The Barrell Strong Foundation

# THE BARRETT FITZSIMMONS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

2024

THE BARRETT STRONG FOUNDATION IS A NON-PROFIT 501(C)(3) CHARITY FORMED AFTER THE CULMINATION OF BARRETT'S THREE-YEAR BATTLE WITH CANCER. BARRETT FITZSIMMONS WAS A STUDENT AT NORTHWESTERN ELEMENTARY FROM KINDERGARTEN UNTIL JUST FINISHING THE THIRD GRADE. HE LOVED PLAYING MOST SPORTS INCLUDING, FOOTBALL, WRESTLING, SOCCER, BASKETBALL, AND BASEBALL. BARRETT ENJOYED FISHING, VIDEO GAMES, DINOSAURS, AND WATCHING MICHIGAN FOOTBALL. THIS FOUNDATION SERVES TO HONOR AND MEMORIALIZE HIS LIFE THROUGH FUN FAMILY-CENTERED EVENTS. FUNDS RAISED BY THESE EVENTS HELP SUPPORT CAUSES WHICH DIRECTLY IMPACTED BARRETT'S HARD-FOUGHT JOURNEY. WE OFFER THE BARRETT FITZSIMMONS SCHOLARSHIP AS A THANK YOU TO OUR COMMUNITY FOR BEING THERE IN BARRETT'S TIME OF NEED.



Applications are reviewed by The Barrett Strong Foundation Scholarship Committee. The recipient(s) of the scholarship will be awarded \$2500.

The eligible individual must be:

- A current senior high school student who:
- will graduate as of June of the application year; and
- has a minimum grade point average of 3.0 on a 4.0 grading scale; or its equivalent; and
- plans to matriculate into a college, university, or technical school on a full-time or part-time basis as of the fall semester of the application year; or
- has been officially accepted by a college, university or technical school on a full-time or part-time basis as of the fall semester of the application year.

Applicants are evaluated on the following criteria:

- · Academic achievement
- · Community and school involvement
- Personal character
- · Quality of the application

Applications must be completed and accompanied by a SCHOOL ISSUED TRANSCRIPT for consideration. Official transcripts will be returned upon request – please include a self-addressed, stamped envelope. You may choose to print an unofficial transcript from the school website. If so, be sure to include your entire coursework history through January 1, 2024.

### APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY THE BARRETT STRONG FOUNDATION NO LATER THAN FRIDAY, APRIL 19, 2024.

RETURN COMPLETED APPLICATION AND REQUIRED DOCUMENTS TO:
THE BARRETT STRONG FOUNDATION
3453 STONEY CREEK ST SPRINGFIELD, OHIO 45504

THE BARRETT STRONG FOUNDATION IS NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR LATE, MISDIRECTED OR POSTAGE DUE MAIL. PLEASE MAKE SURE YOUR COMPLETE APPLICATION IS RECEIVED ON TIME FOR CONSIDERATION.

If you have questions, please contact The Barrett Strong Foundation by email at info@thebarrettstrongfoundation.org.

Scholarship recipient(s) will be notified by June 1, 2024. Money will be presented to the recipient no later than August 1, 2024.



# THE BARRETT FITZSIMMONS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

#### APPLICANT INFORMATION

Student's Full Name:
Student's Date of Birth:
Student's Address:City, State, Zip:
Home Phone: ( )Cell Phone: ( )
Email:
MOST RECENT EMPLOYMENT (including summer job experience)
Employer's Name, Company:
Employer's Address: City, State, Zip:
Phone Number: ( )Email:
Employed (month and year) From:To:
Position:
Awards/Special Recognition:
COMMUNITY AND SCHOOL INVOLVEMENT
School Activities:

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Community Service Activities:
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ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT
High school graduation date:Name of school:
Cumulative grade point average on a 4.0 scale (do not round up):
ACT Score:SAT Score:
Honors/Awards Received:
HIGHER EDUCATION
Student's anticipated college/technical school:
Expected college/technical school graduation date:
Expected status during the 2023-2024 academic year: (Check one)
Full-timePart-time
Number of class hours you plan to take:
hours per quarter OR hours per semester
Describe your current or anticipated major field of study and the degree toward which you are working:
Bachelor's Degree Associate's Degree
Major/Minor:
Please list any scholarships that have been or will be awarded to you and the dollar amount:

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ATTACHMENTS (no staples or binders please)

To be considered for a scholarship, applicants must complete this form (be sure to answer all questions) and attach the following:

- Mandatory essay: On a separate sheet, write a one-page essay that describes your academic and/or career goals. Additionally tell us about a time you failed and what you learned from that situation.
- Recommendation form: Please attach the provided Recommendation Form, which should be completed by a school contact (career counselor, teacher, principal, coach, etc.) or an outside contact (employer, pastor, scout leader, etc.). Note: Family members may not complete the Recommendation Form.
- School issued transcript: You may send an official transcript or unofficial transcript from the school website. Be sure to include your entire coursework history through January 1, 2024.

#### **SIGNATURES**

Applicant's Signature:	Date:
authorize the release of eligibility data from the college/t	echnical school I attend.
I affirm that the information reported on this application	n is accurate and true to the best of my knowledge. I

Parent's/Guardian's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_Date:

**DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS IS FRIDAY, APRIL 19, 2024** 



## THE BARRETT FITZSIMMONS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP RECOMMENDATION FORM

The student who provided you with this form is applying for The Barrett Fitzsimmons Memorial Scholarship, which provides financial assistance to graduating senior students pursuing a higher education. Applicants will be evaluated on: academic achievement, community and school involvement, personal character, and quality of his/her application. Please assist him/her by providing the following information.

Personal Information:

Your Name:							
	City, State, Zip:						
Phone:	Email:						
How long have you l	known stud	ent:	_ Your relation	onship to student: _			
Please rate the applic	ant's streng	gths and weal	knesses in the f	following areas (circ	le one):		
Personal Character:	Poor	Fair	Good	Very Good	Superior		
Leadership:	Poor	Fair	Good	Very Good	Superior		
Service:	Poor	Fair	Good	Very Good	Superior		
Please provide the ra	•			• -	ments, community		

Your completed recommendation form should be returned to the student to be included with his/her application packet. The deadline for complete application packet to be received by The Barrett Strong Foundation is Friday, April 19, 2024.