

JOE DUMPHY MEMORIAL GOLF SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Joe Dumphy Memorial Golf Scholarship, Inc. is a non-profit corporation that was formed in 2015 to honor the memory of Joe Dumphy. Joe was an outstanding student and golfer at North Forsyth High School who died in a car accident the summer before his sophomore year. Founded by his family and members of the community, the purpose of the foundation is to further Joe's vision.

Joe Dumphy was known for his academic ability, his talent on the golf course, and his commitment to serve in his community. While in high school Joe was an active member of the North Forsyth High School Golf Team and the Fellowship of Christian Athletes. Those who knew him well remember a young man with an incredible work ethic, an outgoing personality, and the ability to apply all of his talents in his approach to life.

The \$5000.00 non-renewable scholarship is awarded to one student each year. That student must be a senior graduating from a high school in either Forsyth or Dawson County and plan to attend an accredited U.S. college or university the following fall. The scholarship will be awarded to the applicant who best exemplifies Joe's approach to life. The ideal candidate will excel academically, participate in activities that support his or her community, pursue extracurricular interests (with an emphasis on golf) and have demonstrated leadership and solid, faith-based moral character.

Each year at the discretion of the JDMGS Board, based on funds available and the success of that year's community fundraising support, additional scholarships may become available to highly qualified students from any county in Georgia. **Therefore, qualified students from all Georgia counties are also encouraged to apply.**

Personal Information

Applicant's Full Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Email Address: _____

Cell Phone Number: _____

High School and Class Year: _____

Parent/Guardian Information

Parent/Guardian (Full Name): _____

Day Phone: _____ Relationship to Applicant: _____

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Post-Secondary School Data

List all colleges or universities to which you have applied and/or to which you have been accepted. List these in order of choice.

1st Choice: _____ (accepted or pending)

2nd Choice: _____ (accepted or pending)

3rd Choice: _____ (accepted or pending)

Activities, Awards, and Honors

List all activities (both in and out of school, including employment) in which you have participated over the last four years. Note all leadership positions held and any special awards and honors. You may also attach a resume.

Activity	Year(s) Participated	Special Awards and Honors	Leadership Positions Held

Transcript Summary

An official transcript of grades must be submitted with this application.

GPA: _____ SAT: _____ ACT: _____

Essay

In a single essay of no more than two pages in totality:

1. Describe your personal and academic accomplishments, leadership opportunities, volunteer/service activities, employment, personal responsibilities, hobbies, and goals. Discuss how you have used your talents and share how you intend to use them in the future.
2. Describe a situation in which you had to stand up for your beliefs and how you handled the situation and its outcome.
3. Briefly describe how this scholarship will assist you in reaching your goals. You may include any special financial situations that you would like the selection committee to know.
4. Is there anything else you would like the scholarship committee to consider in its decision?

Recommendations

Please provide 3 written and signed letters of recommendation from individuals that can speak to your personal character and integrity. Letters should also include contact information, as the board may wish to interview them.

Submission Criteria

To be considered eligible, return this completed application, your **official** high school transcript, your essay responses, and the letters of recommendation to **78 Dawson Village Way N, Suite 140-23 Dawsonville, GA 30534**. Complete application packets must be postmarked by March 17, 2018 to be considered. The scholarship board will notify the 3 finalists by April 7, 2018 and will schedule individual interviews at that time. The scholarship winner will be announced by May 1, 2018.

Release

I hereby certify that the information contained in this application is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge and that the essay responses are my own work. I understand that false answers on this application will result in my ineligibility for the scholarship award. I understand that Joe Dumphy Memorial Golf Scholarship, Inc. may not consider late or incomplete application packets. If selected as the recipient of the scholarship, I allow Joe Dumphy Memorial Golf Scholarship, Inc. to use my name and picture for award announcements in print and on-line media.

Signed (Student): _____

Date: _____

If under 18 years of age you must have a parent or guardian sign this release, as well:

Parent/Guardian: _____

Date: _____

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