

BARNESVILLE HIGH SCHOOL



2020 LORI WITCHEY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP PACKET

THE LORI WITCHEY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

On August 17th, 2017 we lost a woman who touched the lives of many. She was a wife, mother, educator, but most importantly, a loving friend. Mrs. Witchey gave Barnesville Middle School 31 years of service and had many positive impacts on thousands of students. The most positive message Mrs. Witchey told her students was to “pay it forward.” The friends and family of Mrs. Witchey want to pay it forward to a Barnesville High School senior student who is looking to further their education at a higher level. The friends and family will be paying it forward by offering this memorial scholarship. Those wanting to apply for this scholarship will be required to respond to one of the given topics in an essay format. The judges will consist of an immediate family member and close faculty friends of Mrs. Witchey. The recipient of the scholarship will be announced and presented with a check and certificate at a designated time and place.

Eligibility:

This scholarship is open to any Barnesville High School senior who will be furthering their education at a higher level. You must have maintained a 3.0 or above GPA throughout high school to be eligible for this scholarship.

Requirements: (These may all be submitted at the same time)

- Submit this scholarship packet (NO LATER THAN MARCH 20TH.)
- Attach an essay (500-word minimum but not to exceed 1500 words) about the topic provided. Must be typed and double spaced.
- Copy of your most recent high school transcripts.
- One letter of recommendation. (Academic or personal)



OFFICIAL APPLICATION

Please **type** or **print** your information.

Applicant Name

LAST NAME

FIRST NAME

Mailing Address

STREET:

CITY:

STATE:

ZIP:

Daytime Telephone Number

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Date of Birth

MONTH:

DAY:

YEAR:

Current High School

NAME OF HIGH SCHOOL(S)

NUMBER OF
YEARS ATTENDED

Further Education

I PLAN ON ATTENDING THE FOLLOWING SCHOOL IN THE FALL OF 2020:

Personal Story

In the space below share your favorite memory of Mrs. Withey:

2020 SCHOLARSHIP ESSAY TOPICS

Please respond to only **ONE** of the essay prompts provided below, make your selection by circling the prompt you choose to write about.

- A. Adversity is something that we all face in everyday life. What life experiences have shaped who you are today and what challenges have you overcome in achieving your education (i.e. financial, personal, medical, etc.)? How do you plan to make a positive impact in the world given the adversity you have faced?
- B. What do you plan to do to bring the change you wish to see in this world?
- C. Describe the person you admire most in this world and how they have helped you get to this point. What qualities of that person do you also see in yourself? What qualities does this person have that you plan to adopt to be successful in the future?

Checklist

Lori Witchey Scholarship Packet (Pages 1-5)

One letter of recommendation

Copy of your official high school transcripts

Essay

*Submit everything all together at once

*Essay will be disqualified if all of the above requirements are not met.