



2017 Chris Early Memorial Award Application

This recognition award and monetary gift is offered by St. Ann's Knights of Columbus council #8376

Please complete the form below and return it to the St. Ann's Parish Office by Friday, March 31, 2017. DO NOT mail or e-mail the application. Turn it in to the Parish Office receptionist or drop it in the mail slot in the Parish Office door if it is after office hours.

Applications must be complete and legible to process. Please read the application carefully and follow the directions.

You must be a registered member of St. Ann's parish (as of September 2016 or in the OCIA program this school year) **AND be a high school senior this school year, graduating December 2016 or May 2017.**

PLEASE NOTE: This is not a 'Life Teen Award'. It is open to all high school seniors who are registered parishioners at St. Ann's.

APPLICANT INFORMATION

NAME (First) (Middle Initial) (Last) Sex: ___ M ___ F

Street City Zip

Home Telephone Your e-mail Address

Parent(s) Names

Parent Cell Phone Number Parent e-mail Address

SCHOOL INFORMATION

High School _____

Where have you applied for higher education?

Accepted: Yes, No, Wait-Listed

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

If you have decided, where will you attend higher education? _____

REFERENCES

Please provide the names of up to three adults (**NOT** family members / friends or neighbors) who know you well, know your leadership abilities, your level of responsibility, how you live your faith in your daily life and whom we may contact. These might include teachers, coaches, employers, ministry heads, etc.

Each reference should be from a different category.

Be sure to give potential references the attached forms before mid-March, if possible, so they have time to prepare a reference letter and submit it before the March 31st deadline.

List your references and then give them the attached reference forms.

Name	e-mail Address	Phone	Role
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

NOTE: These applications are judged blind. Your responses and the requested references are all the committee will see to make their decisions. The committee will not know your name – they will only know what you tell them in response to the requested information. Be thorough.

On a separate sheet of paper, please provide the following information (typed input is preferred):

1. ACTIVITIES

Please list / describe, in a few sentences, each of your activities in the following areas. Provide as much detail as possible, including what was done / accomplished, how long you participated, leadership roles and opportunities, etc.

AT SCHOOL:

All activities in which you have participated at your high school, including clubs, volunteer activities, leadership positions, awards received, etc. This award does not consider your GPA.

AT ST. ANN'S:

All activities in which you have participated at St. Ann's during your high school years, including volunteer activities which may have benefitted a St. Ann's ministry, community service, leadership positions, etc.

ATHLETICS:

Any athletic activities in which you have participated while in high school, including but not limited to high school teams, recreational leagues, club teams, etc. Please note any awards earned from this activity.

OTHER ACTIVITIES / EMPLOYMENT:

All activities in which you have participated outside of school and church during your high school years, including jobs, internships, community service, etc. This includes both paid and volunteer activities.

2. ESSAY ON PRINCIPLES OF THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Please write an essay addressing the following question:

The Knights of Columbus is a fraternal organization built on the principles of Charity, Unity, Fraternity and Patriotism. How have these principles played a role in your life?

WAIVER

I CERTIFY ALL INFORMATION GIVEN IS TRUE AND ACCURATE. I GIVE PERMISSION FOR THIS INFORMATION TO BE VERIFIED. I UNDERSTAND THE APPLICATION WILL BE KEPT CONFIDENTIAL AND I WAIVE MY RIGHT TO ACCESS IT.

Signature _____ Date _____

Please direct questions to Steve Early (770-565-5760 or sjearly@bellsouth.net).

Knights of Columbus council #8376
Catholic Church of St. Ann
4905 Roswell Road NE
Marietta, GA 30062

The award will be presented Sunday, May 7, 2017 at the 6:00 PM mass at the Catholic Church of St. Ann.

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NOTE: The completed reference should not be given to you and turned in with your application. It must be sent directly from the reference in order to keep it confidential.

Dear _____ (name of reference)

_____ (name of applicant)

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