



TARPON SPRINGS
LEADERSHIP CONSERVATORY
for the Arts

Alumni Musical Excellence Scholarship

Tarpon Springs High School Leadership Conservatory for the Arts

Overview:

The Alumni Musical Excellence Scholarship is awarded to a senior band student in the Tarpon Springs High School Leadership Conservatory for the Arts. Applicants for this scholarship must continue their study as a music major at a college or music conservatory. The scholarship will be presented at the annual Conservatory Banquet, and is intended to fund the winners musical pursuits, to include tuition, books, music instruments and/or equipment. The Alumni Musical Excellence Scholarship award amount this year is still being determined, but will be at least \$1500.

This scholarship is funded by Tarpon Springs High School Band alumni who work professionally as musicians, music educators, and/or music industry professionals. Contributors to the scholarship will serve as the selection committee.

Essay - The essay should not exceed two pages, and should answer the following questions:

- What college or music conservatory will you attend to pursue your undergraduate music degree, and what will be your major?
- Where do you see yourself in 10 years, both personally and professionally?
- What will it take to get there and/or what are some logical steps you may take along the way?
- How will you spend this scholarship money?

Submission:

Essays should be submitted to Adrian Holton at adrianholton@mac.com by **May 12th, 2023**. If the candidate does not receive a confirmation of receipt within two (1) day of submission, please attempt submission again and contact Mrs. Jeannine Ford.

Follow up:

Only one applicant will be selected as the scholarship winner. However, all applicants will receive contact information for all scholarship contributors. Contributors to this scholarship have gained an immense knowledge of the music world since attending Tarpon Springs High School. The alumni wish to help interested students pursue their music careers. Applicants may have a question about a specific career path, networking tips in a new city where they live, or are looking for a musical mentor to advise them throughout their careers. The intent is to provide financial assistance to the scholarship winner while also creating a network of career advice to all applicants, built upon the experiences of TSHS alumnae.