

Jay Faccenda Memorial Scholarship

PURPOSE:

During his four years at Whippany Park High School, Jay Faccenda was an integral part of the instrumental music program. Through his musical talents, his active participation and his personal vitality, he helped in creating a positive attitude and fine reputation for the bands at Whippany Park.

A scholarship will be awarded to a graduating senior whom the committee judges best reflects the qualities and characteristics of Jay Faccenda. Judgement will be based on musical ability, participation in extra curricular activities and overall contribution to the good of the school community.

SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE:

The committee is comprised of five or more elected members.

QUALIFICATIONS AND ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

- All applicants must be currently enrolled in the instrumental music program at Whippany Park High School.
- All applicants must have a reputable character in the school and community.
- All applicants must be planning to further their education in an accredited institution of higher learning.

SELECTION CRITERIA:

All qualified applicants will be rated in accordance with the following criteria:

<p><u>Participation in high school bands</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Wind Ensemble ● Concert Band 	<p><u>Extra Band Activities</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Marching Band ● Small Ensemble ● Drum Major ● Jazz Band ● Pit Band ● Section Leader/Captain ● Area Band ● Junior Region Ensembles ● Region Ensembles ● All State Ensembles 	<p><u>Extra Curricular Activities</u></p> <p>The applicant will also be evaluated on extracurricular activities such as sports, clubs, awards, camps, community service, student government, summer employment, etc.</p> <p><u>Faculty Recommendations</u></p> <p>Each applicant will obtain three recommendations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Band Director ● Faculty Member ● Faculty Member
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AWARD:

A scholarship will be awarded to an individual selected by the committee in accordance with the criteria outlined in the previous section. The scholarship awarded must be used to defray expenses at an accredited institution of higher learning. The recipient will be announced prior to graduation.

DISQUALIFICATION:

If an applicant is known to have falsely submitted any information on his/her application, the applicant will be disqualified and the application withdrawn from consideration.

Applicant Name: _____

WHIPPANY PARK HIGH SCHOOL BANDS **9** **10** **11** **12**

NAME OF BAND

Concert Band _____

Wind Ensemble _____

EXTRA BAND ACTIVITIES **9** **10** **11** **12**

NAME OF ACTIVITY

Marching Band _____

Small Ensemble _____

Drum Major _____

Jazz Band _____

Pit Band _____

Section Leader/Captain _____

Area Band _____

Junior Region Ensembles _____

Region Ensembles _____

All State Ensembles _____

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

List all activities, honors and other information you feel would enable the committee to best determine your qualifications for this scholarship. Please include dates of positions/activities.

Colleges Accepted: _____

College Planning on Attending: _____

Major: _____

Jay Faccenda Memorial Scholarship: Faculty Member Recommendation

Applicant's Name: _____

Faculty Member's Name: _____

This form is designed to help the selection committee determine the qualifications of candidates applying for the Jay Faccenda Memorial Scholarship. It is the objective of the committee to identify the student who most exemplifies the characteristics Jay exhibited as a student. This is designed to be a non-academic evaluation.

Jay was a unique individual. Jay was a solo percussionist with our Jazz Band. He was also first chair on his wind instrument in the North Jersey Area and Region Bands as well as the New Jersey All State Band for three consecutive years. In addition, he was quarterback of the Freshman, JV, and Varsity football teams and first string on the baseball team during each of his high school years. Jay accomplished all these as well as maintaining good grades with a sense of humor, humility, and devotion both to the groups in which he participated and his teachers and fellow students.

You are encouraged to be candid and forthright. These responses will be held in strict confidence. Please return this form, at your earliest convenience, to the Band Director. Thank you for your cooperation.

Please circle one in each category (1 is lowest, 5 is highest):

Attitude: 1 2 3 4 5 Reliability: 1 2 3 4 5 Leadership: 1 2 3 4 5

School Spirit: 1 2 3 4 5 Integrity: 1 2 3 4 5 Dedication: 1 2 3 4 5

Comments:

Signature: _____