Diane H. Lewis Memorial Scholarship

Due: 5/1/2023

RETURN COMPLETED APPLICATION GUIDANCE OFFICE

REQUIREMENTS:

- Must have been enrolled in a credit bearing course as a band or vocal student for a minimum of two years. All candidates must be a band or vocal music member in their senior year.

ESSAY:

Length – 1-2 pages

Topic - How music has benefited my school career and what impact music will have on me as I move forward in college and throughout life?

ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS:

- Copy of transcript
- Recommendations: 3 required (see attachment)
- Complete Biographical Sketch which can be found under the "My Profile" tab on MajorClarity.

- Student will need to provide proof of enrollment (tuition bill or schedule) at the end of the school year for release of funds.

Dianne H. Lewis Memorial Scholarship Fund

The PTHS Band Booster Club, Inc. has established the Dianne H. Lewis Memorial Scholarship Fund and will act as its administrator and proponent. This fund is dedicated to the memory of the most ardent Pemberton Township High School Band Booster ever, Dianne H. Lewis.

The purpose of the fund is to award merit-based scholarships to one or more graduating senior members of the PTHS Band and/or Vocal programs in an amount so designated by the scholarship committee annually. This one-time award will be made based on the criteria listed.

All scholarship candidates must have been enrolled in a credit bearing course as a band or vocal student for a minimum of two years. All candidates must be a band or vocal music member in their senior year. (Marching Band is a credit earning course for PTHS students)

All candidates must submit:

- a. Cover Sheet which states your name, address, and email.
- b. Two (2) non-familial letters of recommendation, which must come from a Non Music Department PTHS staff member , indicating work ethic and character of the applicant. (ie. scout leader, religious leader, boss, math teacher, guidance counselor)
- c. One (1) letter of recommendation from a member of the Music Department or Marching Band Director/Instructor at the High School.
- d. Official Transcripts from the guidance office indicating grades through the mid-term exams of the senior year.
- e. An essay, no more than 1 page, double spaced 12-point font, prepared by the candidate on: HOW MUSIC HAS BENEFITED MY SCHOOL CAREER AND WHAT IMPACT MUSIC WILL HAVE ON ME AS I MOVE FORWARD IN COLLEGE AND THROUGHOUT LIFE.
- f. Proof of acceptance to an institute of higher learning, to include technical schools.

Applications must be scanned or turned in, in a sealed envelope, to Ms. Rory Schwemer at <u>rschwemer@pemb.org</u>. Application deadline is April 30, 2022.

Any questions please contact us at pembertonbandbc@gmail.com