

Nick Adenhardt Memorial Scholarship 2024

Administered by the Kernels Foundation

Nick Adenhardt was a bright young pitcher who played for the Cedar Rapids Kernels in 2006, and he was a rising star in the Los Angeles Angels of Anaheim organization. Only hours after Nick's 2009 season debut on the mound for the Angels, he was tragically killed by a drunk driver on April 9, 2009, at age 22.

Nick's family would like to honor him by awarding a \$1,000 scholarship in his memory. The Kernels Foundation is privileged to administer the scholarship on behalf of Nick's family. The Kernels Foundation is also awarding two, \$1,000 scholarship in Nick's memory.

Scholarship Requirements:

- Applicant must be a graduating high school senior from an area public or private high school or home school
- Applicant must attend a two-year or four-year accredited college or university and take 12 or more hours per semester.
- Applicant must have played a school sport in the last two years.
- Applicant must be a great teammate.
- Applicant should have a clear vision of career goal.
- Applicant must demonstrate hard work and determination.

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Scholarship Submittal:

- Complete the Nick Adenhardt Memorial Scholarship Application
- Application **MUST BE SIGNED** and dated (NOT name typed in)
- Submit an essay as described in the Aspirations and Goals section of the application.
- Submit a certified copy of your transcript
- Submit the following 2 letters of recommendation from:
 - Sports coach or manager or teammate
 - School teacher or principal or counselor

All letters of recommendation **MUST BE SIGNED** and **MUST BE ON LETTERHEAD**.

Submit all of the above information by mail to:

Nick Adenhardt Memorial Scholarship
c/o Cedar Rapids Kernels
P.O. Box 2001
Cedar Rapids, Iowa 52406-2001

-or-

Electronically via e-mail to: marketingintern@kernels.com

Family members of the following groups are not eligible to apply: Full-time employees of the Cedar Rapids Kernels, Board of Directors of the Cedar Rapids Kernels, and Board of Directors of The Kernels Foundation.

Deadline for submittal (or postmark): Monday, April 1, 2024

- Awards will be made in early May 2024, and a presentation will be held during a Kernels game.
- The decision of The Kernels Foundation is final.
- A thank you note to the donor must be received before funds will be disbursed.
- Funds will be disbursed directly to the student's college or university.
- All submittals will be held confidential.

For questions, please contact:

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General Information--page 1

Name : _____

Date of Birth: _____ Gender: _____

Home Address: _____
(include City)

Student's Email: _____ Telephone: _____

Parents' / Guardians' Names: _____

Father's Occupation: _____ Father's Employer: _____

Mother's Occupation: _____ Mother's Employer: _____

Number of Siblings in household 18 and below: _____ Number of Siblings Currently Attending College: _____

High School: _____ Counselor's Name: _____

Grade Point Average: _____ ACT Composite: _____ Advanced Placement Hours / Credits: _____

Graduation Date: _____ Rank in Class: _____ out of a class of: _____

Planned major field of study and career plan:

College you will attend: _____

Scholarships awarded: _____ Amount: _____

Activities--page 2 (attach additional sheet(s), if necessary)

Name: _____

SPORTS ACTIVITIES (last 4 years) (Include sports honors received & leadership positions held.)

List in order of importance to you:

Sport	How Long?	Position
_____	_____ to _____	_____
_____	_____ to _____	_____
_____	_____ to _____	_____
_____	_____ to _____	_____
_____	_____ to _____	_____
_____	_____ to _____	_____
_____	_____ to _____	_____

SCHOOL ACTIVITIES (last 4 years) (Include honors received & leadership positions held.)

List school activities in which you have participated. Include choir, band, performance groups, student government, clubs, theater, etc. List in order of importance to you:

Activity	How Long?	Responsibilities
_____	_____ to _____	_____
_____	_____ to _____	_____
_____	_____ to _____	_____
_____	_____ to _____	_____
_____	_____ to _____	_____
_____	_____ to _____	_____
_____	_____ to _____	_____

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES (last 4 years) (Include honors received & leadership positions held.)

List community activities in which you have participated. Include volunteer projects, church/religious activities, clubs, etc. List in order of importance to you:

Activity	Hours/month	# of months	# of years	Responsibilities
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

PAID WORK EXPERIENCE

Employer	Hours/month	# of months	# of years	Responsibilities
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

ASPIRATIONS AND GOALS

Please submit an essay (500 words or more) on a separate sheet describing yourself, including personal aspirations, educational goals, career goals, and your circumstances / qualifications related to the scholarship requirements of playing a school sport, being a great teammate, and demonstrating hard work and determination.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

(By signing this Application, you confirm the information contained therein is true and correct to the best of your knowledge & ability.)

Due on Monday, April 1, 2024