



Rev. Patrick F. Pindar Council #3962, Knights of Columbus

Scholarship Fund Application

The Rev. Patrick F. Pindar Council of the Knights of Columbus of Ramsey, NJ, is proud to announce the Scholarship Committee will again award scholarships (up to \$500 per award within the budget year 2018) to worthy candidates fulfilling the requirements provided. The Scholarship Committee may amend this amount pending availability of funds and approval by a majority of the council officers.

To be eligible to apply for this year's Scholarship candidates must meet the following requirements:

- Candidate must be a Catholic male or female.
- Candidate must be the child or grandchild or legal ward of a 3rd Degree Knight.
- Knight must be in good standing and considered active within the Council. If Knight is deceased, or has relocated, his last active year in the Council will be considered.

In addition, the candidates should exemplify the principals of our order which are Charity, Unity, Fraternity and Patriotism. The candidate should have a history of community service and be an active member of their church.

This scholarship is intended for post-secondary use with any accredited college, vocational school, technical school or secretarial school. Each candidate is eligible to receive only one scholarship but can apply multiple times if not awarded a scholarship in a previous year.

ALL APPLICATIONS MUST INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING:

1. An official school transcript
2. An acceptance letter from a post-secondary school
3. A one to two-page Personal Essay illustrating how the applicant's work and experience reflects the Knights of Columbus principals of Charity, Unity, Fraternity and Patriotism. The applicant should also show involvement in both community and Catholic Church activities.

ALL COMPLETED MATERIALS MUST EITHER BE DROPPED IN THE HALL MAIL SLOT OR POSTMARKED NO LATER THAN MONDAY, APRIL 30, 2018. IF MAILING, SEND TO:

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
REV. PATRICK F. PINDAR COUNCIL #3962
48 MECHANIC ST.
RAMSEY, NJ 07446
Attn: Scholarship Committee

If you have any scholarship related questions please email the Scholarship Committee at:
Scholarship@RamseyKofC.org



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APPLICATION FOR SCHOLARSHIP

The Knights of Columbus Scholarship application is for High School students only. Applicants are asked to provide academic grade transcripts indicating solid academic achievements as well as an acceptance letter from their intended post-secondary school. A personal essay is also required and the applicant is asked to describe his/her involvement in both community and Catholic Church activities and projects. In addition, the applicant should illustrate how their life’s work and experience can be associated with the Knights of Columbus principles of Charity, Unity, Fraternity and Patriotism.

This scholarship is for the 2018-2019 school year. The scholarship will not exceed \$500.00 per award and the actual award amount will be determined after all applications are received and evaluated.

Instructions:

1. Applicant must be a son, daughter, grandchild or legal ward of a 3rd Degree member in good standing of the Patrick Pindar Council # 3962. The 3rd degree member must be granted by April 30, 2018.
2. Applications are evaluated by an independent selection committee and awards will be announced by the end of the current academic year.
3. Please complete the application below and attach a copy of your current transcript, your post-secondary school acceptance letter, and personal essay as described above. Applications will not be considered if any of these documents are not submitted. There will be no exceptions to this requirement.

Name: _____
 First Middle Last

Street Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____ Email: _____

Phone: (_____) _____ Age: _____

Student’s High School: _____



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Applicant's Statement of Award Significance

Please provide a brief statement of what a Knights of Columbus scholarship would mean to you (If you need additional space you may attach your Statement of Award Significance along with your essay).

Name / Location of school to which the applicant has been accepted and is planning to attend in fall 2018

Knights of Columbus Council # 3962 Membership Information (3rd degree):

Name of Member _____ Relationship _____

FOR INTERNAL USE ONLY (DO NOT WRITE BELOW THIS LINE):

Council Certification of Qualifying Membership - Date of Review _____

Reviewed and approved: Financial Secretary Signature _____

Verification of Information Required by Applicant:

1. High School Transcript
2. Post-Secondary School Acceptance Letter
3. Personal Essay

Committee Review Date: _____

Committee member signature _____
(Signature is required to confirm application has been received and reviewed by committee)