



Tampa Bay CPO Association

BUC PAUL SUMMERS (TBCPOA) Scholarship

Scholarship Requirements and Application

What is the BUC PAUL SUMMERS (TBCPOA) Scholarship?

This Scholarship is a \$1,000 scholarship payable at \$1,000 in one lump sum. or in two \$500 increments over a two-year period.

Who may apply?

Any college or graduated/graduating high school student who is a TBCPOA member in good standing (MIGS) or a legal relative (As previously described in the letter on page one) of a TBCPOA MIGS and who is currently or will be enrolling in an accredited college, junior college, university, or trade school for the year beginning in September. The enrollment may be in a curriculum of any number of years but the scholarship will not exceed two years. (Applicant must be a TBCPOA MIGS or a legal relative of a TBCPOA MIGS with dues paid up at time of application.)

How and when do I apply?

Complete the application in accordance with the instructions and send it to the TBCPOA office at the address provided. All applications must be received in the TBCPOA office not later than June 15th.

What must accompany the application?

The application must be returned along with (1) a transcript of high school or college grades through the latest period prior to April 15th, (2) a letter of recommendation from a member of the high school or college faculty. That letter shall include the number of students in the graduating class and the applicant's current standing in the class, (3) ACT and/or SAT scores, (4) extracurricular activities, (5) career goals, (6) past employment, and (7) a 500 word essay.

How will the application be judged?

The scholarship recipient will be selected by the Scholarship Committee based on the general worthiness of the application. The TBCPOA Scholarship Committee will consider (1) scholastic standing, (2) ACT and/or SAT scores, (3) extracurricular activities, (4) career goals, (5) past employment, (6) the essay and (7) neatness and thoroughness of the completed application.

How will the confidentiality of the application be protected?

When the application has been received by the TBCPOA, each application is given a number and an acknowledgment is sent to the applicant. The application is handled only by the Scholarship Committee Chairman of the TBCPOA. Once this has been done the first page of the application will be placed in a sealed envelope marked only with the application number. The Scholarship Committee Chairman then reviews the application in detail and removes any and all words or references that provide information relating to the applicant's identity or affiliated TBCPOA member. The Scholarship Committee will meet at predetermined times and review only sanitized copies of the application. Should any committee member recognize the applicant through the remaining information, that member will disqualify themselves from

consideration of that application and the remaining committee members will make the determinations regarding that application.

If selected, must I maintain eligibility?

To continue to receive the second annual scholarship check (if you choose the \$500 for the two year option) you must remain enrolled in an accredited college, junior college, university or trade school and you must maintain a minimum 2.0 GPA. You are required to send a transcript to the TBCPOA office not later than July 15th of the second year. You are expected to attend the August membership meeting (Scholarship Night) that second year to accept your check for the next year.

How can I obtain further information?

If you have any questions, or need clarification of any details, contact Master Chief Chuck Peterman, Scholarship Committee Chairman of the TBCPOA, by telephone during business hours at 813-875-1753 or 813-767-1569 after business hours.



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Scholarship Application

Application Number: _____ (assigned by staff)

The applicant must complete this form using a pen; please PRINT. Once signed, a parent or guardian and a school counselor MUST approve the application. Answer all questions. If a question does not apply, write "none" in the space provided.

NAME OF APPLICANT (Please print)

FIRST	MIDDLE	LAST
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DATE OF BIRTH: _____

STREET ADDRESS: _____

CITY, STATE, ZIP: _____

HOME PHONE: _____

NAME OF SECONDARY OR HIGH SCHOOL: _____

YEAR OF GRADUATION: _____

TBCPOA MEMBER (YES or NO): _____

MOTHER'S FULL NAME: _____

FATHER'S FULL NAME: _____

WHAT IS YOUR RELATIONSHIP TO TPCPOA MEMBER? _____

Selection Process

After the application is received, acknowledged, and assigned an Application Number, the Scholarship Committee will place this page in a sealed envelope and it will not be opened until after the selection has been made. The Scholarship Committee will not have any knowledge of this information during the selection process. Applications not selected are destroyed.

I certify that the information herein is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature of Applicant: _____
Date: _____

Signature of parent or guardian: _____

Date: _____

I approve the submission of this application.

Signature of CURRENT school counselor: _____

Name: _____

Date: _____

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I. General Information

Name and address of high school/college:

Year of Graduation: _____

Ask your Guidance Counselor to attach a copy of your official transcript (in a sealed envelope) to this application. This is a *requirement* when applying. Be certain that the Guidance Counselor signs the transcript.

Name and address of the school you are enrolled in or intend to enroll in for the next academic year:

Have you been accepted? _____

How long is the course of study? _____

When do you expect to finish? _____

Briefly describe the course of study: _____

What are your plans for the summer? _____

What are your career plans? _____

II. Academic and Extra Curricular Information

What course of study have you followed in high school/college (e.g., college preparatory, business, industrial, etc): _____

High School class standing _____ of _____

(Even if currently enrolled in college)

Have you taken the College Board Examination? _____ If "yes" list subjects and Scores:

Subject

Aptitude Score

Achievement Score

List honors, awards, prizes or distinctions received: _____

In what school activities have you participated? List any offices you have held.

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Describe any other group activities in the community in which you have participated and list any offices held in organizations: _____

List and describe your hobbies and outside interests: _____

Describe any extraordinary responsibilities you have at home: _____

What work experience have you had? _____

III. Submit an essay of 500 words or less on the importance of Service. (Community, Military, Civic, Charitable, etc.) Attach it as part of this Application.

IV. Sharing

Should you be selected to receive the BUC PAUL SUMMERS TBCPOA Scholarship, we would like your permission to include portions of your application and your essay in our scholarship book. This book is available for members to review. We may also print portions of your essay and application in various other association communications and publications.

Your signature below will indicate your approval.

Signature of applicant

Thank you for your submission.

Please return the completed application to the Scholarship Committee Tampa Bay CPO Association at the below address:

Master Chief Chuck Peterman
1705 W. Comanche Ave
Tampa, FL 33603