MILFORD HIGH SCHOOL BAND BOOSTERS
BRANDON MICHAEL WAGAMON HASTINGS
MUSIC EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP
PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

PURPOSE:

The Milford High School Band Boosters is a group of individuals working to encourage and maintain an interest in all aspects of the music program at Milford High School. As members of the Band Boosters, Dawn and Steve Hastings established this scholarship in the memory of their son, Brandon, to assist Milford High School seniors planning on pursuing a career in music.

CRITERIA:

I. Available to Milford High School Seniors who have been accepted into a music program at a College or University with the intent on pursuing a career in music after graduation from college. A music career may include Music Education, Music Performance, Music Composition, or other aspect of music (please specify).

II. This scholarship is only available to students who have participated in the Milford High School Band through their entire education at Milford High School.

III. Applicant shall be enrolled at Milford High School at the time of application.

IV. Applicant shall submit a completed application form, including essay, to arrive at the specified destination no later than April 1st of the year of graduation. All applications must be submitted in a sealed envelope addressed to the Milford High Band Boosters, Scholarship Committee.

AWARD:

I. The amount of the award shall be $250.00.

II. The award shall be a one-time presentation.

III. The successful applicant shall be notified by May 1st of the graduation year. Unsuccessful applicants shall not be notified.

IV. Applicants shall be evaluated on the information submitted per the instructions of the application. The Scholarship Award Selection Committee may, at their sole discretion, appoint a non-bias Scholarship Award Selection Committee to review the applications and determine the successful applicant.

PRESENTATION:
The award, in its full amount, shall be presented to the successful applicant at the Senior Awards Ceremony.

APPLICATION SUBMISSION AND INFORMATION:

Completed applications, including essay, shall be submitted in a sealed envelope to:

Milford High School Band Boosters Scholarship Committee
c/o Mrs. Christine Smith, Band Director
Milford High School
MILFORD HIGH SCHOOL BAND BOOSTERS
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APPLICATION FORM

PERSONAL INFORMATION

NAME:______________________________________________________________________________________

DATE OF BIRTH:________________________

PERMANENT MAILING ADDRESS:_____________________________________________________________

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EVENING PHONE:__________________________ SEX:_____ M_____ F

APPLICANT’S EMAIL ADDRESS:_________________________________________________________________

NAME OF GUIDANCE COUNSELOR:____________________________ PHONE:__________________________

GUIDANCE COUNSELOR E-MAIL ADDRESS:_____________________________________________________

PARENT(S) OR LEGAL GUARDIAN:____________________________________________________________________

ADDRESS:___________________________________________________________________________________

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DAYTIME PHONE:__________________________ EVENING PHONE:_________________

COLLEGE YOU PLAN TO ATTEND:_________________________________________________________________

MAJOR FIELD OF STUDY:_______________________________________________________________________

ANTICIPATED DEGREE:________________________________________

EXPECTED DATE OF COLLEGE GRADUATION (MO/YR) ___/___

(NOTE: Copy of acceptance letter to the above college or letter discussing your status of college application must accompany this scholarship application.)
REFERENCES

Provide three (3) references, unrelated to you, who can be contacted with regards to this application:

1. NAME:____________________________________________________
   ADDRESS:__________________________________________
   _________________________________________________
   _________________________________________________
   OCCUPATION:________________________________________
   HOW ACQUAINTED:________________ HOW LONG:__________
   DAY TIME PHONE:_____________ EVENING PHONE:__________

2. NAME:____________________________________________________
   ADDRESS:__________________________________________
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# ACTIVITIES

This section is divided into four parts: Activities Sponsored by High School; Organized Volunteer, Community or Other Activity not Sponsored by High School; Other Activities; and Previous Awards. Please list each activity only once in the appropriate section. Be sure to include any special recognition that was achieved. Attach additional sheets as necessary.

## PART A: Activities Sponsored by High School (i.e. Math Club, Science Fairs, Honor Society, Athletic Teams, Band, Service Club, etc.)

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## PART B: Organized Volunteer, Community or Other Activity Not Sponsored by High School (i.e. scouts, 4-H, Music, Church or other community Organizations)

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PART C: Other Activities. List here any other activities which could provide information regarding your candidacy for this scholarship (i.e. employment, independent study, College sponsored courses, etc.)

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PART D: Previous Awards. List any other scholarships or grants that you have received.

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ESSAY

Prepare a double-spaced typewritten essay of approximately 200 words (one side of one sheet) that addresses how you would use music to improve your community. Include the area of music you plan to pursue (education, performance, composition, etc.) and why you chose that particular field. Title your essay "Music for the Masses", include your name and the date under the title and include with the application submission.

HIGH SCHOOL TRANSCRIPT

Obtain a certified copy of your high school transcript and include with the application submission. Include a description of the grading system used and indicate on the transcript any courses that were included in the high schools' "honors" or "advanced placement" program (suggest using a high lighter with a legend description on the transcript).

AFFILIATION:

Please include the position or instrument you play and the number of years you have been with this organization:

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VERIFICATION

I hereby acknowledge that the information contained in this application is true and correct. Any falsification of information shall be grounds for disqualifying my application.

__________________________________________________________________________
Signature of Applicant

APPLICATION CHECKLIST

1. Completed and signed application form.
2. Acceptance letter or letter discussing college application status.
3. Essay
4. Transcript
5. Keep a copy for your records.