The **Friends of John Ponte Memorial Scholarship** seeks to recognize students who meet the criteria of excellence in both academics and student athletes.

Selection is based on: a) academic performance, b) leadership, c) participation in school activities, d) character, and e) participation in sports.

To be eligible for the **Friends of John Ponte Memorial Scholarship**, applicants must:

1. Plan to matriculate at an accredited school of higher education;
2. Demonstrate a strong record for four years of high school;
3. Submit an application to the Counseling Department by **April 1, 2020**;
4. Submit two letters of recommendation (only one from a teacher) that speak to the applicant’s character, leadership, ability to work with people, study habits, and citizenship;
5. Obtain an additional letter from a school counselor showing an interest in higher education and academic achievement;
6. Submit a high school academic transcript.
FRIENDS OF JOHN PONTE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Application

(Print/type and submit to Ms. Berardinelli in the Counseling Department by April 1, 2020.)

1 - Name _______________________________ Date of Birth ________________

2 – Address (street, town) ____________________________________________

3 - Phone Number __________________________

4 - Father or Guardian _________________________________________________
    Employer __________________________________________________________
    Occupation _________________________________________________________

5 - Mother or Guardian _________________________________________________
    Employer __________________________________________________________
    Occupation _________________________________________________________

6 - Schools attended:
    Elementary School ________________________________________________
    Middle School _____________________________________________________
    High School ________________________________________________________

7 - Name of School Counselor _________________________________________

8 - School Activities and Clubs _________________________________________

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9 - Community Involvement (include activities such as scouting, volunteering, camp counselor, day care, etc, in which you were involved during four years of high school). Attach extra sheet if necessary.

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10 - Interests and Hobbies

11 - Work Experience:
   After School
   Summer Employment

12 - Colleges to which you have applied or have been accepted (indicate status):

13 - Anticipated Major

14 – Academics:
   Scholastic Average
   Class Rank
   SAT or ACT Scores

**ESSAY:** Please describe a person or event that has had the biggest impact in your life and explain why.
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