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Scholarship deadline for submission is Friday, March 12, 2021, by 5pm.

To apply for a scholarship with the Bartlesville Community Foundation, please:

- Complete the BCF Scholarship Application Form accompanying each scholarship
- Provide any scholarship-specific addendums to the application form
- Include a copy of your submitted FAFSA application
 - FAFSA means **full FAFSA** with **all** pages. This is not just the cover letter stating whether or not you are eligible for financial aid but the full 10 page report.
- Submit current transcript **with** ACT scores
 - If your transcript does not include your most recent ACT scores, please attach them separately
- Please follow submission guidelines:
 - No staples
 - Printed single sided if possible
 - Do not fold application documents
 - Please submit individual applications and scholarship-specific addendums attached in separate envelopes or folders, paperclipped or binder clipped
 - For example, if applying for multiple scholarships, put each scholarship and specific addendums in the same envelope/folder and the second in another envelope/folder.
 - Do not provide attachments that are not requested by the scholarship
 - For example, if applying for a scholarship that DOES NOT request a resume DO NOT include a resume. It will not be reviewed.

Where applicable, "service to school" is defined as involvement in school activities, such as clubs, service organizations, school government, pep squad, athletics, etc.

Applications should be mailed, delivered or dropped in lock box at:

Bartlesville Community Foundation, Attn: Scholarships

208 E 4th St., Bartlesville, OK 74003

Applications must be completed by the student.

Scholarship recipients will be required to complete and return a scholarship acceptance form providing necessary information about their school of choice prior to grants being paid.

Award recipients will either be recognized at their high school awards assembly or be notified directly by Bartlesville Community Foundation no later than May 31st of that application year.

Please direct any questions to Bartlesville Community Foundation at 918-337-2287



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Lou Skurcenski Memorial Scholarship

The family and friends of Louis Skurcenski created this scholarship in his memory in 2006. Lou was employed for 34 years as an analytical chemist for Phillips Petroleum Company. A former college athlete and member of the Phillips 66ers Basketball Team (which dominated amateur basketball for 40 years), Lou was a tireless supporter of youth sports in Bartlesville and spent countless hours as a coach, mentor, volunteer, and fan. He also enjoyed tutoring and encouraging students in the pursuit of science and business.

After a 12-year battle with cancer, Lou's life was cut far too short. Remembered for his dry sense of humor, encouraging spirit and optimistic outlook in all situations, this award is presented each year to a college-bound senior who is a student-athlete, and who embodies the qualities of a natural leader--integrity, good sportsmanship and a positive attitude--which made Lou a beloved part of many lives.

Amount Available: Up to \$4,000 payable as 25 percent per semester for the first two years as long as a 2.5 or higher college grade point average is maintained. You may be invited to reapply for scholarship dollars for the second two years.

Eligibility Criteria: Unless a college student invited to reapply, the applicant must be a Bartlesville High School graduating senior and a participant in high school athletics. Applicants will be judged on scholastic achievement, financial need, community involvement, sportsmanlike conduct and leadership, service to school, service to the community, and congeniality with students staff and faculty. The applicant must have achieved a 3.0 grade average based on the four-point scale.

Letters of Recommendation: Please submit **two** letters of recommendation with your application. Letters must be submitted by the student with the scholarship application before the scholarship deadline. Each letter is to be in a sealed envelope with the seal signed by the author.

- One letter must be from the applicant's school counselor
- The second letter can be from any unrelated community member, teacher, mentor, etc. of the student's choice.



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Required Addendum:

Two 200-500 word essays. Please write a response to the following question;

- *What are your post college goals and how will a college education help you achieve those goals?*

- Please also respond to **one** of the following essay topics.
 1. *A positive influence in your life that helped you to succeed.*
 2. *A recent obstacle you overcame and how you handled it.*
 3. *How your college experience has changed you. (Only answer this question if you have been invited to reapply for the scholarship)*



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SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

SCHOLARSHIP NAME: Lou Skurcenski Memorial Scholarship

STUDENT NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____
Street/mailling address City State Zip

HOME PHONE: _____ CELL PHONE: _____

DATE OF BIRTH: _____ EMAIL: _____

GENDER (if applicable to scholarship criteria): _____ Female _____ Male

ETHNICITY (if applicable to scholarship criteria): ___Asian ___ Black ___ Hispanic ___ Native American ___ Pacific Islander ___ White

NAME OF HIGH SCHOOL: _____ GPA: _____

PLEASE ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS ON THIS APPLICATION FORM. ANSWERS MAY BE TYPED OR LEGIBLY HANDWRITTEN. IF YOU MUST EXTEND YOUR ANSWERS PAST THE GIVEN SPACE, PLEASE CONTINUE YOUR ANSWER ON A SEPARATE PIECE OF PAPER IN THE SAME FORMAT AS GIVEN IN THE APPLICATION. NO RESUMES OR OTHER LAYOUTS MAY BE USED TO ANSWER THE APPLICATION QUESTIONS. THANK YOU.



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PLEASE LIST AWARDS, HONORS, SCHOOL CLUBS (including office served, if applicable), & EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES:

PLEASE PROVIDE YOUR EMPLOYMENT HISTORY:

WHAT ARE YOUR COLLEGE PLANS? _____



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ARE YOU RELATED TO BARTLESVILLE COMMUNITY FOUNDATION STAFF, BOARD OR COMMITTEE MEMBER? Yes No

If yes, what is the relationship? _____

Signature of student applicant

Date

By signing, you acknowledge that all information is true and correct, to the best of your knowledge, and that you, the student, completed the application and any required addendum/essay. The applicant should understand that the intent of collecting and maintaining this data on individuals is for determining eligibility of the applicant, specifically, term grades and transcripts by Bartlesville Community Foundation and the Scholarship committee.