

JAMES E. PRIEBE '65 MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

BACKGROUND

The James E. Priebe Memorial Scholarship was established on March 28, 1996 by the members of the Holy Name High School Class of 1965 under the direction of William D. Keckan '65. James Priebe was a 1965 graduate of Holy Name. He was a down-to-earth, sincere person who had a great sense of humor. He was a person who would do anything for a friend. Jim epitomized the Holy Name Spirit. He was killed in the Vietnam War on April 30, 1967.

This scholarship has been funded through donations from members of the Class of 1965, friends, and members of the Priebe Family. Further funding will rest solely on the generosity of the donors and the interest earned on the balance of the funds.

CRITERIA

1. One (1) \$500 non-renewable scholarship will be awarded each year. Applications for this grant will be made available to eligible applicants in February of each year. The completed scholarship application should be returned to the Advancement Office by Friday, March 24, 2017. Applications that do not include an essay will not be considered
2. The award will be presented at the class awards assembly held in May. The \$500 grant will be good for the following school year
3. The applicants must have completed both their freshman and sophomore year at Holy Name and currently be enrolled as a junior
4. Since Jim's first love was English, the representative of the Class of '65 (William Keckan) and the Priebe family request that the applicants earn a minimum of a B average in English during their junior year (first three grading periods)
5. Students must be of good character
6. The applicant must have a substantial record of service to the school by being involved in an organization or extra-curricular activity
7. The applicant must write an essay with the topic and length being decided by the English Department Chairperson and Junior Class English teachers

SELECTION COMMITTEE

1. Principal of Holy Name High School
2. English Department Chairperson
3. A Junior Class English teacher
4. Representative of the Class of 1965
5. Two (2) members of the Priebe Family

PROCESS

Student will be required to complete a simple application with the following information:

1. Name, address, class, and age of applicant
2. Applicant will list grade point average in English as well as any awards, etc. he/she may have received in English
3. Applicant will list service record/school related activities
4. Essay must be submitted with the application form

**JAMES E. PRIEBE '65 MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
APPLICATION**

NAME _____ **GRADE** _____

ADDRESS _____ **HOMEROOM** _____

Approximate GPA (Grade Point Average) _____

English Grade (Junior Year) _____

Signature of Junior English Teacher _____

Please list all school activities (athletics, clubs, organizations) you have been or are presently involved in:

Please write an essay of 250 words or less on one of the following topics: (Essay must be typed and attached to this application).

**TOPIC 1. Discuss this quote in relationship to your own life:
“It is better to have loved and lost than never to have loved at all.”**

TOPIC 2. What is a Hero? Do the American people have any heroes today?

STUDENT SIGNATURE _____

PARENT(S) SIGNATURE _____

DATE _____

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Advancement Office by Friday, March 23, 2018.**

**Applications that do not include an essay will not be considered.
Please paperclip the required essay to the application; do not staple.**