Bailey Schmitt's Memorial Scholarship Application

Bailey "Bear" Schmitt was the firecracker of our family—full of energy, laughter, and a personality that could light up any room. She never met a stranger and had a special way of making everyone feel welcome and loved. Her kindness, enthusiasm, and genuine love for others left a lasting impression on everyone she met.

Sports were a big part of Bailey's life from the very beginning. She started playing softball at just four years old and later enjoyed basketball, volleyball, and cheerleading. She loved the friendships, teamwork, and excitement that came with being involved. Bailey also loved singing, dancing, acting, and expressing her creativity. She had a big heart for animals and looked forward to becoming involved in 4-H and FFA. Above all, Bailey loved her family, friends, and community and was always ready to lend a helping hand.

The Bailey Schmitt Memorial Scholarship was established to honor Bailey's life and legacy by supporting students who are committed to their education and actively involved in their schools and communities. We encourage applications from students who participate in athletics, FFA, the arts, theater, band, choir, and other extracurricular activities, as well as those who demonstrate a commitment to volunteerism and community service.

Through this scholarship, our family hopes to carry on Bailey's love for life, compassion for others, and enthusiasm for being involved. We believe Bailey would want to encourage others to pursue their dreams, continue their education, and follow their passions. By supporting students who share these values, we hope to keep Bailey's spirit alive while giving back to the community she loved so deeply.

2nd Annual Bailey "Bear" Schmitt Memorial Chili Cookoff Fundraiser will be held on February 6, 2027 at Harvest Park, 3001 Violet Street, Needville, Texas 77461.

Proceeds help support the scholarship fund and continue Bailey's legacy by investing in the dreams and futures of deserving students.

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Student Info	
First Name	
Last Name	
School Name	
Address	
Email/Phone	
GPA	
Scholarship Deadline: March 26, 2027	Scholarship Amount: Up to $1,000.00
Email and/or Mail Scholarship Application to Bailey Schmitt Memorial Scholarship Fund. Along with the Scholarship Application, applicants must provide their current high school transcript, letter(s) of recommendation (from a teacher, counselor, coach, outside organization/extra-curriculum head representative) and your official acceptance letter from your college or university.	Bailey Schmitt Memorial Scholarship Fund 11207 Aaron Way Needville, Texas 77461 baileyschmittmemorialfund@gmail.com

Academic Awards and Honors (Examples: Honor Roll, Academic Letters, National Honor Society, subject-specific honors/awards)

Name of Award	Year & Month Received	Brief Description

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Extracurricular Activities:

Please list the activities you are involved in outside of your academic coursework. These may include, but are not limited to:

- **School or Community Clubs/Organizations**
- **Sports**
- **Band and Choir**
- **Art or Theater**
- **4-H/FFA**
- **Volunteering**

Name of Activity	School/Community/Organization	Years of Involvement	Leadership Roles

Awards and Honors in Organizations, Activities, and/or Clubs (Examples: Athletic Clubs, 4-H/FFA leadership recognition, competition placements, etc.)

Name of Award	Year & Month Received	Activity/Organization

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Essay Prompt: Please write a 300–500-word essay addressing the following:

Choose one extracurricular activity or organization in which you are involved.
Describe your role in that activity/organization, level of participation, what this activity has taught you (such as leadership, responsibility, teamwork, or personal growth), and how this experience has influenced who you are today.
Additionally, explain why you are applying for this scholarship and how it will help you achieve your educational and/or career goals.

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Additional Education Plans

What college, university or technical school have you been accepted to?

Institution Name: _____

What major or program do you plan to pursue?

Intended Major/Program: _____

Briefly describe your career goals and how your chosen major supports those goals.
(Short answer – 2–4 sentences)

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