

## Saint Gertrude 2017-2018 Booster Scholarship Guidelines

The Saint Gertrude Athletic Boosters are pleased to announce that we will again award two \$1,000.00 scholarships. The scholarships will be awarded to one male and one female athlete who has participated in a St Gertrude sponsored sport and will be attending a catholic high school in the fall of 2018. The scholarship is based upon an essay relating to your experiences in Saint Gertrude athletics.

If you are interested in competing for this scholarship, there are three criteria you must meet

- 1) Your family must be St Gertrude Parishioners and you, the student, must be actively enrolled in St Gertrude School, St Gertrude CCD, or home school. Must be attending a catholic high school in the fall of the upcoming school year.
- 2) You must write an essay which answers the following topic:
  - a. *What is the most significant value I learned through participation in athletics at Saint Gertrude and why?*
- 3) You must supply 2 letters of recommendation from any two of your coaches throughout your athletic career, at least one coach must be a St Gertrude coach. Please ask your coaches to fill out the attached form.
  - a. If one or both of your parents were your coach they are NOT eligible to write a recommendation for you.
  - b. One recommendation may be from a non-St Gertrude team coach.

The essay must be 500 words or less and must be typed.

The essay and letters of recommendation must be submitted to Mrs. Nolte or Mrs. Trautmann no later than Friday, May 4, 2018 at 3:00pm.

Mrs. Trautmann will assign each essay and their correlating recommendations a number. Please do not put your name on the essay or include any reference throughout your essay that would possibly identify who you are.

The evaluators that will be judging the essays are the pastor, principal, and booster spiritual liaison.

If the 3 evaluators determine a 4<sup>th</sup> person is needed then the Booster Executive Committee will select a 4<sup>th</sup> evaluator.

The scholarship winners will be announced at the 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Awards Program, scheduled for May 21, 2018.

Thank you and Good luck!  
Marc Gerwel  
St Gertrude Booster President

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