE GUIDANCE OFFICE**
- FOR:** Member of National Honor Society needing financial aid for college
-

Applications with July Due Dates:

Elva Frazier Beck “BC3” Scholarship

- DEADLINE:** See BC3 website
- AMOUNT:** See BC3 website – four semesters (renewable for sophomore year provided enrollment remains full-time and student has at least a 2.5 GPA)
- CRITERIA:**
1. Financial need – Must file FAFSA by June 30th of application year
 2. Satisfactory academic achievement
 3. Enrolled full-time at Butler County Community College
 4. Must apply online
- FOR:** Karns City graduating senior attending Butler County Community College