

ST. STEPHEN MEN'S CLUB SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

Application information for 2018

Eligibility (Meet all requirements):

1. Be a 2018 high school graduating senior or an enrolled college student
2. Be an active member of St. Stephen Catholic Community.
3. Have a grade point average of 2.0 (grade of "C") or higher.
4. Show proof of acceptance at a vocational, community college, private college or university.
5. Not be a previous winner of a St. Stephen Men's Club Scholarship.

How to Apply

1. Read the entire packet before starting. Please **type or print using black ink**. Answer all questions. If an answer does not apply, state "N/A" or "not applicable" on the form. **Incomplete applications will not be considered by the committee.**
2. Enclose all of the following items:
 1. Application
 2. High school transcript and/or a college transcript, whichever is applicable
 3. Letter of Acceptance from your selected college or vocational school (a copy is acceptable)
 4. Three letters of reference.
 5. Essay
3. Enclose the application and required documents in an envelope and return to **the church office** clearly marked with the following:

**St. Stephen Men's Club
Scholarship Committee**

Return this information no later than **Thursday, May 17, 2018 at 4 PM.**

Value of the Scholarship

The award amount to be distributed for scholarship(s) is determined annually. The Men's Club may, at its discretion, award the designated total to more than one applicant. The scholarship will be paid directly to the institution you will be attending in your name. Please be sure that the college or university address of your selected institution is on the acceptance letter from your choice. Scholarships are not limited to in-state schools.

Announcement of Award

The scholarship/s will be awarded at the Men's Club meeting on June 21, 2018.

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Name: _____ Date of Birth _____
Address: _____ City: _____
Date of Church Membership: (yes / no) _____ Tel # _____
High School: _____
Graduation Date: _____ Grade Point Average: _____
Scholarship(s) that you have received or are expected to receive: _____

Bright Futures _____ Yes _____ No _____

Where do you plan to attend college? _____

Is this a technical or vocational program? Yes _____ No _____
(If you plan on attending a technical or vocational school, please indicate below)
Field of Study: _____ Estimated Tuition: _____

For the following questions, you may use additional pages if needed and copy section title (i.e. Service or High School Activities, etc. on the top of the paper).

Service to St. Stephen Church:

| Activities | Years |
|---------------------|-------|
| These are examples | |
| Winterfest | 1 |
| Confirmation Aide | 1 |
| Cleaning the Church | 1 |

High School Activities:(include years spent in each activity)

| Activities | Years |
|---|-------|
| These are examples of High School activities to report: | |
| Baseball | 2 |
| Bowling | 1 |
| Best Buddies | 1 |
| Science Class aide | 1 |
| Homecoming Parade Float | 1 |
| football | 1 |

Service to the Community: (Please include number of years in each service)

| Activities | Years |
|---|-------|
| These are examples of Service to Community: | |
| Volunteered at nursing home | 5 |
| Under Privileged Kids | 5 |
| Packed packs for kids overseas | 5 |
| Sponsored a Christmas Child | 5 |

If you worked during high school, type of work and hours per week:
(include years spent at job)

| Activities | Years / | Hours |
|---------------------|---------|-------------|
| These are examples: | | |
| Sears | 2 | 12 hrs./wk. |
| American Pie | 2 | 10 hrs./wk. |

Awards/Recognition: (Please be specific on these Awards and Recognitions)

| Activities | Years |
|---|-------|
| These are examples of Awards / Recognition: | |
| Principals Honor Roll | 4 |
| Outstanding member of SNHS | 1 |

Personal Letters of Recommendation as References (Include three):

1. Recommendation from high school teacher or guidance counselor.
2. Recommendation from a community member, such as neighbor/employer or someone who has known you for 2 yrs. or more.
3. Recommendation from a St. Stephen parishioner or Men's Club Member, who has known you for 2 yrs or more.

Essay: Please include a **one-page essay**, and include the following topics:

1. Why you need the scholarship,
2. Why you feel you deserve the scholarship, and
3. How you will use this scholarship.