

Westchester County Swimming Officials

(a Chapter of the N.Y.S.C.O.)

The Frank Pandolfo Girls Scholarship and The Dave & Terry Heller Boys Scholarship

A complete application package includes: this completed application; a copy of official transcript; a signed letter of recommendation from a teacher, coach, principal or guidance counselor; a typed essay not exceeding 300 words in length.

Applicant Name _____ Phone # _____

Home Address _____

High School _____

School Address _____

Father's Name _____

Occupation _____ Employer _____

Mother's Name _____

Occupation _____ Employer _____

Please list the school(s) you are considering for your post secondary education. If already accepted, please so indicate by placing a check mark next to that school's name.

Very briefly, what do you consider is a major reason for your choice of a school?

Applicant Name _____

How many years have you been a member of your Westchester County High School swimming & diving team? _____

List any outstanding accomplishments during your swimming/diving career:

Community Service Experience:

Describe your community service work below (attach additional sheets if necessary): Community service work during the school year: (Volunteer service to a community organization and/or school-based service projects done in the community during the academic school year). Please list activity and the estimated hours of participation:

Community service work during the non-school year. Please list activity and the estimated hours of participation:

Applicant Name _____

Honors and/or Awards, Special Recognition and Scholarships:

List any honors and/or awards, special recognition and scholarships you have received both in and out of high school. If necessary, attach an additional sheet, printed neatly or typed, outlining each category.

Honors/Awards: _____

Special Recognition: _____

Scholarships: _____

Please read and sign the following statement:

I certify that all of my responses on this application are accurate and true.

Signature of Applicant

Date

Applicant Name _____

Student Essay:

Please use this space to type your required essay. You may use a separate sheet of paper to do your essay, but be sure to include your name and type **Student Essay** across the top.

Subject for Essay: *Swimming and/or diving has played an enormous part in my interscholastic growth and has improved my own self-esteem.*

Expand upon this theme. Please limit your remarks to 300 words or less.

Hand written essays will not be considered.

Applicant Name _____

This page must be completed by your School Principal or Guidance Counselor.

Grade Point Average:

Please check the BOX next to the student's official grade point average at the end of his/her first semester Senior year. The GPA should not include grades for physical education or drivers education.

	Percent Grade	Letter Grade	4-Point Scale
(1) <input type="checkbox"/>	90.00 & up	A-, A, A	+3.50-4.00
(2) <input type="checkbox"/>	80.00 - 89.99	B, B+	3.00-3.49
(3) <input type="checkbox"/>	70.00 - 79.99	C, C+	2.00-2.99

Class Rank:

Enter rank in class at the end of the first semester Senior Year: _____ Senior Class Size: _____

Please read and sign the following statement:

I certify that the above Grade Point Average and Class Rank are correct.

Signature

Title

Date

Scholarship Criteria

	Available Points	Maximum Points
Community Service		
High School related	15	
Non-school related	15	
		30
High School Transcript		
90.00 & up	25	
80.00 - 89.99	15	
70.00 - 79.99	10	
		25
Participation in High School Swimming & Diving in Westchester County		
Three (3) or more years	25	
Two (2) years	15	
One (1) year	5	
		25
Recommendation		
Teacher, Coach or Principal	10	
		10
Essay - Personal interpretation by WCSO Scholarship Committee	10	
		10
Maximum Available Points		100

Applicant Name _____

Scholarship Application Package Checklist

I have:

- Obtained the signature of my Principal or Guidance Counselor.
- Signed and dated the application.

I have enclosed the following along with my application:

- Copy of my official transcript.
- Signed letter of recommendation from a teacher, coach, principal or guidance counselor.
- Typed Essay not exceeding 300 words in length.

- Self-addressed, stamped postcard. (Enclose only if you would like acknowledgment that your application was received by the committee).

APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY

February 28, 2022

Send your completed application package to:

Michael Kissane
W.C.S.O. Scholarship Award
3507 Strang Boulevard
Yorktown Heights, New York 10598

The Girls Scholarship is named in Memory of former WCSO Official Frank Pandolfo.

The Boys Scholarship is named in Honor of longtime WCSO Officials Dave & Terry Heller.