

Harvey Alumni Association

200 West Walnut Avenue Painesville, Ohio 44077

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Alumni Association Scholarship

Student Information Page

Establishing the Scholarship

The *Harvey Alumni Association Scholarship* was established for Harvey High graduates and is administered by the Harvey Alumni Association.

This scholarship was established with funds earned by the Harvey Alumni Association in its annual fund-raising efforts.

Purpose and Award Criteria

The scholarship is to provide financial support for a graduate of Harvey High School who meets the standards for admission to an accredited college, university, community college, or trade/technical school.

The graduate must demonstrate evidence of:

- 1) academic achievement (G.P.A minimum of 2.5)
- 2) involvement in school and community activities
- 3) employment/savings towards college education
- 4) writing a one page essay regarding the student's plans for a post-secondary program of studies. The essay should explain reasons for selecting the program, high school preparation for the program, work experience, reasons for selecting the school, and the student's career goals.
- 5) recommendation from a Harvey teacher/counselor/administrator and a community leader
- 6) financial need

Scholarship Details

- The number of scholarships given each year depends upon fundraising efforts in that particular year.
- The scholarship is not renewable.
- Scholarship applications will be made available to the school by February 1st.
- Scholarship applications must be submitted to the guidance office by April 1st.

Distribution of Scholarship Funds

The scholarship will be awarded by the Alumni Association prior to the beginning of the fall semester of the student's freshman year. The recipient of the scholarship is responsible to provide the Harvey Alumni Association a copy of his/her acceptance letter to the post-secondary education program and a copy of the fall schedule of classes before the scholarship is awarded. The scholarship check will be sent to the student. The documents should be sent to:

President
Harvey Alumni Association
200 West Walnut Avenue
Painesville, Ohio
44077

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200 West Walnut Avenue, Painesville Ohio 44077

Harvey Alumni Association Scholarship Application

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

PHONE NUMBER _____ EMAIL ADDRESS _____

FATHER'S NAME _____ LIVING? YES NO

STREET _____ CITY _____ ZIP _____

PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT _____

MOTHER'S NAME _____ LIVING? YES NO

STREET _____ CITY _____ ZIP _____

PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT _____

If you do not live with parent(s), explain below:

How many children in your family are older than you? _____

How many children in your family are younger than you? _____

How many family members are presently enrolled in a post-high school education program? _____

Name(s) of program(s) and institution(s) – provide a contact at the institution(s):

Use a separate sheet of paper if more space is needed. Your application will be evaluated on your responses in the following areas:

1) Academic achievement (G.P.A.). Attach a signed copy of your most recent transcript of grades.

3) Employment/savings towards your post-secondary education. List your employment history and how much you have saved towards your education. Also indicate your plans for employment during the summers, winter, and spring vacation periods during your post-secondary education years.

Employer _____ City _____ Year _____ Amount Saved \$ _____

Employer _____ City _____ Year _____ Amount Saved \$ _____

Employer _____ City _____ Year _____ Amount Saved \$ _____

Employer _____ City _____ Year _____ Amount Saved \$ _____

This Summer

Employer _____ City _____ Year _____ Amount Planned to Save \$ _____

Comments _____

4) Personal essay regarding selected degree program – use a separate piece of paper to write a one page essay regarding your plans for a post-secondary program of studies. The essay should explain reasons for selecting the program, high school preparation for the program, work experience, reasons for selecting the school, and your career goals.

5a) Harvey Teacher/Counselor/Administrator Recommendation:

Submit a page addressing the following topics that will be considered by the Harvey Alumni Association committee in determining who will receive this scholarship for the next academic year.

Topics to include in the recommendation:

- 1) Name of student and length of time you have known or had contact with the applicant**
- 2) Positive personal traits, e.g., integrity, motivation, leadership ability, special talent(s), enthusiasm, maturity**
- 3) Academic achievement and ability to perform at the post-secondary education level**

School Staff Signature _____ **Date** _____

Print Name _____ **Phone Number** _____

5b) Community Leader Recommendation:

Submit a page addressing the following topics that will be considered by the Harvey Alumni Association committee in determining who will receive this scholarship for the next academic year.

Topics to include in the recommendation:

- 1) Name of student and length time you have known or had contact with the applicant**
- 2) Positive personal traits, e.g., integrity, motivation, leadership ability, special talent(s), enthusiasm, maturity**
- 3) Academic achievement and ability to perform at the post-secondary education level**

Community Leader Signature _____ **Date** _____

Print Name _____ **Phone Number** _____

6) Financial Need

- **Parents' Adjusted Gross Income from most recent federal tax form** \$ _____
 - **Attach 1040 – pages 1-2 or 1040 EZ**
- **Your Adjusted Gross Income from most recent federal tax form** \$ _____
 - **Attach 1040 – pages 1-2 or 1040 EZ**
- **Total number of cars in your household?** _____

- **Estimated annual costs to attend the school/university of your choice:**

Tuition	\$ _____
Room & Board	\$ _____
Books and/or Supplies	\$ _____
Personal/Miscellaneous Expenses	\$ _____
Travel to/from academic institution	\$ _____
Annual car/fuel/other vehicle maintenance/repair	\$ _____
Total Cost	\$ _____

Name of Post-Secondary Program you plan to attend _____

Address _____ **Phone Number** _____

- **How do you plan to meet these expenses?**

Work Study		\$ _____
Grant(s) awarded		\$ _____
(List)		\$ _____
		\$ _____
		\$ _____
Scholarships awarded		\$ _____
(List)		\$ _____
		\$ _____
		\$ _____
Student Loans pending		\$ _____
(List)		\$ _____
		\$ _____
		\$ _____
Family's Contribution		\$ _____
Student's Contribution		\$ _____
Other		\$ _____
Total Contributions		\$ _____

- **If the total estimated cost is more than the total contributions, how will you fund the difference?** _____

- **List other grants and scholarships for which you have applied and the maximum award possible**

_____ \$ _____
_____ \$ _____
_____ \$ _____
_____ \$ _____
_____ \$ _____

- **Add any additional comments or information that you feel the scholarship committee should consider when reviewing your application for the scholarship:**

The recipient of the scholarship shall provide the Harvey Alumni Association a copy of his/her acceptance letter to the post-secondary program and a copy of the fall schedule of classes before the scholarship is awarded.

This information is truthful and accurate as verified by the signatures below.

APPLICANT _____ **PARENT/GUARDIAN** _____

DATE _____ **DATE** _____

THE HARVEY ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

The Harvey Alumni Endowment Fund was established in 1985. The Association:

- has presented over \$50,000.00 in scholarships to Harvey seniors going on to higher education.
- has donated \$7,000.00 to the elementary instrumental music program to help purchase “loaner” instruments for students who cannot afford to purchase or rent their own instruments
- has joined forces with the Riverside Alumni Association for fourteen years is sponsoring the annual Riv-Har Duck Race to raise funds for scholarships and alumni activities at each school.
- has inducted more than fifty alumni into the “Hall of Fame of Distinguished Graduates” which annually honors Harvey Alumni who have made special contributions through their accomplishments that reflect well on Harvey High School and our community:
- has donated, along with the Harvey Alumni Endowment Fund, funds to Thomas Harvey High School to sponsor the Red Raider Pride Program. The Positive Support Behavior System at Harvey is based on the use of reinforcing school pride, positive behaviors, effort, respect, character, etc.
- installed the Ronald C. Balogh Brick Walkway in front of the original Thomas W. Harvey High School which was then moved to the new Harvey High School
- donated \$7,000.00 to the elementary instrumental music program to help purchase “loaner” instruments for students who cannot afford to purchase or rent their own instruments.
- sponsored “Last Dance” in conjunction with the Harvey Alumni Association Endowment Fund. Over 700 alumni and guests celebrated their “Last Dance” at the original Thomas W. Harvey High School on Labor Day weekend in 2009.
- sponsored “First Dance” for Alumni and friends in the new Thomas W. Harvey High School on May 28, 2011.
- organized and maintains historical documents in the Alumni Archives room at Thomas W. Harvey High School.
- saved, repaired and installed the stones that were above the front doors of the original Harvey and the original cornerstone into a brick wall at the front right corner of the new Thomas W. Harvey High School - “As the Opportunity, So the Responsibility”, “Education is the Safeguard of Democracy”, and the 1922 cornerstone.
- has a web site at www.harveyalumni.com where information is shared with Harvey Alumni.