

The David Hutton Memorial Track and Field Scholarship

David Hutton was a 1997 graduate of Cameron County High School. David's hard work and fine character were keys to his success in Track and Field and throughout his continuing education. In September of 2005, while pursuing a Doctorate in Exercise Physiology, David passed away as a result of injuries sustained in an automobile accident.

The Award and its Purpose

The award has been created from monies given in honor of David Hutton. The fund was created to assist student-athletes in their efforts to continue their educational aspirations, and is sustained by an annual 5K run & 2-mile walk in Emporium, PA.

Currently, we offer up to three \$1,000 (One Thousand Dollar) scholarships each year; one to a Cameron County high school senior, and an additional one or more that will be open to all eligible applicants within Elk, McKean, Potter, and Cameron Counties. Scholarship recipients are selected by the David Hutton Memorial Committee. The grant will be paid after the first semester to the recipient's college/university if the student's first semester grades are 3.0 or higher and they have enrolled in the second semester.

The Applicant

To be eligible, the applicant:

1. Must be a senior in a high school in Elk, McKean, Potter, or Cameron County in Pennsylvania.
2. Must have been a resident of their present school district at least three years.
3. Must have been a member of the Track and Field Team for at least three years, including applicant's senior year.
4. Must have gained acceptance to a four-year college or university.

Eligible applicants:

1. Must submit a typed essay on their main goal in life and how they expect to achieve this goal.
 - o The essay format must be **Times New Roman font, size 12**.
 - o The essay should be **1.5-line spaced and no more than two pages**.
 - o Each essay page must include a header with the applicant's last name and the page number.
 - o Applicants who submit hand-written essays or are non-compliant with essay requirements will not be considered.
2. Must complete and submit Application and Family information sheet.
3. Must submit two letters of recommendation from references of non-relation.
 - a. References must reflect upon your character, work ethic, and leadership qualities.
 - b. Name, phone and email (if available) of references are required.
4. Must submit a current transcript of their grades at the time of submitting the application.
5. **Must submit all application materials to David Hutton Memorial Committee by May 1st**. Any applications received after May 1st will not be considered. Recommend sending certified mail.
 - a. Can be emailed to: scholarship@davidhuttonmemorial.org

Scholarship Committee

The selection committee is composed of The David Hutton Memorial Committee. For additional information about the committee, scholarship, and 5K & 2-mile walk, visit:

www.davidhuttonmemorial.org

The Criteria for Selection

After reviewing the grade transcripts, essays, and contacting references of the eligible students, the committee will select up to three students who exhibit the highest work ethic while demonstrating a high level of leadership and character. In the event that eligible students do not apply or cannot be selected, fewer or no scholarship(s) may be awarded for that academic year.

Recipient Instructions

The students awarded grants must supply a copy of their first-semester grades and proof of second-semester enrollment to:

**David Hutton Memorial Fund
105 Ewe Rd
Mechanicsburg, PA 17055**

Once requirements are met and verified, monies will be awarded to the recipient via check in the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1000.00) to the student's University/College.

David Hutton Memorial Scholarship Fund Application

Please print legibly with permanent pen

Applicant Information

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____ MI: _____

SSN: ____/____/____ (optional) Address: Street _____

Age: _____ City _____

DOB: ____/____/____ (xx/xx/xxxx) State _____ ZIP _____

Email Address: _____ Phone Number: ____/____/____

Have you been a resident of your present school district for at least the past 3 years? ____ Yes ____ No

List of activities in which you have participated while in high school, and for how long:

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

List of positions of leadership or offices you have held, and for how long:

In School

Out of School

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

List the top three four-year academic programs you have been accepted to:

College/University

Program

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Family Information

Parent (or Guardian): _____

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____

Address: _____ Occupation: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____ / _____ / _____

Parent (or Guardian): _____

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____

Address: _____ Occupation: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____ / _____ / _____

How many brothers and sisters do you have under 18 years of age? _____

How will you contribute to the cost of your education? Check all that apply:

- _____ Part-time work at college
- _____ Work during vacation
- _____ Other (Please specify): _____

References (Whom Letters of Recommendation will be from)

References (Character, Work Ethic, Leadership)

1. Name: _____ Phone #: _____

2. Name: _____ Phone #: _____

Work Experience

Name of Employer: _____ Dates Worked: _____

Responsibilities of the Job: _____

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Character Reference

Dear: _____

I am applying for David Hutton Memorial Scholarship. Part of the application process is to acquire references. Would you please consider writing letter of reference for me base on my character, work ethic and leadership? If so, please direct your letter toward the David Hutton Memorial Scholarship Committee. This scholarship awards a one-thousand dollar scholarship to its recipients. For more information on the scholarship please feel free to visit their website: www.davidhuttonmemorial.org
Thank you for your cooperation.

Please return the letter to me by: _____

Sincerely,

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

David Hutton Memorial Scholarship Applicant Checklist

Keep for your records

- Resident of your present School District (within Cameron/Elk/Potter/McKean County) the past 3 years.
- Member of your school's Track and Field Team three years, **including** senior year.
- Gained acceptance to a four-year college or university.
- Maximum two-page typed essay complying with required format.
- Provided two references.
- Submitted current transcripts.
- SUBMITTED ALL MATERIALS BY MAY 1ST DEADLINE. APPLICATIONS RECEIVED AFTER MAY 1ST WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED. MAIL TO:**

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