

MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Honoring a Life • Inspiring a Legacy



In Memory of a Life That Made a Difference

A meaningful legacy is built through kindness, courage, compassion, and the difference we make in the lives of others. This memorial scholarship was created to honor a life whose memory continues to inspire others and to help a deserving student take the next step toward their own future.

We invite graduating seniors to reflect on the legacy they hope to leave behind. Through this scholarship, we hope to support a student who understands that success is not measured only by accomplishments, but also by the people we encourage, the communities we strengthen, and the kindness we leave along the way.

Scholarship Amount	Application Deadline
\$ <u>500 maximum</u>	<u>March 14th, 2027</u>

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- Graduating high school senior.
- Minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0.
- Involved in at least one extracurricular, volunteer, community, employment, sport, club, or other meaningful activity.
- Submit one letter of recommendation from a teacher, coach, advisor, employer, community member, or other appropriate adult.
- Submit a 500–700 word essay responding to the topic below.

ESSAY PROMPT

“A person’s legacy is measured not only by achievements but by the lives they touch. What kind of legacy do you hope to leave, and how are you working toward it today?”

Your essay should describe the person you hope to become and the impact you want to have on others. You may discuss experiences, values, activities, accomplishments, challenges, or people who have influenced you. Focus not only on what you have achieved, but on how you have helped, encouraged, supported, or inspired others.

MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Applicant Information

Applicant Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/ZIP: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

High School: _____

Expected Graduation: _____ Current GPA: _____

College/Career Plans: _____

EXTRACURRICULAR / COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Activity / Organization: _____

Years / Length of Involvement: _____

Position / Role: _____

Brief Description: _____

LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION

Please include one letter of recommendation from a teacher, coach, advisor, employer, community member, or other adult familiar with your character and involvement.

Recommender Name: _____

Relationship to Applicant: _____

Phone / Email: _____

ESSAY SUBMISSION

Attach your 500–700 word essay on a separate page. Please place the applicant's name at the top of the essay.

APPLICANT CERTIFICATION

I certify that the information provided in this application is accurate and that the essay submitted is my own original work.

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____

SUBMISSION CHECKLIST

■ Completed application ■ 500–700 word essay ■ Minimum 2.0 GPA ■ Extracurricular involvement ■ One letter of recommendation

Thank you for sharing your story, your goals, and the legacy you hope to create. May the impact you make today become the legacy you carry forward tomorrow.

Return completed application to kaseyramthunmemorial@gmail.com by March 14, 2027