

The Betty & Jim Welby Memorial Scholarship

Description

The Betty and Jim Welby Memorial Scholarship was established by family and friends in 2011. James Welby, a 1947 graduate of Lackawanna College had a successful career with the United States Postal Service and took great pride in community involvement. He continued with his education at the University of Scranton and received a Bachelor's Degree. Betty Welby was a long time member, volunteer, and employee of St. Ann's Basilica Parish in West Scranton. Mr. & Mrs. Welby were survived by 13 children. This scholarship is awarded annually to a deserving full-time freshman in financial need. Preference will be given to a member of Scranton's St. Ann's Basilica Parish or a graduate of West Scranton High School.

Criteria

The recipient of the Betty & Jim Welby Memorial Scholarship must show financial need and/or be a member of St. Ann's Parish in Scranton and/or a graduate of West Scranton High School.

Award

The amount of the award is \$500 (\$250 per semester) toward the tuition balance after financial aid (grants only) has been applied to the student's account.

Application Procedure

Student must submit the application to the Lackawanna College Admissions Office along with required materials by the application deadline. Selected students will be notified shortly after the deadline.

Deadline

Application deadline for this scholarship is **April 30th**.

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PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name _____ Social Security # _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone (____) _____ Mobile Phone (____) _____

Email address _____

ACADEMIC INFORMATION

High School _____ Graduation Date _____

Current/Final Class Rank _____ Intended Major _____

Current/Final GPA _____ SAT/ACT scores _____

List any honors, awards, community service activities, and criteria you have met:

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- Applicant must show financial need and/or be a member of St. Ann's Parish in Scranton and/or a graduate of West Scranton High School
- Must be a resident of Pennsylvania and a first semester freshman.
- Applicant must be in good academic standing
- Two hundred word essay on the importance of receiving this scholarship.
- Submit a copy of official high school transcripts and SAT scores.
- Scholarship Application Deadline is April 30th.

I give Lackawanna College permission to use information from my academic records and financial aid application during the review of my eligibility for any scholarship. I understand that additional information may be requested from me in order to properly complete the scholarship application.

Signature _____ **Date** _____