



Coach Jim Pearson Endowed Scholarship *Guidelines*

- 1. Name:** Coach Jim Pearson Endowed Scholarship Fund
- 2. Established:** 2006
- 3. Amount:** The amount of the scholarship will vary each year according to interest earned on the corpus of the fund. The award amount should not exceed the available interest earned unless the difference would be supplemented from other sources.
- 4. Purpose:** To assist students in continuing their education at a college, university, technical, trade or vocational school.
- 5. Criteria:**
 - A. Applicant must be a graduating student from Kickapoo High School in the Springfield R-12 Public School system.
 - B. Applicant must enroll in a college, university, technical or trade school upon graduation from high school.
 - C. Grades are a consideration. Applicant must be recognized as making a sincere effort in his or her scholastic endeavors. Applicant must supply a copy of his/her transcript with the application.
 - D. Applicant must have participated in the football program at Kickapoo High.
 - E. The student must share the same determination, spirit, love of athletics and citizenship that was demonstrated by Coach Jim Pearson.
- 6. Procedure:**
 - A. Scholarship will be awarded annually to a graduating senior from Kickapoo High School.

- B. Student must complete the Coach Jim Pearson Endowed Scholarship application and have at least one letter of recommendation from a high school teacher or counselor.
- C. The Kickapoo High scholarship selection committee will make their recipient recommendation to the Foundation for Springfield Public Schools. The Foundation will verify that the recommended recipient meets all established criteria.
- D. After receiving proof of enrollment, the Foundation shall send a check payable to that institution.
- E. The scholarship will not be renewable. If there is no suitable applicant for a particular academic year, the scholarship will not be awarded that year only and will be awarded the following year based on the same protocol.
- E. Questions regarding the Coach Jim Pearson Endowed Scholarship should be directed to:

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