

Paul “Scotty” McDougall Memorial Scholarship

Wilmington Youth Lacrosse Association
Wilmington MA 01887

Scholarship Application Procedure

Wilmington Youth Lacrosse Association (WYLA) will be offering scholarships for two graduating High School Seniors who are planning to continue their education at an accredited college or university in the fall of 2011. One boy's and one girl's scholarship of \$1000 each will be awarded.

The attached application should be completed, including attachments, and returned to the WYLA by the application deadline.

All applications must be returned to the WYLA by May 30, 2011

Awards will be made on the basis of merit, academic performance, school and/or community service.

Applicants who do not meet the eligibility requirements, late, or incomplete applications will be rejected.

All decisions of the WYLA Scholarship Selection Committee are final.

Eligibility Criteria

All applicants must be:

1. A high school graduate of the class of 2011
2. Accepted to an accredited two or four year college or university.
3. Have played one full year in the Wilmington Youth Lacrosse Association's youth program in good standing.
4. A resident of Wilmington, MA

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Complete the attached scholarship application. Please **type** or **print** in ink all requested information. Securely attach the following to the application:

Required:

- A copy of the applicant's official high school transcript
- A copy of your college acceptance letter
- A letter to the WYLA describing:
 - any extracurricular and or community service, including major accomplishments and/or leadership positions
 - the reasons why you feel you are qualified for the scholarship, including specific references to your educational goals
 - How both sportsmanship and lacrosse has played an important part in your life
- Two (2) letters of recommendation from a non family member

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Winner Selection

A scholarship committee, chaired by a non-voting board member, as voted by the board, consisting of a minimum of 3 people, will review and rank each application using the Scholarship Application Evaluation sheet.

- The Winners will be awarded in the order of the highest cumulative ranking. Awards will be presented by the Board.
- Presentation of awards will be conducted during a WYLA event such as the year end cookout, or another as deemed appropriate by the board.

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Scholarship Application

Applicant Name _____
(Last) (First) (Initial)

Address _____
No. Street
_____ City State ZIP

Telephone _____

Email _____

High School _____

Prospective Institution _____

Securely attach the following:

Required:

A copy of your official high school transcript

A copy of your college acceptance letter

A letter to the WYLA Scholarship Committee describing

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Two (2) letters of recommendation from a non family member

I understand and agree to the following:

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Applicant's Signature _____ Date _____

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Scholarship Application Evaluation

Applicant Name _____

Scholastic Achievement:

Grade Point Average:

2.0 - 2.99 ----- 1 point
3.0 - 3.49 ----- 3 points
3.5 - 4.00 ----- 5 points

Score _____

Letters of Recommendation:

Letter One ----- 1 to 5 points Score _____

Letter Two ----- 1 to 5 points Score _____ Score _____

Applicant's Letter:

Written Presentation -----1 to 25 points Score _____

Scholarship Qualification ----- 1 to10 points Score _____

Community / School Service -----1 to10 points Score _____

Church Activities / Service ----- 1 to10 points Score _____

Score _____

Total Score (max. 70 points) _____