

JIM HARSZLAK FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP 2019

This is our seventh year of giving scholarships in Jim's memory. The Foundation has given scholarships to Jim's alma mater Tonawanda High School, Bethesda Youth group and North Tonawanda High School.(Need to submit common application)

Jim Harszlak was a 1974 Graduate of Tonawanda High School and died of 4th Stage Colon Cancer on September 12, 2012. To continue his legacy of giving back the Jim Harszlak Foundation was formed. Jim was a man with little financial means, but helped out people with cancer, people with financial struggles and any cause to help children. Jim also helped others with his words and loved to write poems. He wrote a wedding poem to his wife and prior to his death his niece and her friend put this to music so he could give his wife the song, "For Sue".

Jim loved music and in his high school days, was a follower of the Grateful Dead and local bands in the area. The love for music continued in his adulthood to going to Jazz concerts, all the local free shows, and loved Christian music and went to Kingdom Bound.

We are gearing our scholarship to students involved in the arts: Music, Band, Art, and Theatre as well as a student who gives back to the community.. Please include a poem, song, or prayer with your application to be considered for a scholarship.

To get more information on Jim and to see his poem that he wrote visit the foundation's website Memorial Page at www.jimharszlakfoundation.com-

All seniors planning to attend college or trade school in the Fall are asked to fill out a very short, two page application(you can type answers and attach to application) and submit to us before April 1, 2019 ALL regardless of class standing will be considered for selection and a possible interview with the foundation board

If you have any questions please email: Susan Holler-Harszlak at suem47@hotmail.com

Please consider applying, you may be just the person we are looking for.

Please complete by Monday, April 1, 2019 email to
harzfest@hotmail.com ,
give to THS Guidance Department or mail to
Jim Harszlak Foundation
2452 Colvin Blvd, Tonawanda, NY 14150

**STUDENT APPLICATION
JIM HARSZLAK FOUNDATION
SCHOLARSHIP**

Name _____ Telephone _____
 Last First MI

Address _____

Date of Birth _____

High School Attending: _____

List colleges/trade schools applied for in order of preference.

<u>College</u>	<u>Major</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Father's name and Occupation _____

Mother's name and Occupation _____

You live with Both Parents ___ Mother only ___ Father Only___

Number of siblings in your household by age's _____

Number attending college in the fall including yourself _____

Expected amount of loans you will need to borrow for first year of college \$ _____

WORK EXPERIENCE? Where, when and what did you do?

Current _____

Previous _____

COMMUNITY/CHURCH INVOLVEMENT? WHERE? /WHEN? OR WHAT DID YOU DO?

EXTRA-CURRICULAR/ SCHOOL ACTIVITIES/AWARDS RECEIVED SCHOOL OR COMMUNITY?

WHAT ARE YOUR LONG TERM GOALS/ASPIRATIONS? WHERE DO YOU SEE YOURSELF AFTER GRADUATION FROM COLLEGE?

TELL US HOW YOU GIVE BACK TO THE COMMUNITY OR A RANDOM ACT OF KINDNESS THAT YOU DID. (SHORT ANSWER, PLEASE TYPE OR WRITE NEATLY).

Please attach your original poem, song or prayer .

Student Signature
