



The Port Authority Police Department Pipes and Drums

The Port Authority Police Department Pipes and Drums are proud to announce that once again they will be providing up to (3) memorial scholarships to honor the heroic actions of the three band members who died in the attacks on America on 9-11-2001.

Police Officers Liam Callahan, Steve Huczko and Richie Rodriguez were on duty and responded to the World Trade Center to assist in the evacuation and rescue of thousands of people inside the two towers. Tragically, they were inside the buildings when they collapsed. As 2021 marks the 20th Anniversary of their heroic actions and the tremendous loss felt by all that knew them, we could not let the current pandemic come in the way of memorializing these individuals.

Through this scholarship, the band would like to honor their unselfish acts and provide educational assistance for a student with a musical background to follow a similar career path.

Applications and further information may be obtained by visiting the band's website at WWW.PAPDPIPEBAND.COM .

The deadline for applying is April 16, 2021.



The Port Authority Police Department Pipes and Drums Memorial Scholarship

Scholarship Application Instructions and Process

Information and applications are available through the Port Authority Police Pipes and Drums website at WWW.PAPDPIPEBAND.COM and must be received by the Scholarship Committee no later than April 16, 2021.

Extensions will not be granted. Applications that are incomplete or received after the deadline will not be considered. Letters of reference should be mailed with the application, if possible, but must be received by the deadline.

The selection of the recipient is at the sole discretion of the Scholarship Committee.

The criteria used to select the recipient shall be related to the purpose of the grant, and may include (but are not limited to) the following:

- Prior academic performance and course of future study
- Participation in an organized pipe band
- Reference letter for music instructor or band director
- Resident of New York or New Jersey
- Graduating high school senior or entering college freshman

All educational grants shall be awarded using an objective and nondiscriminatory selection process approved by the Committee in advance of making awards.

Recipient will be notified in May and a presentation of the award will be made sometime in late May/ early June.

Thank you for your interest in our scholarship.

Mail all applications to:

Port Authority Police Pipe Band
PO Box 6818
Jersey City, NJ 07306
Attention: Scholarship Committee

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PO Box 6818 Jersey City, NJ 07306

Scholarship Application Form

To be considered for this scholarship you must return this form with your letters of reference to the Scholarship Committee to the above address. The scholarship application must be received by April 16, 2021. Review the application carefully and provide all the information requested. Please make sure to include your email address and home phone number.

Applicant Information:

Name _____ SSN (last 4 digits) _____ Gender _____

Home Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Email _____ Home Phone Number _____

Parent/Guardian's Name _____

Number of dependent brothers/sisters living at home _____ Number currently attending college (as of Fall 2021) _____

Education:

High School _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Guidance Counselor _____ Phone Number _____

Graduation Year _____ Cumulative Grade Point Average at this time _____

College Choices:

Date Applied

Accepted?

1) _____

2) _____

3) _____

Intended major(s):

First Choice _____ Second Choice _____

Career Goal _____

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Musical Interest:

What musical instrument(s) do you play? _____

What pipe band(s) do you belong to? _____

How long have you been a member of the band or group? _____

Do you plan on continuing to play your musical instrument after high school? _____

If the answer to the above questions is Yes, please explain in what capacity? _____

Personal Achievements:

I. Extra-curricular activities or offices held

Year

Position Held

II. Community Service

III. Employment

IV. Awards

Please return this completed application and include the following;

A letter of reference from your high school guidance counselor attesting to the GPA you provided,
a letter from the Pipe Major, musical director or band director stating the length of your service in the band and
an acceptance letter from the college you plan on attending.

Applicant signature _____ Date _____