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WGPAB Scholarships for Excellence in Performing Arts

Scholarships have been established by the Willow Glen Performing Arts Boosters for students who have participated in **band, marching band, choir, theater or dance** for 2 years or more and plan to attend a college, university, conservatory, or vocational school.

WGPAB Scholarships are open to WGHS Seniors who fulfill the following criteria:

1. Must be a Willow Glen High School graduating senior with at least two full years of attendance at Willow Glen.
2. Must have participated in the performing arts at WGHS for 2 or more years.
3. Must be continuing their education, beginning in the 2019/2020 school year, at a community college, university, school for performing arts, music conservatory or vocational school.
4. Must have a minimum GPA of 2.0

Each year, up to \$5000 in scholarships are awarded. In addition to these scholarships a special memorial scholarship is also awarded:

Velda Garcia Jones Memorial Scholarship

The criteria will be the same as for the other WGPAB scholarships, but will have the additional focus of honoring a well-rounded student who has been involved in multiple disciplines in performing arts at Willow Glen and that also exhibits dedication, commitment, perseverance and a generosity of spirit toward fellow members of our WGHS performing arts community; all attributes that this amazing Willow Glen mom possessed and freely shared with our Willow Glen Performing Arts Boosters community for many years until her passing in June 2013.

Closing Date for Applications: Thursday April 4, 2019 – 3:00 pm

No late applications will be accepted – No exceptions

Application Form

Applicant Information

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

Parent's E-mail _____

Weighted cumulative GPA: _____ *as of the end of 1st semester senior year*

College you plan to attend (if known) : _____

Intended field of study: _____

Signature X _____

Performing Arts Participation Summary

For each school year, please provide the following information. Under "Classes Taken," note all choir, band, dance and/or drama courses you have taken. Under "Performance," please list shows produced by WGHS (theatrical (cast/crew), band, choral, marching band) or any other special shows (but not including shows that are graded elements of courses listed above). For "Volunteer," note WGHS performing arts related volunteer work.

If one to two years of your high school experience wasn't at WGHS, please note that next to each applicable year below.

Freshman Year

Classes Taken	
Performances (note show name and part/role/ responsibility)	
Volunteer	

Sophomore Year

Classes Taken	
Performances (note show name and part/role/ responsibility)	
Volunteer	

Junior Year

Classes Taken	
Performances (note show name and part/role/ responsibility)	
Volunteer	

Senior Year

Classes Taken	
Performances (note show name and part/role/ responsibility)	
Volunteer	

If you need additional space to detail your WGHS experience and/or want to share performing arts experience outside of Willow Glen High School, please attach an additional sheet to this form.

Additional Required Information

Attach the following information to this application:

1. An **essay** (500-1000 words) describing yourself and the role that **Willow Glen Performing Arts** has played in your life. Include how it influenced you to be a positive member of the community and how you have personally grown from your involvement in Willow Glen Performing Arts.
2. A copy of your **transcripts** (through 1st semester senior year).
3. 12th grade second semester **schedule**.
4. A **letter of recommendation** from a person associated with Performing Arts: a performing arts teacher, a director, a vocal/acting coach, a choreographer, a band leader, etc...

Submit completed application to the College and Career Center by Thursday April 4 by 3:00 pm – No late applications accepted!

For Scholarship Committee Use

Date application received: _____

Criteria Checklist:

Graduating Senior?

GPA: _____ Is 2.0 or above?

Two or More Years at WGHS?

Continuing education next year?

Two or more years in PA at WGHS?

Where: _____

Is the Application Complete?

Turned in on time

Essay attached

Application Form is complete

Transcripts through 12th/1st semester

12th grade 2nd semester class list

Letter of recommendation