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## Park Ridge Morning Club Key Club Scholarship APPLICATION

In recognition of community service and outstanding leadership, the Kiwanis Park Ridge Morning Club will award up to \$2000 in scholarships to graduating seniors who are members of the Maine South High School Kiwanis Key Club.

### ELIGIBILITY

- Applicant must be a graduating senior and a current member of Key Club at Maine South High School
- Applicant must prove acceptance into a technical school, college, or university program

### CRITERIA

Applications will be judged on the following:

- School and community involvement with Kiwanis Key Club
- Leadership responsibilities in high school
- Grade transcripts for junior/senior years of high school
- Two letters of recommendation from non-relative individuals documenting leadership abilities and school/community involvement
- Submission of a 300 word or less essay on the subject "Why Key Club involvement has been an important part of my high school experience"

### DUE DATE

**Both application and letters of recommendation must be received no later than April 23, 2018.**

**Completed applications** should be submitted by mail or delivered in person to:

Mr. William L. Scharringhausen, Scholarship Committee  
Kiwaniis Park Ridge Morning Club  
19 N. Seminary Avenue  
Park Ridge, IL 60068  
[wlsrxr@att.net](mailto:wlsrxr@att.net)

**Letters of recommendations** should be submitted by mail in a sealed envelope to:

Jim McGowan, Key Club Sponsor  
Maine South High School  
1111 S. Dee Road  
Park Ridge, IL 60068  
[jmcgowan@main207.org](mailto:jmcgowan@main207.org)

Applications that are incomplete will not be considered.  
Winners will be notified by May 5, 2018.



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### KEY CLUB SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

**1. I PLAN TO ATTEND the following College, University, OR Technical School**

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**2. I HAVE PARTICIPATED in the following KEY CLUB ACTIVITIES**

**A. FRESHMAN YEAR (include Leadership roles)**

**B. SOPHOMORE YEAR (include Leadership roles)**

**C. JUNIOR YEAR (include Leadership roles)**

**D. SENIOR YEAR (include Leadership roles)**



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**3. Please tell us about any other community service you have done during your high school years. This can include involvement with other organizations or faith-based groups.**

**4. On a separate piece of paper, please provide a 300 word or less essay describing: *“Why Key Club involvement has been an important part of my high school experience.” Include your Name and Date at the top.***

**5. Please include with this application a copy of your transcripts from Junior and Senior year of high school.**



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### LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION

\_\_\_\_\_ is applying for a Kiwanis Park Ridge Morning Key Club Scholarship. Please submit a letter of recommendation describing your impressions of the student's involvement in community service, his/her leadership capabilities and potential, and/or any other factors you feel demonstrate the student's ability to "make a difference" in their school and community. Please state in what capacity you have known the applicant. Recommendation letters should be typed, on professional stationery if possible.

The scholarship selection committee will review each application and select scholarship winners based on the above criteria, as well as their academic success.

Thank you!

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Feel free to contact William L. Scharringhausen, Kiwanis Park Ridge Morning Scholarship Committee at 847-825-4630 or [wlsrxr@att.net](mailto:wlsrxr@att.net) for further information.