

Corporal Matthew Lembke Memorial Scholarships



These scholarships are dedicated to the memory of Matt Lembke and have been created through the joint efforts of Tualatin High School, The Tualatin Chamber of Commerce, the Lembke Family, and the Foundation for Tigard-Tualatin Schools. The scholarships are funded by the annual Regatta Run, and by generous donations of family, friends, and the community. The Tualatin Chamber of Commerce has played an integral part in fundraising for this scholarship fund, and as such, is a co-sponsor for the second award for a student majoring in Business.

Applicants must reside in Tualatin, attend Tualatin High School their junior and senior year, and graduate from Tualatin High School with plans to attend an accredited college or university.

Matt Lembke was an enthusiastic and optimistic person with a quick smile and a witty sense of humor. He was energetic and full of life. Matt loved the outdoors and played several sports but football became his passion in high school, where he was given the nickname "Lump-E." Matt was a 2005 graduate of Tualatin High School who joined the Marine Corp shortly after graduation with the intent to become the best Marine he could be. He served two tours of duty in Iraq and extended his commitment to the Marine Corp in order to participate in a third tour to Afghanistan with plans to attend college in Oregon after completion of that deployment. Matt was critically injured while on patrol in Afghanistan in June of 2009 and succumbed to complications from the injuries and died on July 10, 2009.

In honor of Matt's character and service, this scholarship will be awarded to the applicant that most closely typifies the qualities of **honor, courage, commitment, dedication, and service to others.**

SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION FOR THE 2015-2016 SCHOOL YEAR

- Scholarship application will be available in the Tualatin High School Counseling Office and at the Foundation office in January.
- **One scholarship** recipient will be awarded \$2,500.00 for use beginning in Fall 2016. **Applicants who will be attending an Oregon accredited college or university will be given priority for consideration. NO SPECIFIC AREA OF STUDY IS REQUIRED FOR THIS SCHOLARSHIP.**
- **One scholarship** recipient will be awarded \$2,500.00 for use beginning in Fall 2016. **Applicants who will be attending an Oregon accredited college or university will be given priority for consideration. THE AREA OF STUDY/MAJOR MUST BE BUSINESS.**
- **Application due date is Friday, April 8, 2016, by 4:00pm to:**

Foundation for Tigard-Tualatin Schools
6960 SW Sandburg Street
Tigard, OR 97223
Attention: Cpl. Matt Lembke Memorial Scholarship
(located at the Tigard-Tualatin Schools Administration Building)
- **For more information or questions: Contact the Foundation: 503-431-4024.**

PERSONAL INFORMATION:

Applicant Name: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Phone: (Home) _____ (Cel) _____

FAMILY INFORMATION:

Father: _____ Occupation: _____

Address: ___ Same as above or _____

Mother: _____ Occupation: _____

Address: ___ Same as above or _____

ACADEMIC INFORMATION:

Cumulative GPA after 7th semester: _____

SAT Verbal Score _____ SAT Math Score _____ ACT Score _____

Other Score: (_____) _____

What is your intended area of study/major? _____

Please attach a SEALED, CERTIFIED COPY of your transcript from the Tualatin High School Counseling Office.

LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION: Please submit TWO letters of recommendation from teachers, administrators, counselors, employers, church leaders, or others. These must be typed, and submitted in a sealed envelope with the complete application. At least one letter of recommendation must be from a Tualatin High School Staff Member. Letters may not be from a relative.

ACTIVITIES:

School:

Community:

Church:

Other:

APPLICATION ESSAY: Type a 1-1 ½ page essay on why/how you exemplify the characteristics of honor, courage, commitment, dedication, and service to others. Essay must be typed, double-spaced, and included with application.

COLLEGE INFORMATION: List the Colleges to which you have applied

<u>College</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Date Applied</u>	<u>Accepted?</u>	
1. _____			Y	N
2. _____			Y	N
3. _____			Y	N
4. _____			Y	N

FINANCIAL INFORMATION: List anticipated costs for the school you expect to attend

Tuition _____
Room & Board _____
Books _____
Supplies _____
Other (specify) _____ (_____)

TOTAL \$ _____

**List the anticipated sources of funding that you expect for assistance
(Scholarships, Grants, Job Income, Gifts, Parental Support, Savings, etc.)**

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

I, _____, hereby acknowledge that all of the information submitted on this application is true and correct, and that the submitted essay is my own personal work.

I also acknowledge that applicants attending an Oregon college or university will be given priority in the selection process. I also acknowledge that if I am awarded one of the scholarships requiring a Business area of study and I change my area of study before the Fall, that I will forfeit the scholarship and notify Kathy Hollamon at Tualatin High School immediately so that the scholarship committee can notify the next recipient in line.

Dated _____

Signature _____

MATTHEW LEMBKE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP CHECKLIST

(All of the following items must be received together)

**The required materials for this scholarship are listed below.
This checklist is for your convenience to verify completion of all requirements.**

- ___ **APPLICATION** (Complete and signed)
- ___ **Sealed TRANSCRIPT** from Tualatin High School Counseling Office
- ___ **SAT/ACT** or other major test score information
- ___ **TWO LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION** (at least one from TUHS staff member), signed by author.
- ___ **1-1 ½ page TYPED ESSAY** on why/how you exemplify the characteristics of **HONOR, COURAGE, COMMITMENT, DEDICATION, and SERVICE TO OTHERS.**

PLEASE BE SURE TO SIGN APPLICATION!

**Application due date is Friday, April 8, 2016 by 4:00pm to the
Foundation Office at the TTSD Admin. Building**

Bring or mail completed application materials to:

**FOUNDATION FOR TIGARD-TUALATIN SCHOOLS
Attention: Cpl. Matthew Lembke Memorial Scholarship
Hibbard Administration Building
6960 SW Sandburg Street
Tigard, OR 97223**

**For questions regarding this scholarship, please contact the
Foundation Office at 503-431-4024**