



Battle Creek Area  
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# Carrie Adams Memorial Scholarship

*"It is our desire to keep Carrie's memory alive by helping those who wish to further their education, both at the Battle Creek Area Catholic Schools and beyond. We hope that those who receive this scholarship will be inspired by Carrie's memory and always think of others; being generous with their time, talent and treasure."*

*Chuck and Cheryl Adams*

The **Carrie Adams Memorial Scholarship** was established by Carrie's parents, Chuck and Cheryl Adams, in Carrie's memory. Carrie graduated in 1991 following a distinguished academic and athletic high school career. This scholarship honors her memory and recognizes graduates for their character and concern for their fellow students. The scholarship recipient will have a distinguished academic record, and demonstrated leadership and service. The recipient shall possess sincere respect for their fellow students, as well as, a "concern for critters".

***In 300-500 words, write an essay discussing how this scholarship will help you become a better Christian person.***



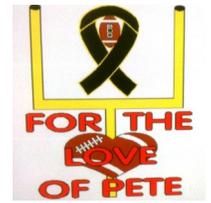
# St. Philip Internship Scholarship

*"The Crayons to College K-12 program is designed to prepare our students for their future career. This scholarship is just one more way we can help our St. Philip students realize their future career by supporting their education beyond St. Philip Catholic Central."*

*Kyra Rabbitt, Student Services Coordinator*

The **St. Philip Internship Scholarship** was established with part of a grant from the Calhoun County Intermediate School District which promotes college and career readiness. This scholarship is for St. Philip students who participate in the St. Philip Internship program. There will be 3 recipients – 1 student will receive a \$1000 scholarship and 2 students will receive \$500 scholarships. Scoring will be based on 3 components: 1) Internship Evaluation (feedback from employer) 2) Essay turned in with BCACS Foundation scholarship application 3) Formal internship presentation to the school and community.

***In 700-1500 words, write an essay discussing how the St. Philip Internship Program has changed you, your perspective, your understanding of your faith, and/or your plans for the future.***



# Pete Francisco Memorial Scholarship

*"Pete's influence on the football program and our athletes was immeasurable, as was his heart. He gave everything he had for St. Philip football. He was especially proud of the 8-man team that made it to the playoffs." - Coaches Marc Pessetti & Dave Downey*

The Pete Francisco Memorial Scholarship was established in 2014 by his wife, Jo and family members Channan and Chad Francisco (class of 1998), and Kelly (Fitzgerald) and Jason Francisco (class of 2000), to honor their husband and dad. Not only was Pete a St. Philip football coach, but he was also a coach for baseball and hockey as his boys were growing up. This scholarship is a lasting legacy to this wonderful man who mentored and helped many. This scholarship recognizes a graduate of St. Philip Catholic Central High School who is an athlete, has good attendance, is a respectful team player with a positive attitude, and a strong work ethic. This student will have demonstrated leadership ability and be active in community service.

***In 300-500 words, write an essay explaining how being a member of a St. Philip Catholic Central athletic team has prepared you for your future endeavors. Be mindful of Coach Pete Francisco's character traits of having a positive attitude, being a team player and always giving 101%.***



# Sheila Guerra Memorial Scholarship

*"... whether she played a part in their lives for a reason, a season, or a lifetime, Sheila touched their lives in such a way that they will never forget her. Thus her legacy will live on and continue to touch lives through her generous spirit." Anonymous*

The **Sheila Guerra Memorial Scholarship** honors the memory of Sheila Guerra, former St. Philip teacher and volleyball coach. Prior to her death in 2006, Sheila established this scholarship fund for students to pursue their secondary education goals. The Sheila Guerra Memorial Scholarship recognizes a volleyball athlete senior of St. Philip Catholic Central High School for outstanding academic achievement and moral character who demonstrates a sincere desire to help the St. Philip community through volunteerism.

***In 300-500 words, write an essay discussing an obstacle or adversity that you faced and how you overcame it. What did you learn from the experience?***



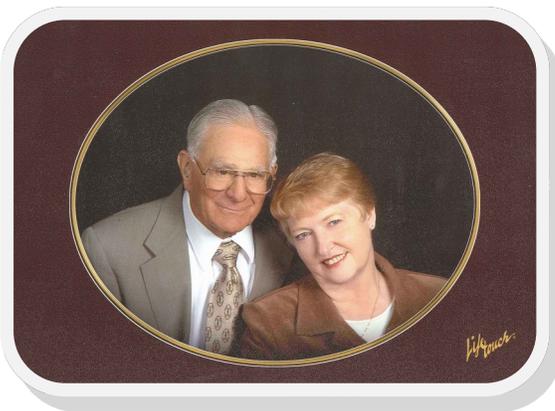
# John B. & Margaret A. Hogan Medical Scholarship

*"We share many memories of firm but gentle guidance in the teachings and practice of our Catholic Faith and in the expertise of several well-remembered instructors. . . . May current and future St. Philip students also come to appreciate the schools' atmosphere of love of God and love of learning."*

*- John and Margaret Hogan*

The **John B. and Margaret A. Hogan Medical Scholarship** was established by John B. Hogan, Class of 1939, and Margaret (Skaggs) Hogan, Class of 1942. This scholarship provides a merit-based scholarship for a graduate pursuing a college degree in an area of study related to health care. The scholarship recipient will have attended St. Philip Catholic Central High School throughout high school, have a distinguished academic record to an aggregate "B" average, active involvement in community service and campus ministry, and demonstrated leadership ability.

**In 300 - 500 words, write an essay about one of the following topics: What made you choose your field of study? Or where do you see yourself in ten years? Or what has been your greatest accomplishment to date?**



# Al Leibert Family Scholarship

*"Since I have had the privilege of coaching at St. Philip Catholic Central High School and my wife's three daughters are graduates, we decided to "pay it back" with this scholarship. It is our hope that these recipients will one day "pay it forward."*

*Al and Candace Leibert*

The **Al Leibert Family Scholarship** was established by retired educator and longtime coach and mentor, Al Leibert. This college scholarship is awarded to a St. Philip Catholic Central High School senior who has a distinguished academic record, demonstrated leadership ability and community service; and participation in St. Philip athletics for all four years of high school.

**In 300 - 500 words, write an essay about one of the following topics: What made you choose your field of study? Or where do you see yourself in ten years? Or what has been your greatest accomplishment to date?**



## Howard M. & Edith M. List Scholarship

The **Howard M. List and Edith M. List Scholarship Fund** was established in 2011 by Mrs. List and son, Charles List. Throughout their lifetimes, the List family has been strong advocates of Catholic education. Mr. and Mrs. List have been active parishioners at St. Philip Parish and loyal supporters for the work of the BCACS Foundation.

Originally from Chicago, Illinois, Mr. and Mrs. List located to Battle Creek in 1939 when Mr. List joined the Kellogg Company. He was a senior vice president at the time of his retirement in 1975. Mr. List passed away in 1996. Their daughter, Elizabeth M. List passed away in 1992.

This scholarship recognizes a St. Philip graduate for their academic achievements; community related service and active participation in school related organizations and athletics.

**No essay necessary.**



## Coach Brown Memorial Football Scholarship

*"St. Philip has a great football program, and I want to see it continue to grow and improve!"*

*- Dr. Sonneborn*



The Sonneborn Football Athlete Scholarship was established in 2015 by Dr. Sonneborn to help promote the growth and longevity of the St. Philip Football Program. Dr. Sonneborn renamed this scholarship the Coach Brown Memorial Football Scholarship in 2017 to honor long time football coach Jack Brown. The recipient of this scholarship is recommended by the football coaches. This individual is a leader both on and off the field. Key aspects of being a great leader include being a team player, leading by example, and working hard.

***In 300-500 words, write an essay explaining how being part of the St. Philip Catholic Central football team has prepared you for your future or made you a better person.***

*Please include completed application, a copy of your transcript, and ACT/SAT scores along with any special essay or other requirements when applying for a college scholarship with the BCACS Foundation. Please write a separate essay for each scholarship as indicated.*

***Applications should be turned into Kyra Rabbitt by March 15, 2018.***



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