



Southwest Community Concert Band

Established – 1982

2019 Student Scholarship Descriptions and Criteria

In its efforts to promote concert band music throughout the surrounding communities, the Southwest Community Concert Band has established two (2) annual student scholarships.

Southwest Community Concert Band 2019 Summer Band Camp Scholarship Eligibility

- Open to any Middle School or Junior High School student who wishes to attend the Southwest Community Concert band camp June 17 – 21, 2019, and has completed one school year of school band or music lessons.

*Student must register and attend the 2019 Southwest Community Concert Band Camp to receive award.

Award—Attendance at the Southwest Community Concert Band 2019 Summer Band Camp held June 17 – 21, 2019.

Selected by—A committee of Southwest Community Concert Band Summer Band Camp instructors.
(Southwest Community Concert Band reserves the right to verify scholarship application information)

Scholarship Definitions:

- **Southwest Community Band Area** – currently we have an active membership and audience of over 35 local communities, villages, towns, and cities.
- **Active member** – A member attending a majority of the Southwest Community Concert Bands rehearsals, concerts and band functions.
- **All scholarship awards** – will be selected by the above named and will be approved by the Southwest Community Concert Band board members.

All Southwest Community Concert Band student application forms and essays must be post marked no later than May 4, 2019.

Mail printed forms to:

Southwest Community Concert Band – Scholarships
Post Office Box 244; Lockport, Illinois 60441-0244

Director/Teacher letters of recommendations *only* may be emailed to info@swcommunityband.com.



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Student Scholarship Application and Essay Form

(Page 1 or 2 SWCCB scholarship application)

Please read all scholarship information carefully.

You may apply for the Southwest Community Concert Band (SWCCB) Summer Band Camp Scholarship provided you meet the criteria set for on the 2019 Student Scholarship Description document.

Print out this application form and essay page.

1. Neatly handwrite your essay answering the 4 questions on the essay page.
2. Ask your band director / Private lesson teacher to submit a letter of recommendation to: info@swcommunityband.com No later than May 4, 2019
3. Before mailing your scholarship application and essay please save a copy to keep and mail your original forms and essay.
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(Fill in the following information – put N/A in the blank if this information does not apply to you.)

Name _____ Phone (____) _____

Address _____ City _____

State _____ Zip _____ Email _____

(Notification will be sent to this email address)

School _____ Current Grade _____

Band Director _____

Private Lesson Instructor _____ Phone (____) _____

Primary Instrument _____ How long have you played? _____

Secondary Instrument _____ How long have you played? _____



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Scholarship Essay Form

(page 2 of 2 Essay Questions)

Name _____ School _____

Grade _____ Instrument _____ Phone () _____

In your own handwriting please use this page to write a one-page essay.
(use both sides of the page if necessary.)

- a) What does it mean to be a part of your school band and/or receive music lessons?
- b) Explain any musical accomplishments you have achieved. This may include awards, personal achievements, musical ability and techniques.
- c) What are your musical goals?
- d) Why should you be awarded a 2019 Southwest Community Band Scholarship.