

# **RYBA Scholarship Information**

**RYBA – P.O. Box 6631 – Rochester, Mn. 55903 507-287-1659**

**Criteria/Eligibility:** Graduating Senior (the Spring of scholarship request)  
Participated in the RYBA program  
Participated in high school baseball and/or the RYBA program during their high school years.  
They must also be pursuing post-high school education in the fall following scholarship request.

**Information:** RYBA will be awarding up to a total sum of \$4,000.00 to multiple recipients. Typically up to four (4) \$1,000.00 scholarships are awarded to qualifying applicants.  
Mail completed application by March 31 to:  
**RYBA SCHOLARSHIPS**  
**P.O. BOX 6631 ROCHESTER, MN 55903**

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## **Application Form**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

High School Attending: \_\_\_\_\_ GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

College you plan on attending: \_\_\_\_\_

Years of participation as a high school baseball player and school attended during those years of participation \_\_\_\_\_

- List a minimum of one personal reference (i.e. teacher, counselor and/or coach, employer, etc.) together with an attached letter of recommendation from each reference listed.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone No. \_\_\_\_\_

**Essay: On a separate, type written paper, cover the following questions in an essay why we should choose you for one of the scholarships (500 words or less).**

1. Describe your volunteer activities to RYBA and how that has helped you in achieving your academic and personal goals.
2. Explain how you have been involved with RYBA, how that has affected your life, and how you benefited from this program.
3. Describe your academic plans/goals for the future and how this award will help you attain them.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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## RYBA Scholarship – General Information

1. RYBA awards up to a total sum of \$4,000.00 to multiple graduating seniors who participated in the RYBA program during their youth, who continued to play high school baseball and/or assisted with the RYBA program during their high school years. Typically up to four (4) awards are granted for \$1,000.00 each but RYBA reserves the right to change the amount and value of each individual awards. The awards only go to seniors who will be pursuing post high school education in the fall of the same graduating year. Once the scholarship committee chooses the recipients of the RYBA scholarship, we then contact all applicants to notify them of our decision. The winning recipients, we will need to gather their information needed for RYBA to contact the University, Junior College, or Vocational School of their choice. The scholarship money is sent to the University, Junior College, or Vocational School as directed by the institution with a letter indicating the recipient and that the money is to be used for tuition, books, and/or room and board. No monies are given directly to the recipient.
2. The scholarship is available at each high school career-learning center and on our RYBA website [www.rybamn.com](http://www.rybamn.com).
3. Restrictions and/or limitations are noted in the RYBA Scholarship Application.
4. The selection committee will not include anyone with a relative that is applying for the scholarship mentioned herein. However, a relative of a person on the selection committee if applicable will not be penalized or unable to apply for said scholarship. If and when a relative of someone on the selection committee were to apply for said scholarship, the party on the committee would have to excuse themselves from the committee during the process of selection for that year's scholarship recipients.
5. If for any reason the student does not fulfill their obligation to the institution, the Scholarship dollars will be returned to the RYBA.

This scholarship application can be located on the RYBA website at [www.rybamn.com](http://www.rybamn.com)