

AOH Sean MacBride Division #32 Scholarship Applications Available

Division #32 has announced that applications are now being accepted for the **AOH Sean MacBride Division #32 Scholarship Award for 2022.**

Specifics can be found in the application but Scholarship nominees must be sons, daughters or grandchildren of an active or deceased AOH member or an active AOH member already accepted for education post High School. You may contact Division Vice President, John Truel, for an application. The application can also be found on the Division website at www.aohdivision32.org.

Applications may be submitted via email or mail delivery and will be accepted until 5:00 PM on **Saturday, March 26, 2022** by the chairman of the scholarship committee, Vice President John Truel, at the following address:

136 Cedar Blvd
Pittsburgh, PA 15228
Phone: 412.478.4903

Email: jtruel136@verizon.net **(Please put AOH Scholarship Award in the Subject line)**

AOH SEAN MACBRIDE DIVISION #32 SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

1. Nominees may qualify for the AOH Sean MacBride Division #32 scholarship under the following membership conditions:
 - A. The nominee may be a **member** of the Division. The member must be active and in good standing. An active member is one who regularly attends meetings and functions. (A photocopy of the current year membership card must be submitted.)
 - B. A nominee may be a **son or daughter/grandson or granddaughter** of an active member, in good standing, who has been a member of the Order for at least 3 years. An active member is one who regularly attends meetings and functions. (A photocopy of the current year membership card must be submitted.)
 - C. A nominee may also be a son or daughter/grandson or granddaughter of a deceased Division #32 member, who was a member in good standing. The deceased member must have been one that regularly attended meetings and functions. (A photocopy of the latest membership card, or a document attesting to the above, signed by their Division President, must be submitted.)
2. One award will be given out for a total of \$1,000.00. If no nominees meet the standards requested by this committee, standards will not be lowered to find a winner. Therefore, it is possible to not award any scholarships in a given year.
3. Minimum standards for awardees are that they must be accepted for enrollment at an accredited college, trade/vocational school, and must be a practicing Catholic in good standing with the church.
4. Other factors to be considered by the scholarship committee include, but are not limited to:
 - a. Active as a volunteer in his or her community.
 - b. Active in extracurricular activities including, but not limited to, after-school employment.
 - c. Academic credentials.
 - d. Letters of recommendation.
 - e. Financial need.
5. Those wishing to be considered for the award must have completed an **Entry Form** by his or her school district guidance department, or the equivalent, if applicable. Forms must be received by the committee chairman by **Saturday, March 26, 2022** for consideration. An **Application Form** must be completed by the nominee and also returned by **Saturday, March 26, 2022**.
6. A letter from a parish priest of his or her parish stating his support for the candidate as a member in good standing and listing the candidates' activities within the parish, if applicable. As with the other applicable forms, this letter is due on or before **Saturday, March 26, 2022**.
7. A letter from the candidate must be submitted explaining how and where they will further his or her education. Scholarship awards will be distributed to the student, rather than the school, in order to ensure maximum benefit to the student.

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Application for Award

Name of Nominee:

Address:

City:

State:

Zip:

Phone:

School:

AOH member is/was my (circle one) Father Grandfather

Name of AOH member:

Division #

Years as an active member of the Order:

(Please include a copy of current year, or latest, Membership Card)

Parish of Nominee:

Pastor:

Activities within the Parish in which nominee participates:

Community Service Work:

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Additional Comments or Special Circumstances:

Parent(s) Names:

I attest to the accuracy of the information submitted.

Date

(Signature of Nominee)

Letters of Recommendation are strongly suggested, but not required.

All Applications and Entry Forms must be received by the Scholarship Chairman on or before
5:00 PM Saturday, March 26, 2022

**AOH SEAN MACBRIDE
DIVISION #32
SCHOLARSHIP AWARD
2022 Entry Form**

(To be completed by Guidance Department, or equivalent, if applicable)

Name of Nominee

Address

City

State

Zip

Phone

School

If applicable:

Present Quality Point Average

or Percentile

SAT Scores: Verbal

Math

Total

Class Rank

out of

Students in High School Senior Class

Academic Awards:

Extracurricular Activities:

I submit that all of the information provided above is correct and current.

Guidance Official:

Date:

Signature

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Checklist of Information to be Submitted by Saturday, March 26, 2022.

<u>Documents Due</u>	<u>Must be received by</u>
1. Application for Award	March 26, 2022
2. Entry Form	March 26, 2022
3. Photocopy of Membership Card	March 26, 2022
4. Letter of Endorsement from Pastor	March 26, 2022
5. Letter explaining use of Scholarship, field of study, and school attending.	March 26, 2022

All information must be sent to:

John Truel, Chairman
AOH Division #32 Scholarship Committee
136 Cedar Blvd
Pittsburgh, PA15228

Only information packets received by Saturday, March 26, 2022 will be considered.