

Central High School Band Booster Association
Jerrell Barnes Memorial Scholarship 2009-2010
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Please note: Applicants may apply for both the Jerrell Barnes Memorial Scholarship and the Senior Scholarship, but no one applicant may receive both scholarships.

In the event of a tie in scholarship scoring, the Committee Chairperson's ranking will determine the recipient of that particular scholarship.

This packet contains information and instructions about one (1), one thousand, five hundred dollar (\$1,500.00) scholarship the CHS Band Booster Association plans to award to one senior from the class of 2010. Please read over this information.

If you have any questions, do not hesitate to ask one of the Keller Central High School Band Directors. If he cannot answer the questions, he will refer you to a member of the scholarship committee.

If you decide to compete for the scholarship, you must complete the attached forms and provide the necessary information as well as the required essay. We encourage each of you to seriously consider applying for this scholarship. You are not required to major in music to qualify for the scholarship.

Please note that the scholarship payment must be made directly to the institution the student is attending.

Jerrell Barnes Memorial Scholarship Mission Statement

Jerrell Barnes was a man who loved to see students get involved in the band program, their school, church, and community. He was always so very pleased when students participated. The success of that participation, while important, was never the overriding indicator of success. This award is for the student that may or may not have been the best musician or Color Guard participant but always showed enthusiasm and an attitude in all of their endeavors that positively affected those around them.

The Jerrell Barnes Memorial Scholarship recipient will have best exemplified the highest quality of character, honor, and service in the KCHS band program, school, and community. The recipient's involvement will leave a lasting positive impression on the band program for years to come.

Jerrell Barnes Memorial Scholarship Requirements

The application process requires that you complete the following:

- 1.) Application Form
- 2.) Three letters of recommendation from a teacher or school administration exclusive of a Band Director. Two letters may be the identical letters from the Senior Scholarship program requirements. A third letter of recommendation must be from someone not associated with KCHS Band Program, Central High School, or the School District.

Examples include, but are not limited to, private lesson teachers, clergy, work supervisors, and volunteer program leaders.

- 3.) History of Total Participation Form – verified by the Band Director – Must have participated in Marching Band and Concert season each of their four years in high school. In the case of Color Guard, the applicant must have participated in both Marching Band Color Guard and Winter Guard each of their four years of high school. The only exception would be for those students graduating mid-year. **Student must have been in good standing and have no more than one period of ineligibility during their 4 years of High School.** Transfer students would have to provide the same information from their prior band director.
- 4.) A list of leadership and volunteer roles (including program(s) participated in, phone number/e-mail and a point of contact for out of school activities) the participant has been involved in during their four years in high school. (ie. the KCHS Band Program, Central High School, their church, their community, Scouting, etc.)
- 5.) An essay on how Color Guard or Band participation has positively affected the applicant's life in the past four years and what they will take from the experience that will positively affect their future. This essay **MUST** be different than essay submitted for the Senior Scholarship and be a minimum of 250 words.

Turn in all information to the band office no later than 5 p.m. Wednesday, March 31, 2010.

The Band Boosters appreciate your interest and hard work. We are very proud of all of our seniors for your commitment and contributions to the KCHS band program.

Good Luck!

The Jerrell Barnes Memorial Scholarship Committee

Student Name

Band Director Signature

**Central High School Band Booster Association
Jerrell Barnes Memorial Scholarship Application
2009-2010**

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail address: _____

Parent/Guardian's Names:

College Attending: _____

Number of full years in Keller Central High School Band program: _____

****Scholarship closes 5pm Wednesday, March 31, 2010**

*****Turn in all packet information forms to the Band Hall Office in a sealed envelope.**

To be completed by scholarship committee:

- _____ Essay
- _____ 3 recommendation letters
- _____ History of Total Participation form with director signature
- _____ List of leadership and volunteer roles with contacts

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History of Total Band Participation

I have been a participant and completed the following:

9th Grade

- Marching Band (includes colorguard) Winterguard
- Section Leader/Drum Major Region Try-outs
- All District All Region Area All State Concert Band
- Symphonic Band Wind Ensemble Jazz Band Solo
- Medal solo/ensemble District Solo Band Award _____
- Other Related Activities _____

10th Grade

- Marching Band (includes colorguard) Winterguard
- Section Leader/Drum Major Region Try-outs
- All District All Region Area All State Concert Band
- Symphonic Band Wind Ensemble Jazz Band Solo
- Medal solo/ensemble District Solo Band Award _____
- Other Related Activities _____

11th Grade

- Marching Band (includes colorguard) Winterguard
- Section Leader/Drum Major Region Try-outs
- All District All Region Area All State Concert Band
- Symphonic Band Wind Ensemble Jazz Band Solo
- Medal solo/ensemble District Solo Band Award _____
- Other Related Activities _____

12th Grade

- Marching Band (includes colorguard) Winterguard
- Section Leader/Drum Major Region Try-outs
- All District All Region Area All State Concert Band
- Symphonic Band Wind Ensemble Jazz Band Solo _____
- Medal solo/ensemble District Solo Band Award
- Other Related Activities _____

Student Name

Band Director Signature