

George Ranch High School Athletic Booster Club
2019 Scholarship Plan

Purpose: Scholarships will be granted for the purpose of recognizing outstanding seniors who have been representative of the high ideals of athletic competition at George Ranch High School.

Scholarship Portfolio:

- 2 - \$3000 "Always Believe" Scholarships
- 2 - \$2000 "One Herd, One Heartbeat" Scholarships
- 13 - \$1000 General Athletic Booster Club Scholarships

17 total scholarships to be awarded to 17 individual student athletes.

Application Components:

1. Student and Family information
2. College Information, including application and acceptance status
3. Academic Success (includes official transcript)
4. Athletic Activities
5. Non-Athletic Activities
6. Work Experience
7. Teacher References
8. Essays Typed and 150 words or less (candidate can do all 3 to be eligible for all three awards):
 - a. Explain the value of your participation in athletics to your overall high school experience and preparation for college. (required for all scholarships in the portfolio)
 - b. Explain what the phrase "One Herd, One Heartbeat" means to you and how it has encouraged you during your high school experience and in preparation for college. (required for "One Herd, One Heartbeat" scholarship and the "Always Believe" scholarship)
 - c. Explain a situation where your determination and passion to always believe in yourself led to success at GRHS and how a mindset of "Always Believe" will prepare you for college. (required for the "Always Believe" scholarship)

Requirements for Candidates:

1. Student must be a senior graduating in the Spring of 2019.
2. Student must belong to a family that is a member in good standing of the George Ranch High School Athletic Booster Club and the George Ranch High School Parent Teacher Organization.
3. Student must be in good standing and have completed a full season of any athletic programs that are listed on their application.
4. Student must complete the scholarship application and essays and turn it into Ms. Ford, College and Career Specialist, by the published deadline.
5. A transcript must accompany the application; therefore, all outstanding school fees must be paid.

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Scholarship Committee: will be comprised of 3-4 ABC members and one staff member. Committee members may **NOT** have a student athlete that is under consideration for a scholarship. As of the date of this document, will lead the committee and Jerry Toups will be the staff member on the committee.

Timeline:

1. 3/4: Board Approval of Plan
2. 3/27: Submit materials to Mrs. Ford and start ad blitz for scholarship availability.
3. 4/18: Deadline for application submissions to Mrs. Ford. Applications and transcripts will be picked up, copied and distributed to committee members.
4. 5/3: Vetting and selection process complete; award letters go out in the mail.
5. 5/13: Award Presentation at 6:30 PM in the TBD