FRIENDS OF JOHN PONTE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
Torrington High School

Two $500 (non-renewable) scholarships available annually for graduating seniors (one who plays baseball and one who plays football)

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 Guidance Office 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.
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Application

(Print/type and submit the Guidance Office 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 _________________________________________

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.

10 - Interests and Hobbies _____________________________________________
11 - Work Experience:

After School

Summer Employment

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

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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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Application due to Guidance Office by April 1, 2020.