

Dear CBHS Scholarship Applicant:

The following scholarships are administered through the Cut Bank Education Foundation and Alumni Association (CBEFAA). Please check those scholarships for which you would like to be considered on the attached checklist. In order to be considered for these scholarships, the applicant must attach the following items to the checklist.

1. An essay by the applicant explaining their future plans and how this award will help realize these plans. (300 – 400 words)
2. A resume of the applicant's school activities, community activities and employment during high school. Please include your name, address (both snail and e-mail), phone number so we can contact the applicant if necessary.
3. A letter from the applicant's parents/guardians explaining the financial need of the student. (This can be as general or specific as you choose it to be.)
4. A copy of the applicant's Cut Bank High School transcript **through 7th semester**. (Applicant is responsible, not the Counseling Center personnel, for including this document in their application packet.)
5. Two recommendation forms from **CBHS classroom** teachers who have taught the student. At least one of these forms must be from a teacher of a **core** requirement course. This does not include coaches, aides or School-To-Work employers unless they actually taught the applicant in a classroom setting during high school. Recommendations written by a relative of the applicant will not be considered. (These forms are on the website and can be printed to provide to the teachers.)
6. One letter of recommendation from a community or business member. Recommendations written by a relative of the applicant will not be considered.
7. Complete the "Influential Teacher" form and essay (200 words or less). See attached form.
8. Those students applying for the Community Service Scholarships need to check the attached information sheet for the additional items that must be submitted to be considered for this scholarship.

The deadline for this application is 3:45 p.m. February 26, 2010. **No late applications will be accepted.** All applications must be turned into the counseling office at this time. Please review for completeness before turning the application in. **Incomplete applications will not be considered!**

The CBEFAA reserves the right to withdraw a scholarship award if the recipient no longer meets the criteria established for that award, (i.e., receipt of a full scholarship from another source and financial need was one of the criteria used for the CBEFAA awarded scholarship) or not award a scholarship if no applicant meets the established required criteria. Any scholarship not issued will be returned to the appropriate scholarship fund for issuance in future years.

Additional scholarships may be added to this list and all applicants will be considered for these additional scholarships if they qualify. Scholarships listed may be withdrawn prior to selection by the donor of the scholarship.

Any questions should be directed to Kimberley Butterworth, CBEFAA Executive Director at 873-2229 or email her at info@cutbankalumni.com.

Name of Applicant: _____

College You Plan On Attending: _____

Intended Major: _____

Please consider me for the scholarships checked.

_____ **CBEFAA Senior Scholarship** **\$500.00**
Eligibility - CBHS graduating senior in good standing who will enroll in an accredited post-secondary institution. (This scholarship payment will be split in half between the first and second semester of the freshman year.)

_____ **Lillian Larson Memorial Scholarship** **\$500.00**
Eligibility - CBHS graduating senior in good standing who will enroll in an accredited post-secondary institution. (This scholarship payment will be split in half between the first and second semester of the freshman year.)

_____ **Danny Nanini Memorial Scholarship** **\$300.00**
Eligibility - CBHS graduating senior who will enroll in a vocational/trade school. Preference given to 4-H members.

_____ **Catherine M. Brown Memorial Scholarship** **\$500.00**
Eligibility - CBHS graduating senior in good standing who will enroll in an accredited post-secondary institution. Applicant must be entering a medically related field of study.

_____ **Coleen Tweedy MacMasters Memorial Scholarship** **\$400.00**
Eligibility - CBHS graduating female senior in good standing who will enroll in an accredited post-secondary institution. Preference given to applicant majoring in business and who will attend University of Montana or another in-state school. (This scholarship payment will be split in half between the first and second semester of the freshman year.)

Ray and Gertrude Peterson Scholarship **\$1,000.00 (2)**
Eligibility - CBHS graduating senior in good standing who will enroll in an accredited college or university. (This scholarship payment will be split in half between the first and second semester of the freshman year.)

Somont Scholarship **\$500.00**
Eligibility - CBHS graduating senior in good standing (at least a 2.00 GPA) who will enroll in an accredited post-secondary institution as a full time student. Preference given based on financial need. Will be issued after student completes first semester of college with a 2.5 GPA or better.

The Miller Family Foundation Scholarship **\$500.00 (2)**
Eligibility - CBHS graduating senior in good standing who will enroll in an accredited post-secondary institution as a full time student. Preference given based on financial need and grades. (This scholarship payment will be split in half between the first and second semester of the freshman year.)

H. C. Davis Memorial Scholarship **\$500.00**
Eligibility - CBHS graduating senior in good standing who will enroll in an accredited post-secondary institution. Applicant must be entering field of education. (This scholarship payment will be split in half between the first and second semester of the freshman year.)

Eugene and Susan Boyles Scholarship **\$500.00 (2)**
Eligibility - CBHS graduating senior in good standing who will enroll in an accredited post-secondary institution as a full time student. Preference given based on financial need. Will be issued after student completes first year of college.

Elma and David Epstein Memorial Scholarship **\$500.00**
Eligibility – CBHS graduating senior in good standing who will enroll in an accredited post-secondary institution. Applicant must be entering the field of education. (Award of this scholarship will be dependent upon the quality of applications received and if awarded, may be in an amount greater than advertised.) (This scholarship payment will be split in half between the first and second semester of the freshman year.)

Patrick and Toni Montalban Family Scholarship **\$ 500.00**

Eligibility - CBHS graduating senior in good standing who will enroll in an accredited post-secondary institution (including vo-tech, business, college, university). Applicant must be a deserving recipient. Scholastic achievement, character, and leadership will be considered. . (This scholarship payment will be split in half between the first and second semester of the freshman year.)

Vernon and Eileen Babb Memorial Scholarship **\$1,000.00**

Eligibility – CBHS graduating senior in good standing who will enroll in an accredited post-secondary institution as a fulltime student. Preference given based on financial need and academic potential. (This scholarship payment will be split in half between the first and second semester of the freshman year.)

The R. Paul Kleinsmith Memorial Community Service Scholarship
\$1,000.00

Eligibility - CBHS graduating senior in good standing who will enroll in an accredited U.S. college or university. Applicants must have completed at least **100 hours** of service to their community from February 25, 2008 thru February 25, 2009. (See attached information sheet for complete details.)

The Ray Maier Memorial Community Service Scholarship
\$1,000.00

Eligibility - CBHS graduating senior in good standing who will enroll in an accredited U.S. college or university. Applicants must have completed at least **100 hours** of service to their community from February 25, 2008 thru February 25, 2009. (See attached information sheet for complete details.)

Julie Kimmet LaVerdure Memorial Scholarship **\$300.00**

Eligibility - CBHS graduating senior in good standing who will enroll in an accredited post-secondary institution. Applicant must be entering field of education. (This scholarship payment will be split in half between the first and second semester of the freshman year.)

_____ **Competition Wireline Services Scholarship** **\$500.00**

Eligibility - CBHS graduating senior in good standing who will enroll in An accredited post-secondary institution. (This scholarship payment will be split in half between the first and second semester of the freshman year.)

_____ **Mary Catherine Burke Memorial Scholarship** **up to \$14,000.00**

Eligibility - CBHS graduating senior in good standing who will enroll at Carroll College as a full time student in the fall of 2010. Student must have already applied and been accepted to attend Carroll College to be considered for this scholarship. The recommended allocation of the scholarship is for \$2,000 to be awarded for the freshman year, \$3,000 for the sophomore year, \$4,000 for the junior year and \$5,000 for the senior year. This allocation may be adjusted on a pro rata basis to comply with the investment spending policy for this scholarship. This scholarship award will be based on scholastic achievement and on demonstrated financial need. Applicants must have FAFSA on file with the Carroll College Financial Aid Office.

Community Service Scholarships

Two students from Cut Bank High School's Class of 2010 may be selected to receive a \$1,000 scholarship for outstanding service to their community. The recipients will receive either \$1,000 given in memory of Mr. Ray Maier, a former teacher at CBHS or \$1,000 given in memory of CBHS alumnus R. Paul Kleinsmith, Class Of '43.

Eligibility –

CBHS graduating senior in good standing, who has **volunteered** at least 100 hours of service between February 25, 2009 and February 25, 2010. No minimum grade point average is required. Applicant must plan to enroll in an accredited U.S. college or university.

What Types of Service Qualify –

The Community Service Scholarships are intended to reward and encourage activities that have a significant impact in meeting the needs of our local community. Types of service include:

- service with community or religious organizations
- service through school or community based service-learning projects; or
- individual efforts to help others and improve the local community.

Fund raising, lobbying, proselytizing, and paid or stipend service do not qualify for these awards. Court ordered community service does not qualify. Those activities for which the student received a grade and/or credit toward high school graduation (i.e., School-To-Work, Live Wire, yearbook, TA, etc.) do not qualify.

What to Submit in Order to be Considered –

In addition to the items listed on the first page of this packet, all applicants for this scholarship must submit verification of all service claimed, signed off by an appropriate official of the organization for whom the service was performed. All time claimed by applicant must be accounted for. Please provide phone numbers of officials verifying service. See Ms. Butterworth for further clarification if needed.

Deadline –

This should be submitted as part of the consolidated scholarship application form of the CBEFAA on February 26, 2010 no later than 3:45 p.m. in the Counseling Office at CBHS. **No late applications will be accepted.** Please review for completeness before turning the application in. **Incomplete applications will not be considered.**

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Name of Applicant: _____

The CBEFAA would like to know which teacher in the Cut Bank Public School District; grades K-12 had the greatest impact on your education and life. Only one teacher can be named.

Name of Teacher –

Grade Taught - _____

Subject Area (if applicable) - _____

In what ways did this teacher impact your education and life? (Please provide concise and thoughtful comments, no more than 200 words in length. These comments may be used in an article/publication in the future.)