

**Community Foundation for Muskegon County  
Rich McCarthy Oakridge Scholarship Fund**

The Rich McCarthy Oakridge Scholarship is currently a one-time \$1,000 award, available each year for a graduating senior from Oakridge High School. To qualify, a candidate must exhibit demonstrated academic ability and a strong motivation to succeed and to pursue higher education. There are three parts to this application:

- A. The application form below
- B. The Applicant Appraisal form which may be written by a teacher, a counselor, an employer, a minister or others in your community
- C. The Academic Status form to be filled out by your Counselor

All of the above must be submitted to your high school counselor no later than **May 7, 2014**. The McCarthy Advisory Committee will review the applications and select the recipient. Determination will be made in May. The winner will be announced at the Oakridge High School senior awards ceremony.

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**APPLICATION**

- 1. Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_
- 2. Address: \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_
- 4. Parent(s) Name (s): \_\_\_\_\_
- 5. High School Graduation Date: \_\_\_\_\_ 6. Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_
- 7. School or College attending next Fall: \_\_\_\_\_
- 8. Subject Area, Program or Degree: \_\_\_\_\_
- 9. Make a statement of your educational plans as they relate to you and your career goals. Include some of the points you would like the selection committee to remember about you:

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10. List memberships and participation in school and community organizations. Indicate offices held, honors, awards and other achievements.

A. _____	G. _____
B. _____	H. _____
C. _____	I. _____
D. _____	J. _____
E. _____	K. _____
F. _____	L. _____

11. Please report any unusual family, personal or financial circumstances you feel warrant consideration by the Committee.

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12. Have you applied for financial assistance at the college you plan to attend?  Yes  No

13. Have you completed a FAFSA form?  Yes  No

14. Have you applied for other scholarships? (private or local organizations)  Yes  No

15. If you answered yes on #14, please list below:

Source	Amount	Granted	Pending
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Applicant's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date Completed: \_\_\_\_\_