

## Application Form

Blaine Jarrett ... a man whose involvement and dedication to theatrical arts was enjoyed and admired by everyone who had seen him perform. Blaine was able to involve, engage, and nourish the community with each performance. The community reflected upon his inspiration and established the Blaine Jarrett Memorial Scholarship Fund to encourage young people in the path of their development and growth in the theatrical arts.

# Eligíbílíty

Any graduating high school senior or college freshman who is currently enrolled or accepted into a performing arts related major/minor at a college or university is eligible to apply. Majors/minors which will be considered include: dance, theater performance, technical theater, instrumental music, vocal music, or related field.

#### Selection of Recipients

The Blaine Jarrett Memorial Scholarship Committee will make the decision as to the availability and recipient(s) of the scholarship. The selection of scholarship recipient(s) will be based on the applicant's participation, accomplishments, and involvement in the performing arts in the Central Indiana region. The recipient(s) will receive a minimum scholarship of \$1,000.



### **Application Process**

All applicants are required to complete the Blaine Jarrett Memorial Scholarship Fund (BJMSF) Application Form and submit with the required documentation to the Scholarship Committee. Applications must be postmarked no later than March 31st to be considered for the current year. All applicants will be notified in writing by July 31st regarding the status of their application.

Please mail all information to:

Chairperson, BJMSF c/o Buck Creek Players 11150 Southeastern Avenue Indianapolis, Indiana 46259

#### *Please submit the following:*

- 1. BJMSF Application Form
- 2. Waiver, Release, & Indemnity Agreement
- 3. Résumé of Visual and/or Performing Arts
- 4. Documentation of Grade Point Average
- 5. Proof of Acceptance to College/University
- 6. Narrative Essay
- 7. Letters of Recommendation



# Applicant Information:

First Name:	Last Name:	M.I.
E-mail address:		
Mailing Address:		
City:	State: Zip:	
Phone:	Cell Phone:	
Permanent Address (if different from above):		
City:	State: Zip:	
Phone:		
Birth Date (Month, Day, Year):	Grade Point Average:	
Parents/Guardian Name:		
High School, College, or University Currently Attending:		
Address of School:		
College or University to be Attended ( <i>if different from above</i> ):		
Address of School:		
Intended (or Current) Major(s)/Minor(s):		



#### Waíver, Release, and Indemníty Agreement

In applying for and/or receiving a scholarship from the Blaine Jarrett Memorial Scholarship Fund, I hereby agree on behalf of myself, my spouse, parents, children, family, employees, agents, heirs, estate, executors, representatives, administrators, insurers, successors and assigns, distributees, guardians and/or other legal representatives (collectively the "Released Parties") to fully release and not to make any claim against, file a lawsuit against, attach the property of, or prosecute Buck Creek Players ("BCP") and/or their employees, officers, elected and appointed officials, volunteers, boards, departments, agents, contractors and/or anyone else acting on its/their behalf for any and all claims, causes of action, including, but not limited to, emotional distress, bodily injury, death, or property damage arising of any actions by BCP in applying for and/or receiving a scholarship from the Blaine Jarrett Memorial Scholarship Fund and any activities funded by such.

I understand this release shall be effective even if the loss, damage, or injury was not foreseeable and results, in whole or in part, from the negligence of BCP and/or any of the above persons.

I understand and consent to the use of activity/event photography and/or video taping of me and the display of those pictures of me for promotional use, including the BCP website.

By signing below, I acknowledge and represent that I have read this agreement carefully, I fully understand its contents, and I voluntarily agree to its terms. No oral representations, statements, or inducements, apart from this written agreement, have been made. If any portion of this agreement is declared invalid by a court, the remainder shall continue in full force and effect. Where this agreement is signed by a parent or guardian on behalf of a minor, the use of the word "me" in this agreement shall include and bind the minor, and the use of the word "I" in this agreement shall include the parent or legal guardian acting on behalf of and binding the minor to this agreement.

If 18 years of age or older: I declare under the penalty of perjury and under the laws of the State of Indiana that I am eighteen (18) years of age or older and am fully competent to sign this agreement. If the Participant is under 18 years of age, by signing below, I declare under the penalty of perjury and under the laws of the State of Indiana that I am the parent/legal guardian for the minor participant herein and am authorized to sign this agreement on their behalf:

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Date:
Date:
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## **Resume of Visual and Performing Arts**

Applicants must submit a résumé of their visual and/or performing arts experience with their application submission. Applicants may submit their résumé in any format they see fit; however, the résumé should reflect their talents and must include the following minimum information:

- 1. List of all theatrical productions in which the applicant has participated.
- 2. The role(s) and/or responsibilities the applicant had in the productions.
- 3. The year the applicant participated in each production.
- 4. The name of the theatrical company producing each production.
- 5. Name of Director or Contact for each production.
- 6. Prior theatrical background, training, and/or classes.
- 7. Three theatrical or performing arts references (Name, Address, Telephone, and e-mail (if applicable).

Applicants are encouraged to demonstrate their diversity of experience in types of productions, roles, and arts-related organizations. Particular attention should be paid to theatrical productions or organizations that are located within the Central Indiana region. Applicants are also encouraged to keep the résumé simple and straightforward. Excessive submissions are strongly discouraged.

#### Documentation of Grade Point Average

Applicants must submit a copy of an official transcript or most recent progress report, report card, or similar, that clearly demonstrates the grade point average of the applicant.

#### Proof of Acceptance to College or University

Applicants must submit proof of acceptance to the college or university that they will be attending after July of the year in which they are applying for scholarship funds. If the applicant has not yet received an acceptance letter, please note that in the narrative and submit a copy of an acceptance letter as soon as possible. If already enrolled, please provide proof of good standing (such as a transcript) and/or additional documentation demonstrating your enrollment in the fall.



#### Narratíve Essay

Applicants must submit a typed narrative essay not to exceed two single spaced pages in a minimum 12point font that describes how the Blaine Jarrett Memorial Scholarship Fund will help further the applicant's visual and performing arts development.

Letters of Recommendation

Applicants must submit a minimum of two letters of recommendation with their application.

One letter of recommendation must recommend the applicant as a personal reference. This letter should be from a youth group leader, teacher, mentor, employer, etc. This letter should be from a source not related to visual and performing arts.

One letter of recommendation must recommend the applicant as a significant contributor to theater in Central Indiana. This letter should be specifically related to visual and performing arts, but can not be from a representative of Buck Creek Players.