**COACH KELLY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

(Administered by the Grand Valley Educational Foundation)

The Coach Kelly Memorial Scholarship, in the amount of $1,000.00, is to be awarded each spring to a Grand Valley High School senior who is enrolling full time (at least 12 credit hours) in an accredited two or four-year college. This is a one-year scholarship with $500.00 being applied to the recipient's first semester and $500.00 being applied to the tuition for the second semester, if the student remains in good standing while continuing their education.

**METHOD OF PAYMENT**:

The scholarship award will be deposited in the Financial Aid Office of the college that the recipient will be attending and will be made payable to that institution. $500 will be deposited prior to the start of the academic year, in August, for payment of fall semester expenses. The second payment of $500 will be deposited in January for payment of spring semester expenses after proof of completion of at least 12 credit hours with a minimum grade point average of 2.50 GPA.

**SELECTION PROCESS**:

The successful applicant will be selected by the Scholarship Committee of the Grand Valley Educational Foundation.

**CRITERIA FOR SELECTION**:

* Acceptance into an accredited two-year or four-year college.
* Class standing- Grade point average
* ACT or SAT scores.
* Leadership activities
* Community service
* Participation in extra-curricular activities both in and out of school.
* Evaluation of what applicants write about themselves.
* Evaluation of at least two letters of recommendation.

PLEASE RETURN COMPLETED APPLICATIONS AND ACCOMPANYING DOCUMENTS TO THE GRAND VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL GUIDANCE COUNSELOR BY 3:00pm ON Friday May 13th, 2022

Coach Kelly Memorial Scholarship

Name:

Mailing Address:

Telephone: Alternate Telephone Number:

Date of Birth:

High Schools Attended

(Give name, location, and date of attendance of each high school)

GPA: Class Rank: Class Size:

\*\*PLEASE INCLUDE AN OFFICIAL HIGH SCHOOL TRANSCRIPT WITH THIS APPLICATION\*\*

Extra-Curricular Activities, Awards and Honors

College Plans

Name and address of the college you plan to attend:

Have you been accepted? Y N Field of Study?

Why did you choose this school?

Have you requested financial help from this school?

Personal and Family Information

Father’s Name:

Is Father living? If deceased, when?

Father’s occupation: Name of Employer:

Mother’s Name:

Is Mother living? If deceased, when?

Mother’s Occupation: Name of Employer:

Other Family Circumstances that you may like to share:

Estimated Yearly Expenses

What expenses do you anticipate while attending college?

Tuition:

Fees:

Room & Board:

Books & Supplies:

Transportation:

Personal Expenses:

Other:

Total Anticipated Expenses:

How will you finance your first year of education?

Parent Contribution:

Student Contribution:

Scholarships/Grants:

Other:

Total Resources:

Amount Still Needed:

Has F.A.F.S.A. been completed?

If there are circumstances affecting your ability to pay for college, not reflected in the information provided, please describe those circumstances:

I certify that all the information provided on this form is true to the best of my knowledge.

Students Signature: Date:

Parent/Guardian Signature: Date:

ESSAY QUESTIONS

May be handwritten or typed. Please give careful thought to each question and answer as completely as possible.

1. Giving thought to the extra-curricular activities you have participated in through the years, which activity was your favorite and why?
2. Has there been a coach or mentor that has made a great impact on your life through your extra-curricular activities? If so, please describe what life lessons you gained through that coaching or mentorship. Do you think you may someday want to coach or mentor in some capacity?
3. Please indicate your career objective along with a statement about how the school you have selected fits with this objective. Please include in your statement what you have already accomplished, either in school, work or both to prepare you for your career objective.