



OLE BULL VIOLIN SCHOLARSHIP ELIGIBILITY

TO QUALIFY FOR THIS SCHOLARSHIP, YOU MUST BE A SENIOR OR GRADUATE FROM A HIGH SCHOOL IN POTTER, TIOGA, ELK, MCKEAN, CAMERON OR CLINTON COUNTY OR A RESIDENT OF ANY OF THE ABOVE LISTED COUNTIES. FINANCIAL NEED IS AN IMPORTANT CRITERION FOR THIS SCHOLARSHIP. THE APPLICANT MUST BE PURSUING A DEGREE IN THE MUSIC FIELD.

High school students must return this application to your guidance office by **March 1**. There will be no exceptions. Non-traditional students return to the Elk County Community Foundation via fax, mail or email. The Scholarship Selection Committee appointed by the Foundation's Board of Directors will select the scholarship recipient.

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Dr. Inez Stewart Bull was a woman of many interests and talents. Chief among her passions were music, music education and Norwegian-American relations, revolving primarily around her distant cousin, the world-famous violinist Ole Bull. The applicant must be pursuing a degree in the music field at any accredited college with a music department. Preference would be given to violin majors, but if one is not available other music majors will be eligible. Preference would be given to a student who has played in the Ole Bull Music Festival and/or summer awards concert in New York City. One scholarship will be given annually.

TERMS FOR SCHOLARSHIP

The committee will grant the **OLE BULL VIOLIN SCHOLARSHIP**. The selection of students to receive scholarship grants shall be made by the committee without regard to race, religion or sex of the applicants or their political or economic perspectives. The committee will not place restrictions upon a candidate's choice of college or university.

The committee shall require, prior to the disbursement of any scholarship, proof that the scholarship recipient is actually enrolled as a student at the educational institution for which the grant is made, and all scholarship grants shall be paid only to the education institution attended by the recipient and never directly to the recipient. This grant covers tuition, fees, and books for the applicable fall or winter/spring quarter. If you have any questions, talk to your guidance counselor or contact the Foundation at 814-834-2125.

The Community Foundation of the Northern Alleghenies is approved as a PATH Program participant.

If you are awarded a scholarship of at least \$200 from the Community Foundation, we will submit your name to AES/PHEAA for additional scholarship funding through PATH. To be eligible for the PATH award, you must meet the following criteria: be enrolled in an approved Pennsylvania College or career school; be a State Grant recipient and have a Federal Student Loan; and demonstrate financial need for PATH Program Grant. PATH grants will not exceed the Maximum State Grant for the particular academic year.

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS RETURN DIRECTLY TO YOUR GUIDANCE OFFICE

NON-TRADITIONAL STUDENTS RETURN TO THE ADDRESS BELOW By March 1st:

Elk County Community Foundation P.O. Box 934 ~ St. Marys, PA 15857

eccf@elkcountyfoundation.org or fax 814 834-2126

Type or print neatly in black or blue ink. Only complete applications will be considered.

Personal Information:

_____		_____		_____	
Last Name	MI			First Name	
_____		_____		_____	
Street Number	Street Address		Apt. /Unit Number		
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
City	State	Zip Code	Home Phone	Cell Phone	
Sex: M F	Date of Birth: _____		_____	_____	_____
	MM/DD/YYYY		Name of High School	Date of Graduation	

E-mail Address					

Parental Information:

_____		_____		_____	
Father's Last Name	MI			First Name	
_____		_____		_____	
(If different) Street Number	Street Address		Apt. /Unit Number		
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
City	State	Zip Code	Best Available Phone Number		
_____		_____			
Name of Employer		Employed Since			
_____		_____		_____	
Mother's Last Name	MI			First Name	
_____		_____		_____	
(If different) Street Number	Street Address		Apt. /Unit Number		
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
City	State	Zip Code	Best Available Phone Number		
_____		_____			
Name of Employer		Employed Since			

Employment Information:

Do you currently have a part-time job? If yes: _____

Position

Name and Phone Number of employer _____ Wages _____

Major Field of study in college:

_____ G.P.A. _____

Name of the College you are attending or will attend. _____

Anticipated Graduation: _____

High School _____
Name and County Year Graduated

Financial Information:

Please enter your Expected Family Contribution (EFC) number that can be found on the top of your Student Aid Report (SAR), which is generated after completing your Free Application for Federal Student Aid Form

(FAFSA):_____. If this number is not available at the time of submitting the application, please provide details as to the status of FAFSA. Please fax or call the Community Foundation office when the number becomes available.

Family Taxable Income: _____

Other Family Financial Assets or Resources available to assist the student: _____

Number of Dependents in Family _____ Number of other siblings in College _____

Applicant's Anticipated Financial Aid _____

***Anticipated Financial Aid should be listed specifically that is known at this time, (scholarship, grant, loan, work-study) and list the amount awarded for each. ***

Attachments:

- Please attach an activity resume that highlights all of your activities in the sectors of school and community and any honors and/or awards you have received.
- Please attach a short, computer-generated essay (200-250 words) on what your future goals are and how this scholarship will help you attain these goals. Include what college and major concentration you will be pursuing. The essay should be written with 1 ½ inch spacing, margins justified, 12-point font in Times New Roman. Check for neatness, spelling and structure.
- Please attach one letter of reference from someone who can attest to your musical accomplishments.
- Send proof of graduation from high school in Potter, Tioga, Elk, McKean, Cameron or Clinton County.
- Enclose current transcript.

I attest that all personal data included within this application is truthful and in no way misleading. All contents have been completed entirely by me (the applicant) to the best of my knowledge.

If I am selected as a recipient of a Community Foundation of the Northern Alleghenies scholarship, I agree to permit the Foundation to confer with my school to verify my continuing enrollment during the term of my scholarship. I also agree that my name and photograph can be used in announcements made by the Community Foundation of the Northern Alleghenies regarding the particular scholarship(s) for which I have been awarded. I also agree that by signing this I permit my school to give the Community Foundation of the Northern Alleghenies information regarding my SAT scores or current GPA.

Awards may be used at any accredited, nonprofit college or university within the United States.

Signature of Applicant

Date of Signature