

**All Star Lanes – Baton Rouge
Presents
The Walt Hilborn Memorial Scholarship**

In loving memory of Walt Hilborn (August 30th, 1930 – March 29th, 2009)

Walt Hilborn was an integral part of the Baton Rouge bowling community and most especially All Star Lanes. His love, knowledge and interest of the sport of bowling have motivated many to exceed in the sport and in life— especially our youth bowlers. We are looking for juniors who can honor Walt’s memory and benefit from the path he has paved.

Qualifications

- Nominee must currently bowl in an All Star Lanes – Baton Rouge bowling league and have a minimum of 21 games bowled from May 1st, 2015 – May 1st 2016.
- Nominee must be in 8th-12th grade at the time of application deadline.

Scholarship

- Scholarship money will be awarded this year to at least one boy and one girl. Funds may be used according to SMART regulations.
- Scholarships funds are available for six years from the date of your high school graduation. The one exception would be if a recipient would enlist in the military, the expiration date is extended by the number of years enlisted.

Procedures

- Nominees must submit a completed application by no later than **Tuesday May 9th, 2017**. (No exceptions will be made. Scholarships will be decided on May 10th.)
- Nominees must have school verify GPA and turn in copy of report card.
- Nominee must write an essay. (See essay section of application for qualified topics)

Selection Rules

Selection of recipient will be based on bowling involvement, academic standing, leadership qualities and essay submitted.

Applicants will be rated as follows:

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| • Academics | 1-30 points |
| • Bowling Involvement | 1-25 points |
| • Communication skill/essay | 1-20 points |
| • Community/Civic Involvement | 1-15 points |
| • References | 1-10 points |

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Instructions to Applicant

1. Fill out section 1 completely. Incomplete forms will not be considered.
2. Complete essay
3. Have School Verify GPA. Turn in copy of last report card.
4. Have references write recommendations and send to below address.
You may also attach additional sheets to provide any information which you feel may be helpful in our evaluation.
5. Deadline for application is Tuesday, May 9th, 2017
6. Mail completed Application to:
All Star Lanes – Baton Rouge
Attn: Kim Bogan
9829 Airline Hwy
Baton Rouge, LA 70816
Or Scan complete application and e-mail to kbogan@allstarlanesbr.com
7. A confirmation will be e-mailed to you verifying receipt of application. Please be sure to include e-mail address.
8. Any questions may be directed to Kim Bogan at All Star Lanes – Baton Rouge (225) 924-0124
9. Scholarship will be awarded May 14th, 2017 during the league appreciation tournament.

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Section 1

Name _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

E-mail Address(es) _____

Age ____ Date of Birth ____/____/____ Phone #1 () _____ Phone #2 () _____

Social Security Number _____ (for SMART identification only)

Parent(s)/Legal Guardians _____

Name of School _____ Grade _____

Weighted GPA _____ Unweighted _____ Are you in any honor classes? ()yes ()no. If yes please list.

School Activities and offices held (additional pages may be attached)

Community Involvement outside of school projects (additional pages may be attached)

Which institution(s) would you like to attend _____

Have you applied to any schools yet? ()yes ()no. If yes, have you been accepted? ()yes ()no

What area(s) are you interested in studying? _____

Have you been awarded any other scholarships ()yes ()no. If yes, please name award and amount. If you are in the Grand Prix Program just estimate amount earned so far.

Bowling Involvement

List the leagues you have bowled in:

(If you bowled in a league outside of the Baton Rouge Association please specify)

<u>Year</u>	<u>Leagues</u>	Average
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
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Please list any accomplishments in bowling you have achieved. Examples – placing in a tournament, high series award, perfect attendance in league, qualifying for a tournament, making your high school team, etc.

Where do you see bowling in your future? (additional pages may be used)

To my knowledge the above statements are true.

Signature of Applicant

Date

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Section 2

ESSAY

Write an essay to include information of the following: There is no minimum or maximum word count.

1. Why you are deserving of this award.
2. How it would help you to continue your education.
3. How bowling has impacted your life
4. Personal Information about yourself that makes you unique

Section 3

References

One –three recommendation letters required. All Star Lanes management is ineligible to write letters. The person writing the recommendation letter should include their relationship to the applicant and how many years they have known the applicant.

Section 4

GPA VERIFICATION

To be signed by school representative

I hereby verify that _____ has a GPA of _____ at
_____ School.

Signature of School Representative & Title

Date

Please submit a copy of last report card.

Deadline to submit application is May 9th, 2017