Central High School Class of 1958 Scholarship Fund

Purpose: This college scholarship fund was established in 2015 by the St. Joseph, Missouri Central High School (CHS) Class of 1958 to provide annual scholarships to graduating seniors. The CHS Class of 1958 wishes to award one or more college scholarships to deserving seniors who plan to continue their education at an accredited 2 or 4-year college of their choice beginning in May 2016.

Criteria: To be eligible for the scholarship, the applicant must meet the following:

1. Demonstrate scholarship achievement by ranking in the top 1/3 of his or her graduating class.
2. A minimum of three letters of recommendation must be attached to the application from teachers, counselors, clergy, employers or neighbors with one from a school representative (teacher, coach, counselor or administrator).
3. Provide a list which includes: community and volunteer activities, school activities, offices held, honors/special recognitions, and employment experiences (with approximate hours worked per week).
4. In 500 words or less, describe your goals for the future, why you believe you are worthy of this scholarship and how a teacher or class has been of particular value to you and your CHS education.
5. Consideration will be given to financial need (Expected Family Contribution number on Student Aid Report). Additional consideration will be given to students who have not received a significant amount of financial aid and/or scholarship money. Please attach a copy of any financial aid award letter to this application.
6. Submit the completed application and attachments to the Central High Counseling Center by April 15th.

Guidelines: Scholarships will be awarded on a one-time basis and made in two equal payments.

Amount: Minimum of $500 to a maximum of $3,000, depending upon earnings, per school year on a one-time basis to be paid directly to your chosen college in August and December. The payment will be released upon proof of enrollment.

Deadline: April 15 with formal announcement at the CHS Annual Spring Scholarship Night award ceremony.

The recipient(s) of a Class of 1958 scholarship(s) should send a thank you note to: Jack Stuber, 2500 West 64th Street Mission Hills, KS 66208-1912