

**HOLY NAME HIGH SCHOOL**  
**SARA JEAN '00 AND KEVIN '09 MCCARTHY**  
**MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

**Background:**

The Sara Jean McCarthy '00 Memorial Scholarship was established in 2002 by her family, friends, and the Holy Name High School community. Sara was a member of the class of 2000. She participated in volleyball, basketball, softball, and campus ministry. Sara will always be remembered for her dedication to family and friends. Sara was tragically taken from us along with five of her Bowling Green State University roommates in an automobile accident March 15, 2002.

In 2017, the scholarship was renamed to include Sara's youngest brother, Kevin, a 2009 graduate who passed away in June 2017. At Holy Name, Kevin played football, served as a student ambassador, and was active in campus ministry. He also was the PA announcer at many Holy Name girls' basketball games. Both Sara and Kevin will always be remembered for their contagious smiles.

Two (2) \$750 non-renewable scholarships will be awarded at the class awards assembly held in May. This grant will be used for the following academic year. Scholarship awards may be increased, reduced, or terminated by the Scholarship Fund Committee if the need should arise.

**Applicant Criteria:**

- The applicant must have completed his/her freshman and sophomore year at Holy Name High School and currently be enrolled as a junior
- The applicant must be of solid character and working to the best of his/her academic ability
- The applicant must have made substantial service contributions to Holy Name through organizations such as campus ministry, student council, athletics, etc.

**Selection Committee:**

- Representatives from the McCarthy family
- The principal and/or assistant principal of Holy Name High School
- Campus Minister at Holy Name High School
- Two (2) current faculty members of Holy Name High School as chosen by the McCarthy family and/or the administration of Holy Name High School

**Application Process:**

The student will be required to complete an application provided on the back of this form. The application will ask the following:

- Name, address, grade, homeroom, and grade point average
- Names and ages of siblings
- School, parish, and/or community projects that he or she is involved in
- Applicant's signature and a parent/guardian's signature

*The application is to be accompanied by an essay of 250 words or less explaining:  
"What legacy will you be remembered for and why?"*

**The completed scholarship application should be returned to the Holy Name 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.**

# **Sara Jean '00 & Kevin '09 McCarthy Memorial Scholarship Application**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Homeroom \_\_\_\_\_

Approximate G.P.A. (Grade Point Average) \_\_\_\_\_

*Note: For the following questions, if more room is needed for answers, feel free to attach typed responses to the application.*

**Names and ages of siblings:**

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**List all school (Holy Name High School) related activities, organizations, clubs, etc. you are presently involved in:**

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**List parish or community activities, organizations, or service projects you are involved in:**

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**Student's Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent's Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

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