



REGINA DOMINICAN

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Maureen Brannen '83 Memorial Trust Fund

Maureen Brannen, a 1983 Regina graduate, was a dynamic young woman who was known for her tremendous amount of charisma, intelligence and energy. Tragically, she was killed in an auto accident at the age of 26. Her sudden death shocked all who knew her and created a void among her friends, family and co-workers.

Now, many years after her death, Maureen's family, friends from University of Illinois-Champaign, classmates from DePaul, and co-workers from The Northern Trust continue to ensure her spirit lives on. The Maureen Brannen '83 Memorial Trust was established to provide a one-year \$7,500 scholarship to a college-bound graduating senior. In honor of Maureen, the recipient must possess some of her attributes, including her strong participation in community service and extracurricular activities.

The award is given to a Regina Dominican graduating senior who has maintained a B average while demonstrating a commitment to community service. She should have played an active role in extracurricular activities while at Regina Dominican. This monetary award is made directly to the college or university that the recipient will be attending.

Application requirements are:

1. Complete the attached application. It must be TYPED. Email the application to Mrs. Kathleen Maher '80 (kmaher@rdpanthers.org) by **Friday, January 18, 2019**.
2. Include **two** letters of recommendation:
 - A. One from a Regina faculty member must be requested by **Thursday, December 20, 2018**.
 - B. One from a member of your community (i.e. civic, spiritual leader or employer, etc.)
 - C. Please provide the attached instructions (p.2) to your Recommenders.



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RECOMMENDATION INSTRUCTIONS

Thank you for agreeing to provide a letter of recommendation to a Regina Dominican student applying for the Maureen Brannen '83 Memorial Trust Fund scholarship. Below is some information about the scholarship that may be helpful as you prepare your letter. Please note the submission details and deadline below.

Maureen Brannen, a 1983 Regina graduate, was a dynamic young woman who was known for her tremendous amount of charisma, intelligence and energy. Tragically, she was killed in an auto accident at the age of 28. Her sudden death shocked all who knew her and created a void among her friends, family and co-workers.

Now, many years after her death, Maureen's family, friends from University of Illinois-Champaign, classmates from DePaul, and co-workers from The Northern Trust continue to ensure her spirit lives on. The Maureen Brannen '83 Memorial Trust was established to provide a one year tuition grant to a college-bound high school girl. In honor of Maureen, the recipient must possess some of her attributes, including her strong participation in community service and extracurricular activities.

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Please submit your **TYPED** letter of recommendation via email to Mrs. Kathleen Maher '80 at kmaher@rdpanthers.org. The recommendation must be received by **Friday, January 18, 2019** in order for the student to be considered for this scholarship.



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APPLICATION

Name:
Address:
City/State/Zip:
Telephone:
E-mail:
Father's Name:
Occupation:
Mother's Name:
Occupation:
Size of Family in your Household: Adults: Children:

FAMILY INFORMATION: (List only the number of children who will be attending tuition charging schools next fall and cost of tuition)

	Number of Children	Total cost for all
Elementary		
High Schools		
College and trade schools		



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ESSAY QUESTIONS - Please type your response in the text boxes below. They will expand as you type.

What are your future goals/aspirations?
Briefly explain how this scholarship will be helpful.
Please list your extra-curricular activities, including athletics. Please indicate the grade in which you participated in each activity.
List your activities outside of school.
Describe an event in your life that truly makes/made you happy.
What has been the biggest challenge/obstacle you have faced in your life and how did you handle it?
There are many outside influences which help to shape our personalities and values. Please describe the primary force which has the greatest influence in shaping your life.