

Greetings,

My name is Jason Duran and I am the Youth Service Chairperson for the Rotary Club of Killeen Heights (RCKH). Our club has a long history of providing scholarships to deserving students in the Killeen Harker Heights area. This year we intend to award three scholarships to graduating seniors and I am hoping you will assist us by sharing this opportunity with your students and encouraging them to apply. I know we are communicating and educating differently these days, but we still want to get these scholarships out to deserving students. Below is the link to our scholarship application and beneath the link you will find information about the scholarships available and the application process. Please let me know if you have any questions or need my assistance. Thank you in advance for your assistance spreading the word and most of all, thank you for serving our children!

Online Scholarship Application: <https://forms.gle/mtv9EvvVhejoprEp8>

Available Scholarships: Jerry Johnson (\$2500), Dan Bray (\$1500), and Stan Passman – Overcoming Challenges (\$1000).

Scholarship Criteria: Awards for scholarships will be based on a combination of grades, references, activities and overall potential for success in a college/or higher level educational environment.

Jerry Johnson: Primary emphasis is not grades, but rather second tier students who have a chance to succeed when he/she might not qualify for some of the other scholarships that are based on academics or athletics.

Dan Bray: Primary emphasis is community service and academic achievement, which indicates the student will be successful in a college/higher level educational environment and continue to give back to their community. Students who do not include community service activities will not be included in this award.

Stan Passman - Overcoming Challenges: The recipient should be a Pathways student or have overcome significant obstacles to complete their education. Applicants for this scholarship should be well-rounded students with a heart for service. Students should demonstrate their ability to succeed in academia while taking part in extracurricular activities and community service.

Application Process: Once you have completed the online application, you MUST scan and email the following documentation to rckhscholarship@gmail.com in order to complete your application:

- Copy of high school transcript including class standing
- ACT/SAT scores, If available

- List of personal awards, honors, recognition, and leadership positions achieved while in high school
- List of other scholarships received
- List of community service or volunteer activities participated in while in high school
- College, university, or trade school letter of acceptance
- Three letters of recommendation addressing your leadership and/or community service contributions
- In 500 words or less, please answer this question in the form of a personal essay:
Jerry Johnson and Dan Bray Applicants - "Who or what helped you identify and develop your talents and how will you use these talents to help other people?" Stan Passman Applicants - "What challenges have you overcome to continue your education and how have those challenges shaped you as a person?" Note: Applicants are expected to produce an original essay using a computer and word processing program. Format is 1" margins, single-spaced, font size 12, and style Times New Roman

NOTE: ALL documentation must be received no later than 5:00 PM on Friday, 24 April 2020. Applications or documentation received after this deadline will not be considered. You will receive email confirmation once all supporting documentation is received by the RCKH.