



PAUL BERNOT MEMORIAL FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Application due date: June 15, 2019

Overview

1. **The award is a \$3,000 scholarship for one year**, (\$1500 per semester paid at the beginning of each semester, provided the student is in good academic standing at the beginning of the semester) payable directly to the institution where the student is enrolled for the Fall 2019 semester.
2. DEADLINE for scholarship applications is *June 15th, 2019*
3. Refer to application process below for a list of the supporting documents needed (i.e., reference forms, evidence of GPA, etc.) Incomplete applications will not be considered.
3. If any question does not apply to you in this application please put N/A in the space.
4. Type or print legibly. Illegible applications will be returned to you.
5. You will be notified by phone or mail in June regarding the status of your application.
6. If you have any questions about the application, contact us by email at foundation@paulbernot.org

Purpose

The Paul Bernet Memorial Foundation Scholarship was established in 2018. The mission of this foundation is to empower athletes, of any skill level, impacted by cancer to pursue their passions. One specific goal of the foundation is to establish and maintain a scholarship in Paul's honor. This scholarship will help to provide financial assistance to a student who is a legal resident of the United States of America, is pursuing post high school education, is passionate about sports, athletics, and/or physical fitness, and who is currently or has previously been diagnosed with/treated for cancer. More information about Paul and the Paul Bernet Memorial Foundation can be found at www.paulbernotfoundation.org.

Scholarship Award Evaluation

The Paul Bernet Memorial Foundation will award the scholarship(s) based on a complete review of all applicants' merits. Areas that are reviewed by the committee include, but are not limited to, the following: *Fully meeting all criteria, academic accomplishments, personal essay, community service/leadership, and reference letter. Scholarship funds are paid directly to the institution where the student is enrolled. Proof of current or prior diagnosis/treatment of cancer is required.*

Applicant Criteria

- Applicants must submit the Physician Verification form for proof of current or prior diagnosis/treatment of cancer. This form is to be completed by the Primary Care Physician or Oncologist.
- Applicants must be completing or have completed high school successfully with a minimum unweighted GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale.
- Applicants must be accepted and enrolled as a student in at least 2 classes (typically 6 credit hours) at an accredited college, university, or trade school in the United States for the Fall 2019 academic semester.
- Applicants must complete and submit a Scholarship Application postmarked by June 15, 2019.
- Applicants must complete an essay (up to 500 words) explaining "How I will represent and/or carry out the mission of the Foundation: to empower athletes impacted by cancer to pursue their passions."

*Please note, although you do not need to be a high school or college athlete to apply, the essay should help to paint a picture of the role that sports and/or physical fitness play in your life.

Timeline

- Applications are due **June 15, 2019 (postmarked or emailed)**.
- Applicants, if being awarded a scholarship, will be notified by June 30, 2019.

Application Checklist (Please be sure all of these have been included. Incomplete applications cannot be accepted)

- ✓ Completed application form
- ✓ Official high school transcript
- ✓ A maximum 500-word essay answering the above question
- ✓ Proof of enrollment at college, university, or trade school for Fall 2019 semester
- ✓ Physician Verification form for proof of cancer diagnosis (completed form by PCP or Oncologist)
- ✓ A sealed letter of reference written and signed by a coach, teacher, mentor, youth leader, etc.

Application Materials Submission

Via mail to: Paul Bernot Memorial Foundation Scholarship
4430 Tipperary Place
Winston-Salem, NC 27104

Or via email (scanned or electronic versions) to: foundation@paulbernot.org

Questions???

Please email the Paul Bernot Memorial Foundation at foundation@paulbernot.org



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Application 2019-must be filled out by the applicant (unless accommodations are necessary secondary to disability).

Please type or print your answers below. A separate sheet may be used if needed. If application is illegible, it will not be considered.			
1	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>Last Name:</td> <td>First Name:</td> </tr> </table>	Last Name:	First Name:
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2	Mailing Address: Street: _____ City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____		
3	Daytime Telephone Number: Email address: _____		
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5	I will be attending the following institution in the Fall of 2019: _____		
6	Grade Point Average (GPA): _____ (On a 4.0 scale) Attach proof of GPA; your most recent official school transcript is required.		
7	(*If under 18 years of age) Name & address of parent(s) or legal guardian(s): Use reverse side of application if you need more space. Name (s): _____ Street: _____ City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____ Primary phone # of parent(s) or legal guardian(s): _____		
8	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>What specialty/major do you plan to major in, or are you already majoring in, as you continue your education?</td> <td></td> </tr> </table>	What specialty/major do you plan to major in, or are you already majoring in, as you continue your education?	
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Please list the following information below or on a separate sheet if necessary.

10	SCHOOL-BASED EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES: Please list school-based extra-curricular activities in which you have participated. Note leadership roles and dates.
11	ORGANIZATIONS: Please list community organizations such as service, sports, volunteer, and/or religious organizations in which you are now active or have previously been active. Note leadership roles and dates.
12	RECOGNITIONS: Please list important awards and recognitions received. Note the organization(s) which presented the honor(s) and date(s).
13	GOALS: Briefly share your short and long-term life goals:

STATEMENT OF ACCURACY

I hereby affirm that all the above stated information provided by me to the Paul Bernot Memorial Foundation is true, correct and without forgery.

I hereby understand that if chosen as a scholarship winner, I must provide evidence of enrollment/registration at the post-secondary institution of my choice before scholarship funds can be awarded.

Signature of scholarship applicant: _____ Date: _____

The deadline for this application must be postmarked or emailed by June 15, 2019