

2018 KEN McENROE SCHOLARSHIP

HISTORY

This scholarship was established to honor Ken McEnroe and his many contributions to our community. Ken was a 1977 graduate of Three Rivers High School where he was Class President, a member of the National Honor Society and captain of the football and basketball teams. He graduated from University of Memphis with a B.S. in Mechanical Engineering and launched a successful career as Vice President of Sales at the Johnson Corporation (Kadant) in Three Rivers.

Besides being busy with work, professional organizational and civic activities, such as serving as President of Three Rivers Little League, Ken coached numerous youth sports teams in the Three Rivers area. He coached his own children and youth of our community in rocket football, soccer, indoor soccer, basketball and baseball. He believed that team sports teach many skills that translate to success in life. This scholarship will be given to honor successful scholar athletes in the Three Rivers area who are pursuing higher education.

PURPOSE

To provide financial assistance to students entering college.

ELIGIBILITY

Applicants for this scholarship must satisfy the following criteria:

1. Graduation from Three Rivers High School.
2. Have attained a minimum grade point average of 2.75.
3. Have played sports at least four (4) seasons in high school.
4. Be available for personal interview with the scholarship selection committee.

AMOUNT OF SCHOLARSHIP

Scholarship shall be in the amount of \$1,000 per year for one year, awarded to one (1) male student and to one (1) female student. The Scholarship is not automatically renewable, but students may reapply in subsequent years.

SELECTION COMMITTEE

The Selection Committee shall be determined by the Three Rivers Area Community Foundation

INSTRUCTIONS

Please fill out the TRACF Common Scholarship Application **AND** the Ken McEnroe Scholarship Attachment, found at www.threeriversfoundation.com. All information submitted will be kept in the strictest confidence. Scholarship applications should be typed or legibly printed in ink.

- Scholarship Application must be RECEIVED by **March 1st, 2018**, for consideration.
- Provide one (1) letter of recommendation from teacher, a coach or business/professional person.
- Include a copy of your school transcripts.
- Email one (1) application packet in PDF or Word form to melissa@threeriversfoundation.com. Applications can also be mailed to the following address: Three Rivers Area Community Foundation, P.O. Box 453, Three Rivers, MI 49093.
- Each packet must include the following, in this particular order:
 1. 2018 TRACF Common Scholarship Application
 2. Scholarship Essay Attachments
 3. Letter of recommendation
 4. School transcript

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****INCLUDE WITH TRACF COMMON SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION****

If you are applying for the Ken McEnroe Scholarship you must complete the following:

1. Name: _____

2. List all high school sports in which you participated, the number of seasons played, and team leadership positions you have held (ex. Captain).

SPORT	# OF SEASONS	AWARD(S) /HONORS	LEADERSHIP POSITIONS

3. List all coaching/referee activities in which you have participated.

4. What does LEADERSHIP mean to you?

5. Do you have plans to participate in sports in college? Explain.

6. Write a brief statement as to any obstacle (financial, emotional or physical) you have had to overcome and why you should be chosen to receive this scholarship.