

FAIRMONT SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL FOUNDATION
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
Submit 5 copies to Senior Counselor by April 11

PLEASE READ DIRECTIONS AND REQUIREMENTS and then complete the following pages. Type or use black ink. The completed application must be submitted to the Senior Counselor by deadline.

NAME _____ GPA _____

ADDRESS _____ PHONE _____

COLLEGE PREFERENCE

Applied (Date)

Accepted (Date)

1st choice _____

2nd choice _____

Intended Major _____

List scholarships, grants, financial aid, and amounts for which you have been notified

SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

On a separate sheet of unlined paper with your name and address on the top, list school activities in which you have participated such as clubs, sports, student council, honor societies, or special projects and attach to the back of this application. Please include the years of involvement as well as the sponsor, advisor, or adult supervisor.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

List community service activities in which you have participated such as church work, community centers, and youth groups. These activities may be included on the school activities resume additional page or on as many pages as necessary.

LEADERSHIP ESSAY

On a separate sheet of paper with your name and address on the top prepare an essay on "Leadership and What It Means to Me". The essay must be 500 words or less and typed or neatly written in black ink.

VERIFICATION

I verify that the information I have provided is accurate and current to the best of my knowledge.

APPLICANT SIGNATURE_____

DATE_____

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE_____

DATE_____

MULTIPLE GENERAL SCHOLARSHIPS ARE AVAILABLE. ADDITIONALLY, PLEASE SPECIFY IF YOU CHOOSE TO BE CONSIDERED FOR A NAMED SCHOLARSHIP (SEE FOLLOWING PAGE FOR DESCRIPTION)

I RECOMMEND THIS STUDENT FOR CONSIDERATION:

TEACHER SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

ENDORSER SIGNATURE (COMMUNITY LEADER) DATE _____

SENIOR COUNSELOR SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

Relevant information from senior counselor if unable to attend selection meeting.

Foundation scholarships range from \$500 to \$1,000 and are presented each year at the Senior Recognition Assembly. Scholarships may be used for tuition, room/board, books, and related educational expenses. **Check will be written to student upon presentation of a receipt for paid tuition.** Specific details will be included in the envelope presented to each awardee. Student applicant must list any financial aid, scholarships, or grants for which he/ she has been notified. Preference is given to students who have not received any financial assistance. Please keep this in mind when submitting an application for a Foundation Scholarship. This helps the Foundation reach a broader base of students who are in need of financial assistance for college.

To be eligible for consideration of a Foundation scholarship, general or named, the applicant must: Be a graduating senior from Fairmont Senior High. Attend the Senior Recognition Assembly unless excused for a school event or activity. Be accepted at an accredited two or four-year college or university or a two-year technical school and use the award in the school year immediately following graduation. Submit 5 copies of the completed application form and include all of the following items. Applicant will not be considered if any part of the requirements are incomplete
1) A list of school activities; 2) A list of community service activities; 3) An essay on the topic "Leadership ad What It Means to Me"; 4)Cumulative GPA of 2.5 or greater; and 5)Two endorsement signatures from any two of the following 1)teacher or coach, and 2)community or church leader. A letter

of recommendation would be helpful but not required. Parent or guardian must sign the application but is not considered as an appropriate endorser. Several of our scholarships are dedicated for specific purposes. Please indicate your declared major if you are applying for a named scholarship. The named scholarships are:

MARUKA FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP IN MEMORY OF ROSS & DOLORES (ROTE) MARUKA, MEGAN STEPHENSON AND RUSSELL NEPTUNE shall be given annually to one or more seniors who have demonstrated good character within our community. In 1995, the Dolores Maruka Scholarship was established to honor the memory of Mrs. Maruka by her husband Ross. It is now designated as the Maruka Family Scholarship in memory of Dolores, Ross, and their granddaughter Megan Stephenson. Megan was a 2017 Fairmont Senior High School graduate. Ross was a charter member of the FSHS Foundation, Inc.

SETH BURTON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP for leadership and/or a cross- country participant.

ANTHONY PIZATELLA SCHOLARSHIP for a career in social work, counseling or other related therapy field. This scholarship was funded in 2000 by family and friends of Anthony Pizatella, a member of the class of 1973.

REX STALNAKER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP for technology training was established in 2003 by his loving family for the 1998 FSHS graduate.

SOUTH FAIRMONT ROTARY SCHOLARSHIP for leadership.

DAVIDSON FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP shall be made available to seniors who have declared their intended college major to be a branch of engineering leading to a four year (or greater) bachelor of science degree in electrical, mechanical, industrial or computer engineering from an accredited college or school of engineering. Secondary consideration shall be given to seniors who have declared their intended college major to be in a business related field leading to a four year (or greater) bachelor of science degree in business administration, marketing, management, economics, accounting, or finance from an accredited college or school of business.

BROGAN RADDISH MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP, established 2013, which would have been her year of graduation, shall be awarded to an applicant majoring in a medical field.

ANTHONY “SKIP” DELLIGATTI MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP, established 2016, gives priority to a worthy graduate who 1. is planning to attend Potomac State College 2. contributes a significant amount of time to charity and/or public service.

The following scholarships which have been awarded in the past are no longer available.

Frank DiMaria

Tendera Meffe

Bob “Big D” DeLorenzo

Poshadel

Rick and Linda Parker, Rivesville