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2022 Scholarship Opportunities for Crosby Scholar Seniors

All Scholarship details or criteria are subject to change. The most accurate and up to date information will always be posted in the Crosby Scholars Student Portal.

<u>AAMPED Scholarship</u> – The Program will award one non-renewable \$1,000 scholarship to one graduating Crosby Scholar senior who has participated in an AAMPED activity, who will enroll in a two- or four-year college or university; has a cumulative weighted GPA of 3.0 or higher; who has successfully completed all requirements of the Crosby Scholars Program from grade 9 through graduation; and who has performed a minimum of ten community service hours during their high school years. The student will clearly demonstrate in an essay how they will apply the principles of servant leadership to their college experience and beyond. The application is available in the Crosby Scholars Student Portal. *Opens in the Portal February 14 – Deadline is March 13*

Advancing Capitalism Scholarship – The Program will award up to three renewable \$1,250 scholarships to graduating Crosby Scholar seniors who will enroll in a four-year college or university with either Business or Economics as their intended major, has a cumulative weighted GPA of 3.2 or higher, and who submit an essay utilizing one of three available essay prompts. The scholarship is renewable through four continuous years of undergraduate study for a maximum cumulative award of \$5,000 as long as the recipient maintains a 3.0 GPA, a major in business or economics, and provides an annual update on their progress through school. The application is available in the Crosby Scholars Student Portal. Opens in the Portal January 31 – Deadline is February 27

<u>Bigs for Success Scholarship</u> – The Program will award up to three non-renewable \$1,000 scholarships to graduating Crosby Scholar seniors who will enroll in a two- or four-year college or university, have a cumulative weighted GPA of 2.5 or higher, who successfully completed their match for the year, and who joined the Bigs for Success Program during their junior year. The student will clearly demonstrate in an essay how mentorship has made an impact on their lives. The application is available in the Crosby Scholars Student Portal. *Opens in the Portal March 7 – Deadline is April 3*

The Carolyn "Mimi" Fox Education Scholarship -- The Program will award one non-renewable \$1,000 to one graduating Crosby Scholar senior who demonstrates academic achievement by maintaining at cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher; who actively participates in extracurricular activities, including community service; who completes all requirements of the Crosby Scholars Program; and who plans to enroll at a two- or four-year college or University and who plans to teach in public education or be a public school teacher. The application is available in the Crosby Scholars Student Portal. *Opens in the Portal January 24 -- Deadline is February 20*

<u>Crosby Scholars Last Dollar Grants</u> - This grant is not automatically awarded to every scholar who successfully completes The Program. Scholars must reapply each year. The Program will award need-based grants up to \$1,200 to qualified Crosby Scholars who graduate from high school with a cumulative weighted GPA of 2.0 or higher (maintain a cumulative college GPA of 2.0 or higher), successfully complete all program requirements, and demonstrate not only financial need but also

remaining need after the school of choice has awarded aid as determined by the federal financial aid guidelines. The application is posted in the Crosby Scholars Student Portal in late spring of senior year. **The priority filing deadline is May 15 for high school seniors and June 15 for college scholars.** A scholar is eligible to apply for a Last Dollar Grant for up to four years of undergraduate study. *Opens in the Portal in late spring 2021 of senior year*

<u>Cultural Awareness Scholarship</u> – The Piedmont Opera has partnered with the Crosby Scholars Program to offer Crosby Scholars free tickets to fall and spring performances. The Crosby Scholars Program will award one non-renewable \$250 scholarship to a junior or graduating Crosby Scholar senior who attends a performance. A scholarship will be awarded at each of the performances. There is no separate application for this award.

Dean Smith Integrity Award – The Program will award a non-renewable \$1,000 scholarship to one graduating Crosby Scholar senior who will enroll at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and who exemplifies the virtues of integrity, loyalty, and open-mindedness. This award is to honor the memory of Coach Dean Smith and his commitment to both the Crosby National Celebrity Golf Tournament and the Crosby Scholars Invitational Golf Tournament. The award also honors his inspiring record of leadership, service, and excellence. The application is available in the Crosby Scholars Student Portal. *Opens in the Portal April 4 – Deadline is May 1*

Executive Director's Award – A non-renewable \$50 book stipend is awarded to seniors who joined The Crosby Scholars Program in the 6th grade and completed each requirement each year on time without interruption. (This is defined as never having to attend a make-up event; never missing a deadline; never having to be granted an extension or never having to be reinstated.) There is no application for this award.

Friends of Bernardine Rea Scholarship – The Program will award up to five non-renewable \$500 scholarships to graduating Crosby Scholar seniors who faithfully participate in service to others and who plan to enroll in a two- or four-year college or university. Bernardine's friends wish for this scholarship to assist deserving students in continuing their education with fervor and drive according to their unique abilities, while never forgetting that life is not just about what you accomplish, but how well you treat your neighbors and friends. The application is available in the Crosby Scholars Student Portal. *Opens in the Portal January 10 – Deadline is March 27*

<u>The Fulton Carolina Medal</u> – The Program will award a need-based \$1,500 scholarship annually to one graduating Crosby Scholar senior who will enroll at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and who has shown an active and exemplary commitment to service to others. **This scholarship is renewable through four years of undergraduate study for a maximum award of \$6,000**. The application is available in the Crosby Scholars Student Portal. *Opens in the Portal April 4 – Deadline is May 1*

The Goodwill Willpower Scholarship & The Art Gibel Scholarship – The Program will award a non-renewable \$1,500 scholarship annually to one graduating Crosby Scholar senior who has weathered adversity resulting from a personal choice and has emerged with a remarkable story of willpower and determination. The Program will award an additional \$1,000 scholarship annually to the first runner up (second place) applicant. The applicant must plan to enroll in a two- or four-year college or university. The application is available in the Crosby Scholars Student Portal. *Opens in the Portal January 31 – Deadline is February 27*

<u>James L. Einstein College Scholarship</u> – The James L. Einstein College Scholarship provides one \$3,000 renewable scholarship to a graduating Crosby Scholar senior who will attend a two- or four-year college or university with a cumulative unweighted GPA of 2.5 or higher; who demonstrates participation in community service; and who demonstrates financial need. Preference may be given to Crosby Scholars seniors whose parents are employees of WestRock Company and work in Forsyth County. *Interested applicants may apply online at wsfoundation.org beginning January 1*

Jessica Hill Davis Memorial Scholarship – The Program will award a non-renewable \$1,200 scholarship to one graduating Crosby Scholar senior who demonstrates academic achievement by holding a cumulative unweighted GPA of 3.0 or higher; enrolls in a two- or four-year college in North Carolina; and clearly expresses in an essay how he or she has always felt different. *Preference will be given to recipients of the Crosby Scholars Executive Director's Award* (enrolled in Program since 6th grade without interruption). The application is available in the Crosby Scholars Student Portal. *Opens in the Portal March 7 – Deadline is April 3*

Joe Neely Memorial Scholarship -- The Program will award a non-renewable \$2,500 scholarship to one graduating Crosby Scholar senior who is a First Generation College Student; is Pell-eligible and demonstrates financial need as determined by the FAFSA, and who completes all requirements of the Crosby Scholars Program. The application is available in the Crosby Scholars Student Portal. *Opens in the Portal April 4 -- Deadline is May 1.*

John A. Taylor Achievement Award -- The Program will award a renewable \$2,500 scholarship to one graduating Crosby Scholar senior who is a First Generation College Student; is Pell-eligible as determined by the FAFSA, who shows academic achievement by holding a cumulative weighted 3.0 GPA, and who completes all requirements of the Crosby Scholars Program. The application is available in the Crosby Scholars Student Portal. *Opens in the Portal April 4 -- Deadline is May 1.*

Joyce Kohfeldt Determination Award – The Program will award a non-renewable \$1,000 scholarship to one graduating Crosby Scholar senior who will enroll in a two- or four-year college or university, who actively participates in community service and extracurricular activities, and who clearly expresses in an essay how any events or special circumstances have impacted his or her educational experience as well as any adversities he or she has overcome. The application is available in the Crosby Scholars Student Portal. *Opens in the Portal January 3 – Deadline is March 20*

<u>The Kay Landry Scholarship Award</u> -- The Program will award a non-renewable \$1,000 to one graduating Crosby Scholar senior from Carver High School who demonstrates a strong commitment to serving others; plans to enroll at a two- or four-year college or University; who completes all requirements of the Crosby Scholars Program. The application is available in the Crosby Scholars Student Portal. *Opens in the Portal February 28 -- Deadline April 10*

Kathryn Crosby Scholarship for Excellence -- The Program will award up to five renewable \$2,500 scholarships to graduating Crosby Scholar seniors who are First Generation College students, who are Pell-eligible as determined by the FAFSA, who demonstrate academic achievement by having a cumulative weighted GPA of 3.0 or higher, and who complete all requirements of the Crosby Scholars Program. The application is available in the Crosby Scholars Student Portal. *Opens in the Portal April 4 -- Deadline is May* 1

<u>Kenneth Simington Scholarship Fund</u> – The Program will award a non-renewable \$1,000 award to one graduating Crosby Scholar Senior who completes all requirements of the Crosby Scholars Program; Demonstrates service to their school and community through participation in community service;

demonstrates academic achievement by holding a cumulative weighted GPA of 2.75 or higher and is a First Generation college student. The application is available in the Crosby Scholars Student Portal. *Opens in the Portal January 24 – Deadline is February 20*

The Kristie Y. Mingo Memorial Scholarship – The Kristie Y. Mingo Scholarship awards one \$500 non-renewable scholarship to a graduating Crosby Scholar senior who enrolls at Winston-Salem State University and has an interest in singing. This scholarship was established to honor Kristie Y. Mingo, a beloved Crosby Scholars team member and WSSU graduate who loved singing in gospel choir. Kristie's warm personality and bright spirit is remembered by her family and by all Crosby Scholars staff who were honored to know her. The application is available in the Crosby Scholars Student Portal. Opens in the Portal March 28 – Deadline is April 25.

Les and Evelyn Riley Memorial Scholarship – The Program will award a non-renewable \$1,200 need-based scholarship to one graduating Crosby Scholar senior who enrolls in a two- or four-year college or university, who demonstrates academic achievement by holding a cumulative weighted GPA of 3.5, and who clearly expresses in an essay how a significant life experience has influenced him or her. The application is available in the Crosby Scholars Student Portal. *Opens in the Portal February 28 – Deadline is March 27*

<u>Mary Katherine Dixson Scholarship</u> – The Program will draw from the Mary Katherine Dixson Trust to award academic scholarships of varying amounts per academic year to graduating Crosby Scholar seniors who require special services in order to succeed in their post-secondary education endeavors. Students must enroll in a two- or four-year college or university or in another post-secondary program of study. Additionally, students must submit documentation from an appropriate high school or college staff member stating that they receive services under *Section 504* of the *Rehabilitation Act of 1973* or through the Exceptional Children's Program. The application is available in the Crosby Scholars Student Portal. *Opens in the Portal summer 2022*

<u>Michael Nachman Scholarship</u> – The Program will award a \$2,000 scholarship annually to the Crosby Scholar senior who holds the highest cumulative weighted GPA as of the end of the first semester of their senior year and who successfully completes all requirements of the Crosby Scholars Program. This merit-based scholarship is renewable through four years of undergraduate study for a maximum award of \$8,000. There is no application for this scholarship. <u>Please note: The Michael Nachman Scholarship will be awarded for the last time this year and will no longer be awarded in the current form after the conclusion of the 2021-22 academic year.</u>

<u>Mommie J Scholarship</u> – The Program will award a non-renewable \$1,500 scholarship to one graduating Crosby Scholar senior who enrolls in a two- or four-year college or university, who faithfully participates in community service and extracurricular activities, and clearly expresses in an essay how a special friendship has helped shape his or her life. The application is available in the Crosby Scholars Student Portal. *Opens in the Portal January 10 – Deadline is March 27*

Mona W. Lovett Community Volunteer Excellence Award – The Program will award a non-renewable \$1,000 scholarship to the graduating Crosby Scholar senior who provided outstanding service to the community as evidenced by his or her nomination for this award by a local agency. The application is available in the Crosby Scholars Student Portal. *Opens in the Portal January 17 – Deadline is February 13*

Mona W. Lovett Excellence in Volunteer Leadership Award – The Program will award a non-renewable \$1,000 scholarship to one graduating Crosby Scholar senior who created, spearheaded, or recruited others to participate in a service activity and who describes the journey as a volunteer leader in

a clearly-written essay. The application is available in the Crosby Scholars Student Portal. *Opens in the Portal January 17 – Deadline is February 13*

Mona W. Lovett Outstanding Commitment to Service Award – The Program will award a non-renewable \$1,000 scholarship to one graduating Crosby Scholar senior who completed a minimum of 50 hours of volunteer service during high school and who demonstrates in a clearly-written essay the sacrifices necessary to perform so many hours of service alongside the many demands of academics, extracurricular activities, part-time employment, and/or other commitments. The essay should also address what motivated the applicant to maintain such an extensive commitment to volunteering. The application is available in the Crosby Scholars Student Portal. *Opens in the Portal January 17 – Deadline is February 13*

Mona W. Lovett Service and Relationships Award – The Program will award a non-renewable \$1,000 scholarship to one graduating Crosby Scholar senior who made a significant commitment to volunteer service in grades 9-12 and who submits an essay about a significant relationship developed through volunteering, especially one that might not otherwise have been established. The application is available in the Crosby Scholars Student Portal. *Opens in the Portal January 17 – Deadline is February 13*

<u>Paul Fulton First Generation Scholarship</u> – The Program will award a non-renewable \$500 scholarship to one graduating Crosby Scholar senior who is a First Generation College Student, demonstrates academic achievement by holding a cumulative unweighted 2.5 GPA, and who demonstrates in an essay what "Being First" means to them. The application is available in the Crosby Scholars Student Portal. *Opens in the Portal February 21 – Deadline is March 20*

Right Decisions/Right Now Scholarship – The Program will award up to three non-renewable \$1,000 scholarships to graduating Crosby Scholar seniors who attended a complete week of the Right Decisions/Right Now camp, who demonstrate academic achievement by holding a cumulative weighted GPA of 2.5 or higher, and clearly express in a personal statement why he or she has chosen to remain tobacco free. The application is available in the Crosby Scholars Student Portal. *Opens in the Portal February 28 – Deadline is March 27*

Ronnetta M. Mosby Legacy Award – The Program will award two non-renewable \$500 scholarships to graduating Crosby Scholars seniors who demonstrate an active commitment to leadership, who enrolls full-time at North Carolina A&T State University, and who submits an essay defining their career goals. *Preference will be given to seniors who attend Parkland High School; however, all Crosby Scholars are eligible and are encouraged to apply.* The application is available in the Crosby Scholars Student Portal. *Opens in the Portal March 14 – Deadline is April 10*

<u>Sigma Pi Phi Fraternity (Gamma Kappa Boule') Scholarship</u> – The Program will award a non-renewable \$1,000 scholarship to two graduating Crosby Scholar African-American males who demonstrate academic achievement by holding a cumulative weighted GPA of 2.0 or higher; and clearly express in an essay the theme of being "My Brother's Keeper". The application is available in the Crosby Scholars Student Portal. *Opens in Portal February 7 – Deadline is March 6*

Wake Forest University/Crosby Scholars Scholarship – Wake Forest University will award up to three \$2,000 scholarships annually to graduating Crosby Scholar seniors who have been admitted to WFU. The Wake Forest University/Crosby Scholars Scholarships will be offered to active Crosby Scholars from historically underrepresented populations or families whose parents did not attend college, who rank within the top 20% of their graduating classes, demonstrate financial need, and successfully complete all requirements of the Crosby Scholars Program. The scholarships will be renewable for four years of

undergraduate study for students who continue to uphold the standards of the Crosby Scholars Program and who maintain a minimum GPA of 2.5 at Wake Forest University. All Crosby Scholars admitted to WFU who meet the additional criteria will automatically be considered for this scholarship. Crosby Scholars who wish to be considered for this scholarship must submit an application through their Crosby Scholars Student Portal. *Opens in the Portal January 3 – Deadline is March 1*

The Wingate University Scholarship for Crosby Scholars – Wingate University will award one renewable \$2,000 scholarship annually to any Crosby Scholar senior who will enroll at Wingate University as a regular, full-time undergraduate student beginning in fall 2022 and who completes all requirements of the Crosby Scholars Program. The award is renewable for up to four years of undergraduate study. Crosby Scholars who receive this Scholarship must maintain satisfactory academic progress as defined in Wingate University's catalog. Crosby Scholars who wish to be considered for this scholarship must submit an application through their Crosby Scholars Student Portal. *Opens in the Portal January 3 - Deadline May 29*

*The criteria for each scholarship are subject to change without prior notice. The Crosby Scholars Student Portal will have the most current information available.

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