# 2023 John Kreslin Scholarship Fund



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While many young people are making positive choices, the fact remains that underage drinking and illicit drug misuse is a serious problem. Many risks are associated with alcohol and drugs: Alcohol poisoning, overdose, motor coordination, impulse control, memory loss, judgment, and decision-making capacity.

While academics, athletics, and community service are very important characteristics of well-rounded individuals, I believe that more focus should be placed on building good relationships with our peers.

As your parents launch you into a new world of challenges, choices, and decisions, how will you focus on building those relationships to ensure positive decision-making throughout your college experience?

## Requirements

The John Kreslin Scholarship Fund is proud to award <u>two</u>\$1,000.00 scholarships to qualifying Illinois seniors.

Students must submit a 650-700-word essay.

- 1. Please describe your most significant experience with drugs or alcohol and how it influenced your teenage years.
- 2. How will you build positive relationships to help ensure a healthy, safe environment for success through your college years?

#### **Eligibility**

- 1. The student must be an Illinois high school senior and have applied or been accepted to either an accredited 4-year university or a 2-year community, junior, or trade school/college.
- 2. Students must have a C average or greater.

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## **Application Criteria**

Applications must include ALL of the following:

- 1. Completed application form and 650-700-word essay.
- 2. A certified transcript of grades from high school.

### **Scholarship Award**

The scholarship may be paid directly to the student or the college upon receipt of enrollment verification.

Return the scholarship application to Rita Kreslin at the AAIM office by Monday, May 8, 2023. The scholarship recipient will be notified by Monday, May 22, 2023.

Recipients and their immediate family will be asked to be our guest (if possible) at our annual Walk 5/K for Johnny on Sunday morning, August 20, 2023.

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