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Community Foundation

Crestmoor Scholarship Workshop **CC Students Transferring To 4 Year University**

Wednesday, February 15, 2023
Skyline College 1:00 p.m.

San Bruno Community Foundation

Created in 2013 by the City of San Bruno to administer the \$70 million in restitution funds received from PG&E as a result of the tragic 2010 gas pipeline explosion in the Crestmoor neighborhood.



Crestmoor Neighborhood Memorial Scholarship



Launched in 2016

Dual Goals:

- Honor the community members who most directly endured the destruction of the explosion and fire
- Help outstanding San Bruno students realize their dream of attending & completing college

Crestmoor Neighborhood Memorial Scholarship



2016

\$100,000 awarded to 7 students



2017

\$120,000 awarded to 8 students



2018

\$120,000 awarded to 9 students



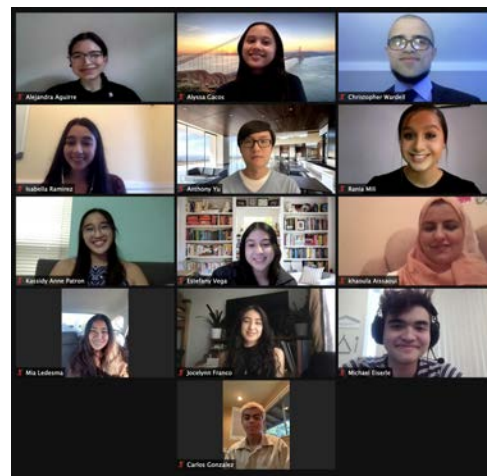
2019

\$120,000 awarded to 9 students



2020

\$190,000 awarded to 13 students



2021

\$195,000 awarded to 13 students



2022

\$190,000 awarded to 12 students

Three Types Of Scholarship Awards

1. **For Community College students transferring to a 4YR College:**
 - **\$10,000 (\$5,000 per year for up to two years)**
2. For graduating **high school seniors** who will enroll at a **four-year college or university:**
 - **\$20,000 (\$5,000 per year for up to four years)**
3. For graduating **high school seniors** who will enroll at a **community college:**
 - **\$5,000 (\$2,500 per year for up to two years)**

Total of \$160,000 to be awarded in 2023

Scholarship Awards

Scholarship awards may be used for:

- Tuition
- Fees
- Books
- Required supplies
- Room and board
- Transportation

Renewal of the Scholarship is contingent upon:

- Proof of full-time enrollment for the following academic year
- Proof of status as a student in good standing at the college

Applicant Eligibility

Applicants must:

- **Live in San Bruno OR attend a Community College located in San Bruno** at the time of application
- Plan to enroll, during the **fall of 2023**, as a first-year student at an accredited four-year college or university or an accredited community college
- Complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (**FAFSA**) or, for AB 540 students, the California Dream Act Application

Criteria

Must demonstrate:

- **Deep engagement and involvement in the San Bruno community**

Other factors considered:

- Applicant's financial need
- Extracurricular activities
- Academic record
- Examples of leadership, teamwork, and collaboration
- Significant challenges or obstacles you have faced and how that has affected your school and community involvement or significant achievements not highlighted elsewhere in application

Application Checklist

- **Online Application Form**
 - Applicant information
 - Activities list
 - Two mandatory essays; optional third essay
- **Supporting Documentation**
 - FAFSA or AB540 (Financial Need)
 - Certifications and Authorizations Form (to be co-signed by parent if under age 18)
- **Letter of Recommendation**
 - **One letter uploaded by the recommender**
 - A second letter of recommendation is optional

Application Checklist Continued



Academic Record Form and Official Transcript

- To be completed and uploaded by your school counselor
- The Academic Record Form asks your school counselor to provide your transcript and GPA. They also will certify your graduation date and that you are currently a student in good standing at your college.

Website Registration:

<https://www.sbcf.org/community-college-applicants>

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CRESTMoor NEIGHBORHOOD MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION INFORMATION FOR COMMUNITY COLLEGE STUDENTS

All portions of the Application Packet – including those portions to be completed by recommenders – must be submitted by **5:00 P.M. ON TUESDAY, MARCH 7, 2023**. Failure to provide a complete Application Packet by the deadline will result in your Application not receiving consideration.

Complete details of the Scholarship Program - including awards, eligibility, criteria, conditions, and timeline - are available on our [Scholarships](#) page. Questions? Email scholarships@sbcf.org.

APPLY HERE

Download One-Page Information Sheet for Community College Applicants:
in [ENGLISH](#) or [SPANISH](#)

Click [HERE](#) for Information on Optional Scholarship Workshops

Online Registration Form

Registration Form

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2023 Crestmoor Neighborhood Memorial Scholarship Background

This Scholarship Program is an initiative of the San Bruno Community Foundation, which is the nonprofit created by the City of San Bruno to administer the \$70 million in restitution funds received from PG&E after the devastating 2010 gas pipeline explosion in San Bruno's Crestmoor neighborhood. For more details about the Scholarship Program, click [here](#).

The Scholarship Program's goal is to help outstanding San Bruno students, who have demonstrated a strong commitment to the San Bruno community, obtain a college degree. Scholarship Recipients must demonstrate, as the top criteria, deep engagement and involvement in the San Bruno community. Other factors that will be considered during the selection process include, in no particular order, an applicant's financial need, extracurricular activities, academic record, and examples of leadership, teamwork, and collaboration. The Foundation may also consider whether an applicant has overcome significant challenges or obstacles and how those circumstances may have affected the applicant's school activities, other community involvement, or achievement in school.

To begin the application process, please proceed to the next page and complete a brief registration form. You must register to obtain the necessary links to provide to your recommender(s) and (for high school applicants only) your counselor.

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Registration

Registration Form **SAN BRUNO**
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First Name: * Last Name: *

Email Address: *

I am currently a: *

- High school senior who will enroll at a four-year college in the fall of 2023.
- High school senior who will enroll at a community college in the fall of 2023.
- Community college student who will transfer to a four-year college in the fall of 2023.

Upon submitting this form, you will receive an email that provides further instructions for completing the Crestmoor Scholarship application. If you have any questions, contact the San Bruno Community Foundation at scholarships@sbcf.org.

Thank you for beginning the application process for the Crestmoor Scholarship.

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Registration Response Email

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SBCF SCHOLARSHIPS <scholarships@sbcf.org>

**** SAVE THIS E-MAIL WITH LINK TO YOUR CRESTMOOR SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION ****

1 message

SBCF Scholarships <scholarships@sbcf.org>
To: "scholarships@sbcf.org" <scholarships@sbcf.org>

Wed, Jan 25, 2023 at 1:52 PM

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Dear SBCF Example,

Thank you for your interest in the San Bruno Community Foundation's Crestmoor Neighborhood Memorial Scholarship.

SAVE THIS EMAIL: It contains the link to your application and the hyperlinks you must send to your recommender and your counselor. The letter of recommendation and Academic Record Form must be submitted online, using the secure hyperlinks provided below. Emailed and hard copy letters of recommendation, Academic Record Forms, and transcripts will not be accepted.

1. **ONLINE APPLICATION:** Click [HERE](#) to access your online application. You will be able to save your progress and resume your application at a later time.
2. **LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION:** Send this link (https://www.tfaforms.com/5028178?tfa_2=SBCF&tfa_4=Example&tfa_204=0061R00001KS2Gt) to your recommender when requesting the letter of recommendation. If you choose to submit a second, optional letter of recommendation, you should direct your second recommender to the same link (https://www.tfaforms.com/5028178?tfa_2=SBCF&tfa_4=Example&tfa_204=0061R00001KS2Gt).
3. **ACADEMIC RECORD FORM:** Send this link (https://www.tfaforms.com/5028179?tfa_2=SBCF&tfa_4=Example&tfa_234=0061R00001KS2Gt) to your school counselor to complete the form and upload your transcript(s).

Your application, along with all supporting documents and paperwork, are due no later than **Tuesday, March 7, 2023 at 5:00 PM**. All portions of the application must be submitted online.

For full program guidelines of what must be submitted by the deadline, visit www.sbcf.org/scholarships. If you have any further questions, email scholarships@sbcf.org or call 650-763-0775. Please reference your application name (2023-SBCF Scholarship SBCF Example).

We look forward to receiving your completed application to be considered for this scholarship opportunity.

Thank you,

San Bruno Community Foundation

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← Copy & Paste this individually generated link (emailed to you), to email to recommender.

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Certifications & Authorizations Form

Crestmoor Neighborhood Memorial Scholarship Certifications and Authorizations Form / Forma de Certificación y Autorización de la Beca Conmemorativa del Vecindario de Crestmoor

Name of Applicant / Nombre del Solicitante: _____

1. Certification of Non-Relationship / Certificación de No-Relación

I certify that I am not a member of the Board of Directors, employee, or program consultant of the San Bruno Community Foundation, a sitting San Bruno City Councilmember, or a member of the Crestmoor Neighborhood Memorial Scholarship Selection Panel, and that I am not the spouse, domestic partner, or child (including adoptive child or stepchild) of any member of the Board of Directors, employee, or program consultant of the San Bruno Community Foundation, any sitting San Bruno City Councilmember, or any member of the Crestmoor Neighborhood Memorial Scholarship Selection Panel. I understand that, if I am disqualified for misrepresenting my relationship with any of the aforementioned or for any other reason, I will not be eligible to receive any scholarship from the Foundation. / Certifico que yo no soy un miembro de la Junta Directiva, empleado o consultante del programa de la Fundación de la Comunidad de San Bruno, un miembro actual del Concejo de la Ciudad de San Bruno o un miembro del Panel de Selección de la Beca Conmemorativa del Vecindario de Crestmoor, y que no soy el cónyuge, pareja doméstica o hijo (incluyendo hijos adoptivos o hijastros) de cualquier miembro de la Junta Directiva, empleado o consultante del programa de la Fundación de la Comunidad de San Bruno, cualquier miembro actual del Concejo de la Ciudad de San Bruno, o a cualquier miembro del Panel de Selección de la Beca Conmemorativa del Vecindario de Crestmoor. Entiendo que, si yo estoy descalificado por falsificar mi relación con cualquiera de los antes mencionados o por cualquier otra razón, no seré elegible para recibir alguna beca de la Fundación.

Signature of Applicant / Firma del Solicitante _____

Date / Fecha _____

2. Authorization to Use Information, Name, and Likeness / Autorización Para Utilizar Información, Nombre e Imagen

I acknowledge that the Foundation requires the right to use my name and likeness, as well as non-private information from my Scholarship Application, essays, and letters of recommendation as part of its publicity about the Foundation, the Crestmoor Neighborhood Memorial Scholarship Program (and Recipients), and fundraising for the Foundation and its programs. I hereby authorize the Foundation and City of San Bruno to so use my name and likeness, as well as non-private information from my Scholarship Application, essays, and letters of recommendation, in its discretion. The Foundation will not use my private information, such as my financial information and my academic record, other than as part of the Scholarship selection process, except with my consent or as required by law. / Reconozco que la Fundación requiere el derecho a utilizar mi nombre y semejanza, así como información no privada de mi solicitud de beca, ensayos y cartas de recomendación como parte de su publicidad sobre la Fundación, el programa de la Beca Conmemorativa del Vecindario de Crestmoor (y receptores) y recaudación de fondos para la Fundación y sus programas. Por la presente, autorizo a la Fundación y la ciudad de San Bruno a fin de utilizar mi nombre y semejanza, así como información no privada de mi solicitud de beca, ensayos y cartas de recomendación, a su discreción. La Fundación no podrá utilizar mi información privada, como mi información financiera y mi expediente académico, salvo que como parte del proceso de selección de beca, excepto con mi consentimiento o según lo requerido por la ley.

Signature of Applicant / Firma del Solicitante _____

Date / Fecha _____

3. Consent and Authorization to Verify Information / Consentimiento y Autorización Para Verificar Información

I acknowledge and represent to the Foundation that I have read the Program Description, Eligibility Requirements, Criteria, Conditions, and Timeline for the Crestmoor Neighborhood Memorial Scholarship, the Application, and related materials. I hereby consent to and authorize the Foundation to verify any information relevant to my Scholarship Application with appropriate school authorities, references, or others in a position to verify the information. I waive my right to privacy of this information for the purposes of evaluating my Application for this Scholarship. I release and hold harmless the Foundation and the City of San Bruno from any claims, damages, or liability whatsoever as a result of the disclosure to or use by the Foundation or the City of San Bruno of any such information. / Reconozco y represento a la

- Hand signatures only →
- No digital or electronic signatures accepted

Timeline

March 7

- Application deadline at 5:00 p.m.

By April 24

- Notification of Scholarship Recipients

Beginning in
June

- Payment of awards upon proof of enrollment

June 7

- Foundation Scholarship Presentation
(mandatory for winners)

Apply online at
www.sbcf.org

Questions?

Contact: Jessica Carrillo, Program Manager

Email: scholarships@sbcf.org

Cell: 650-922-8267

Application & Supporting Documents Due:

Tuesday, March 7, 2023 at 5:00 p.m.

Don't delay-start today!

www.sbcf.org