

# 2017

Due to CHS Counselor on or before: April 20, 2017



## Chelsea Alumni Association Jennie May Bard Scholarship Application

Each year the Chelsea Alumni Association awards four \$1000 college scholarships to new CHS graduates. This is a one-time scholarship award payable to the college of your choice. Scholarship funding is made possible by the generous donations of the members of the Chelsea Alumni Association in honor of Jennie May Bard, a Chelsea Alum and life-long resident who oversaw the Association for many years.

**Eligibility-** Eligibility is limited to a current-year high school senior who is graduating from Chelsea High School. **SCHOLARSHIP APPLICANTS MUST BE PRESENT AT THE ANNUAL CHELSEA ALUMNI ASSOCIATION BANQUET FOR THE ANNOUNCEMENT OF RECIPIENTS ON MAY 27<sup>th</sup>, 2017 IN ORDER TO RECEIVE AWARD. Scholarship winners who are not in attendance at the banquet will not receive the scholarship. Scholarship must be used within one (1) academic year from date of announcement. Unawarded and expired scholarships will remain in the CAA-JMB Scholarship Fund to be awarded to future applicants. Applications must be received by the Chelsea High School Counselor on or by April 20, 2017.**

**Award Criteria-** Applications will be evaluated based on a 100-point scale. The following criteria are weighted accordingly: GPA—25 points; ACT/SAT Score—10 points; Honors & Awards—10 points; Extracurricular Activities—30 points; Community/Church Activities—5 points; Volunteer Service—5 points; Recommendations—10 points; Legacy—5 points.

**Enclose the following items with this application: ONLY COMPLETE APPLICATIONS WITH ALL ENCLOSURES WILL BE CONSIDERED.** Initial the checklist below in each of the “Applicant Initials Certifying Enclosure” columns indicating you have enclosed each specific item. DO NOT WRITE IN THE “CAA Receipt” COLUMN.

	Item	Applicant Initials Certifying Enclosure	CAA Receipt (CAA Use Only)
1.	A current picture of yourself (suitable for newspaper).		
2.	High School Transcript		
3.	Two (2) Letters of Recommendation in sealed envelopes.		
4.	Completed Scholarship Application		
5.	Student and Guardian signed “Statements of Understanding” (attached to end of this application).		

### SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION OF:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

**DIRECTIONS FOR COMPLETING THE APPLICATION:** Complete each section of the application. **ONLY COMPLETE APPLICATIONS WITH ALL REQUIRED ENCLOSURES WILL BE CONSIDERED.** Additional pages may be attached should the applicant need more space to record information. Applications and enclosures are to be submitted to the Chelsea High School Counselor on or before **April 20, 2017.**

**BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION:**

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Names of Parents/Legal Guardians: \_\_\_\_\_

How long have you attended Chelsea Public Schools? \_\_\_\_\_

Are members of your family (great-grandparents, grandparents, parents, aunts/uncles, brothers/sisters) graduates of Chelsea High School? (circle one) **YES** **NO**

If yes, please list the individual, their relation to you, and year of graduation (if known):

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**HIGH SCHOOL INFORMATION:**

**Grade Point Average:** \_\_\_\_\_ **ACT/SAT Score:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Class Rank:** \_\_\_\_\_ in class of \_\_\_\_\_

**POST-SECONDARY INFORMATION** (After High School)

College/University you plan to attend: \_\_\_\_\_

Degree you plan to pursue: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you been granted scholarship aid? (circle one) **YES** **NO**

If yes, please describe award:

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**REASONS FOR APPLYING** (Please indicate your educational objectives and the goals you would like to achieve by continuing your education):

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Name \_\_\_\_\_

**WORK EXPERIENCE:**

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**PLEASE EXPLAIN ANY UNUSUAL CIRCUMSTANCES THAT WOULD HAVE A DIRECT BEARING ON YOUR FINANCIAL ABILITY TO ATTEND COLLEGE (COMPLETE ONLY IF APPLICABLE):**

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**STATEMENTS OF UNDERSTANDING**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, applicant for the Chelsea Alumni Association Jennie May Bard Scholarship, certify that the information provided in this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I understand that incorrect/false statements will result in rejection of my application. I understand that as a scholarship applicant, I am required to attend the Annual Chelsea Alumni Association Banquet for the announcement of recipients. Additionally, I understand that if I am selected as a scholarship recipient and I am not in attendance or I do not use the funds within one (1) academic year from date of award, the funds will return to the CAA-JMB Scholarship Fund to be awarded to a future applicant.

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

I, \_\_\_\_\_, parent/guardian of above applicant for the Chelsea Alumni Association Jennie May Bard Scholarship, certify that the information provided in this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I understand that incorrect/false statements will result in rejection of the application. I understand that the above applicant is required to attend the Annual Chelsea Alumni Association Banquet for the announcement of recipients. I understand that if chosen, the award must be used within one (1) academic year from receipt. Additionally, I understand that if the above applicant is selected as a scholarship recipient and he or she is not in attendance or the scholarship expires, the funds will return to the CAA-JMB Scholarship Fund to be awarded to a future applicant.

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_