

THE BEVERLY HILLS HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION 2018 SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

The Alumni Association's Goals and Mission

The Beverly Hills High School Alumni Association was established in 1978 to raise funds to support scholarships for deserving Beverly Hills High School graduates. The Beverly Hills Alumni Association is the largest donor of scholarships in the district. In light of the increasing cost of a higher education, the Alumni Association is increasing the amount of each of its six (6) scholarships from \$2000 to \$3000 for the graduating class of 2018! These scholarships will be awarded to meritorious students at Senior Awards Night on May 30, 2018.

The Association's operating expenses and scholarship fund are generated by: (1) annual membership dues; (2) alumni contributions; and (3) special events. A portion of the Association's operating funds are used to publish its annual *Highlights* magazine showcasing alumni accomplishments, announcing new additions to the Alumni Hall of Fame, chronicling recent class reunions, and providing updates on our alumni's lives in "Class Notes."

The directors who serve on the Association's Board represent graduating classes from every decade from the 40's through the 00's. To ensure its future vitality, the Association hopes that scholarship applicants will stay in touch during college with a view toward joining the Board after graduation.

The Application Process

Please complete the attached Application Form and submit a short personal statement, not to exceed two pages, telling us about yourself, your college plans, and any professional plans or goals you may have. Also submit a copy of your high school transcript, two letters of recommendation from teachers or other adults (excluding parents or relatives) attesting to your scholarship or leadership abilities, a resume if you have one, and a small photograph of yourself. (A pocket sized senior-class photo is recommended.) Applications can be downloaded from the scholarship section of Naviance and are available in all the houses and the College Center.

The Committee

Applications will be reviewed by the Alumni Scholarship Committee composed of at least three Board members. The Scholarship Committee will select 8 to 12 semi-finalists, and the final six will be selected after input by the school's counseling staff/Scholarship Committee.

Scholarship Consideration Will Be Based on Merit and Need

Some of these scholarships are merit based and some are need based. Completed applications should be turned in to Andre Law in House A.

ALL SENIORS ARE ENCOURAGED TO APPLY!

Application Deadline

Please turn in your application to Andre Law in House A no later than March 5, 2018.

**BEVERLY HILLS HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNI
ASSOCIATION
2018 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM**

*You may attach your answers typed and printed. Please turn in completed application to House A in the Scholarship Box by no later than **March 5, 2018**. Recipients will be announced on **May 30, 2018 Senior Awards Night**.*

Name: _____ Phone No. _____ School I.D. No. _____

Counselor's Name: _____

Address: _____

Father's Name: _____ Mother's Name: _____

Did either parent graduate from college? Yes ____ No ____

If so, please list the schools attended and degrees received:

Father: _____

Mother: _____

Did your parents and/or grandparents attend and/or graduate from BHHS? Yes ____ No ____

If yes, please identify the parent(s)/grandparents(s) that attended and/or graduated from BHHS and the year(s) of their attendance/graduation:

Do you live with one or both of your parents? One ____ Both ____ Other _____

If you live with someone other than one or both of your parents, please explain:

Did you file a FAFSA? Yes ____ No ____ Did you receive a Cal. Grant Yes ____ No ____

Based on the financial resources available to you and keeping in mind that financial need is not a prerequisite, explain how a scholarship award would help you attend the college of your choice:

Have you been employed while in high school? Yes ____ No ____
If so, please identify the position(s) held and hours per week

What college/university do you plan to attend? If you haven't heard back yet, please list your top choices.

Have you identified a specific area of study or career goal? If so, please explain:

Briefly describe your major activities other than academics, including extra-curricular activities, work, community service, hobbies, etc. (You are welcome to attach a resume if you have one.)

Please explain how your time as a student at Beverly Hills High School has most affected you or contributed to your personal growth:

Please attach a copy of your high school transcript, your personal statement, two letters of recommendation, and a photograph as set forth on the Information Sheet.