



## LT. TERRENCE MULKEEN MEMORIAL AWARD

*Lieutenant Terrence Mulkeen was a 1977 cum laude graduate of Mt. Lebanon High School where he lettered on the football and basketball teams. He graduated from Carnegie Mellon University with a degree in Mechanical Engineering and Economics.*

*Terry earned his U.S. Navy wings and was a member of the elite Blackbird Adversary Squadron. On March 29, 1991 Terry was killed in the line of duty.*

*The Lt. Terrence Mulkeen Memorial Award was established in Terry's memory by his childhood friends. The scholarship recognizes an outstanding student-athlete graduating from Mt. Lebanon High School.*

**The recipient of the award receives \$8,000.00**

**(\$2,000.00 for each of the four years of undergraduate education).**

**If for any reason, the recipient leaves school, the remaining portion of the award will be forfeited.**

*The award money is given annually directly to the student for his/her discretionary use.*

The prerequisites for application to the Award are as follows:

1. Applicant must be a senior at Mt. Lebanon High School.
2. Applicant's cumulative Quality Point Average at the end of the first semester of the senior year must be 3.25 or greater.
3. Applicant must have earned at least one varsity letter in a *SANCTIONED* WPIAL interscholastic sport in junior and/or senior year.

**Applications must be returned to the Counseling Office no later than  
March 4, 2026**

**The recipient will be announced at the Honor Awards Ceremony in May**

**ATTACH ONLY YOUR TRANSCRIPT.**

**DO NOT ADD REFERENCE LETTERS OR ADDITIONAL PAGES.**

**TO DO SO WILL DISQUALIFY YOUR APPLICATION.**

**Tips for completing this application:**

1. **Download or Save the document to your hard drive**
2. **Open with Adobe Acrobat DC or Reader DC**
3. **Fill in required fields, save the doc and print**

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APPLICATION

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YOUR CELL NUMBER: [Click here to enter text.](#) FAMILY PHONE [Click here to enter text.](#)

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DATE OF BIRTH: [Click here to enter a date.](#)

PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME(S): [Click here to enter text.](#)

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**ATTACH TRANSCRIPT THAT INCLUDES FIRST SEMESTER SENIOR YEAR**  
**WRITE YOUR STUDENT ID NUMBER ON EACH PAGE IN THE SPACE PROVIDED**

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## **VARSITY LETTER(S) IN A WPIAL SANCTIONED SPORT**

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## **CLUBS, EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES, ETC. (Describe Your Degree of Involvement)**

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## **COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES**

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## ACADEMICS

**CUMULATIVE QPA** WEIGHTED [Click here to enter text.](#) NON WEIGHTED [Click here to enter text.](#)

**POST-SECONDARY** INSTITUTION TO WHICH YOU HAVE APPLIED OR BEEN ACCEPTED

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PROJECTED **FIELD OF STUDY** [Click here to enter text.](#)

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## REFERENCES (Please list two non-relatives)

NAME: [Click here to enter text.](#)

RELATIONSHIP TO APPLICANT: [Click here to enter text.](#)  
(Coach, Teacher, Employer, etc.)

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## ESSAY QUESTION

1. Complete typed essay *on a blank sheet with the student number at the bottom.*
2. Essay must be **200 words** or less.

Address this question on the following blank page:

*Tell us something that you would like us to know about you that we wouldn't learn from the rest of the application. It can be about anything: goals, personal experiences or other interests.*

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ESSAY SHEET

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## IN MEMORY OF TERRY MULKEEN



On March 29, 1991, Lt. Terry Mulkeen was killed in a plane crash while training fighter pilots at Key West Naval Air Station, Florida.

Terry was born December 30, 1958 in Mt. Lebanon and attended St. Bernard Grade School. He was a 1977 graduate of Mt. Lebanon High School where he was a member of the Cum Laude Society and played basketball and football. In his senior year, Terry quarterbacked the Blue Devils to the Western Conference Championship and was named to the All-Conference team. He went on to earn a degree in

Mechanical Engineering and Economics from Carnegie Mellon University. Terry was commissioned a Naval officer in 1981 and earned his wings in 1983.

Mulk, as his friends and co-workers called him, had his first assignment as an instructor pilot in Beeville, Texas. His next orders were for Jacksonville, Florida where he underwent training in the A-7E Corsair jet. Terry served aboard the USS Forrestal during deployments to the Mediterranean, Indian and North Atlantic Oceans.

At the time of his death, Terry was stationed at Key West Naval Air Station as a fighter pilot instructor. There he was a member of an elite adversary squadron called the Blackbirds who were the subject of a PBS documentary entitled "**Blackbirds in the Sun.**" The Blackbirds have thousands of flying hours aboard aircraft carriers, are graduates of the Navy's Top Gun school and complete another year of specialized instructor training. They simulate the tactics of the enemy through aerial dogfights. During his time in Key West, Terry flew the A-4, F-5 and F-16 fighter jets.

Mulk received many medals and citations during his career, among them 1988 A-7 Pilot of the Year and 1990 Association of Naval Aviation Aviator of the Year, Key West Chapter.

Terry is the son of Cecilia and the late William Mulkeen. He is survived by his mother; brothers Michael, Thomas and Timothy; and sisters Patricia, Susanne and Mary Louise.

His family remembers Terry as someone who, having achieved his childhood dream of flying jets, had hoped someday to return to Mt. Lebanon to coach young athletes in the community.

As a tribute to Terry, his friends have established the **Lt. Terrence Mulkeen Memorial Award**, which will be given annually to an outstanding Mt. Lebanon student-athlete. Donations may be sent to 209 Skylark Dr. Apollo, PA 15613.

In the words of his commanding officer, W.K. Foster, "Terry was a master of humility and grace. He had the gift of sound common sense that had us all seek his opinion. He was the epitome of a team player. Mulk maintained a firm grasp on reality and set his priorities accordingly: his family, his friends, his work, and finally, himself."

