

MERIDIAN HIGH SCHOOL

DANNY BYARD MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

The Blue Mound Fall Festival, of Blue Mound, Illinois, does hereby establish the DANNY BYARD MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP. The scholarship is established under the terms, conditions, and eligibility requirements as follows:

I. SCHOLARSHIP

The award will be determined by the profit from the prior year Danny Byard Memorial Run. The recipient must be a graduating senior, boy or girl, of Meridian High School who has been accepted by and will be attending any college, university, or other institution of higher learning, such as a technical school, by the Fall semester of the year of graduation.

II. PAYMENT

The award will be payable in one payment, made payable to the recipient on proof of enrollment to any institution as described. Proof of enrollment should be presented to the Blue Mound Fall Festival Committee.

III. SCHOLARSHIP SELECTION

The scholarship selection will be based on Class Rank, Need, Volunteer Work, Church and Community Involvement, School Activities, and Essay on College.

IV. THE SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE

A committee selected by the Regional Superintendent of Schools will select the scholarship winner.

V. SELECTION PROCESS

By **March 10, 2009**, all interested applicants will submit their applications to the Blue Mound Fall Festival Chairperson or to the Meridian High School Guidance Office.

The final winner will be notified at graduation.

In the event that the Scholarship Committee does not recommend that any applicant is worthy of the award, then the Blue Mound Fall Festival is under no obligation to present the scholarship for that particular year.

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Applicant's Name: _____
(First, Middle Initial, & Last)

Household Address: _____

Phone: _____

Age: _____ Birth Date: _____

Father's Name: _____

Occupation: _____

Mother's Name: _____

Occupation: _____

Brothers/Sisters and Ages:

Will your family have difficulty in financing your education? _____

If so, explain: _____

Are you currently employed? _____

If yes, where? _____

Please describe what community, church, & volunteer activities you have been involved in.

List significant activities, offices, awards, and honors.

What is your Major? _____

What College, University, or other institution of higher learning do you plan to attend, and what are your career goals? (Write below or attach a paragraph/essay.)

CPW Rank: _____

(If additional space is required for any of the above answers, please turn to back side.)

APPLICATIONS MUST BE POSTMARKED NO LATER THAN MARCH 10, 2009, to the Meridian High School Guidance Office.