



Powers Catholic High School John Reynolds & Thomas Dutkowski Scholarship

The John Reynolds & Thomas Dutkowski Scholarship was established in 2013 in honor of John Reynolds and Tom Dutkowski for their extraordinary dedication to the mission of Powers Catholic. It is hoped that this scholarship will enable other students to receive a caring and quality education offered at Powers Catholic High School.

Mr. John Reynolds, former administrator and counselor for Powers Catholic High School, is well respected by many alumni and colleagues who know him. To his students he was more than a guidance counselor and left so many impressions beyond academia that are carried in the hearts of many former students. He is a constant mentor who has molded many boys and girls into over achieving women and men by instilling principles of love, hard work and dedication.

Mr. Thomas Dutkowski, a valued Alumni, English Teacher and Baseball coach for over 30 years at Powers Catholic High School. Tom's dedication to his students and players is highly thought of by many. His passion for coaching has been a beacon for those who have played for or against his teams. He put this same dedication into the yearbook during his tenure as yearbook advisor. He loves Powers Catholic and is always the first to promote its mission.

JOHN REYNOLDS & THOMAS DUTKOWSKI SCHOLARSHIP ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

Financial need or applicant is one of more than one student attending Powers Catholic High School

A minimum GPA of 2.5

Family & student are active and participating members of a Genesee, Shiawassee or Oakland County Catholic Parish

The student has demonstrated high levels of effort, integrity, honesty, and while participating in academics and/or baseball or other extracurricular activities at their parish or school

JOHN REYNOLDS & THOMAS DUTKOWSKI SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

If selected as a recipient, the student will receive an award of \$1,500 for the academic school year at Powers Catholic High School.

The award is to be used during the traditional academic year (fall through spring) for tuition. The award is paid by reducing the total amount of tuition by the award at receipt of the scholarship. If the student withdraws from Powers Catholic High School, the scholarship amount is to be pro-rated over 12 months and the balance of the scholarship will be forfeited.

JOHN REYNOLDS & THOMAS DUTKOWSKI SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

Applicants are asked to submit the following documents for eligibility:

1. A completed Student Data Sheet
2. One letter of recommendation from a principal, pastor, teacher, scout leader, coach or other community leader. The letter of recommendation should confirm the student and family's service to the respective parish, school or community. Students should allow at least two weeks for the letter of recommendation.
3. Most recent high school transcripts OR 7th/8th grade transcripts if an incoming freshman
4. Two separate essays explaining (a) why you would like to attend Powers Catholic High School and (b) the importance of community service and/or extracurricular activities in your development as a citizen

*Please do not staple application materials.

Completed applications should be sent to the following address by May 1st:

**Powers Catholic High School
Advancement Office
c/o Reynolds-Dutkowski Scholarship
1505 W. Court St.
Flint, MI 48503**

SELECTION OF RECIPIENTS

Selection of the scholarship recipient is based upon academic record, demonstrated leadership and participation in school, parish and community activities, statement of goals and aspirations, family circumstances, and the appraisal by a teacher, counselor, principal, priest, scout leader, or other community leader contained in the letter of recommendation.

Scholarship recipients are made solely by the Reynolds-Dutkowski scholarship committee at Powers Catholic High School. All applicants agree to accept the decision of Powers Catholic High School as final. Not all applicants to the program will be selected as recipients.

Selection(s) will be made without regard to race or gender.

OBLIGATION OF RECIPIENTS

Except as previously outlined, no obligations are to be imposed upon the student(s) as a scholarship recipient. Students are to notify the scholarship committee of any changes in address, school enrollment or other relevant information.

A thank you letter to the scholarship committee is requested within two weeks of your notification as the recipient.