Cindy Schaude Buckley Memorial Scholarship

The Cindy Schaude Buckley Memorial Scholarship is established to provide financial assistance to a Bethel Park High School graduating senior who plans to pursue a degree in education at an accredited four-year college. The scholarship will be awarded annually to an individual who, in the judgment of the Scholarship Committee, meets the eligibility criteria and demonstrates a passionate desire to nurture young minds.

The scholarship is named after, and is in memory of, Mrs. Cindy Schaude Buckley, a former kindergarten and first grade Bethel Park teacher, who also served on the Bethel Park Board of School Directors after her retirement from education. Its establishment is intended to support a Bethel Park student who aspires to share the joy of learning with students and perpetually seek the best interest of children, as Cindy Schaude Buckley demonstrated for decades throughout her involvement in education.

ELIGIBILITY 2020-2021

As Cindy Schaude Buckley's students always knew – "Once in Mrs. B's classroom, forever in her heart" – to be eligible for the Cindy Schaude Buckley Memorial Scholarship, a student must:

- Be a former student of Cindy Schaude Buckley graduating from BPHS.

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- Be pursuing post-secondary education in any field at an accredited college, community college, or technical school.
- Complete an official Cindy Schaude Buckley Memorial Scholarship Application.

- Include a Letter of Recommendation from a teacher or employer AND an official BPHS transcript.
- Submit 300-600 word essay describing how the candidate has and will continue to apply the skills and values learned in kindergarten toward their educational pursuits.
- Deadline for submission is May 30 of the applicant's year of graduation.

INFORMATION

- A $1,000 scholarship will be awarded for the first year of post-secondary education.
- The Scholarship Committee will select the recipient of the scholarship. The decision of the committee is final and cannot be challenged. The Scholarship Committee retains the right to withhold scholarship grants in any year if no candidate is determined to be qualified.
- The Bethel Park Community Foundation will notify the chosen recipient of its decision. A check in the amount of the

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awarded scholarship will be made payable jointly to the awardee and the school.

2020 & 2021

Applicant: _____

Address: _____

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Phone: _____

Grade in school: _____

School(s) currently attending:

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Accredited four-year college, community college, or technical school applied to or plan to apply to (please indicate if already accepted):

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Submit 300-600 word essay describing how the candidate has and will continue to apply the skills and values learned in kindergarten toward their educational pursuits. (TO BE COMPLETED ONLY BY THE STUDENT) Applicants may print their essay below or enclose a typed essay.***

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