

SCOTIA BAND

Official Sewell Lufkin Memorial Scholarship Application Form

ENTRY DEADLINE: MUST BE RECEIVED between FEBRUARY 1 and APRIL 17, 2026

Scotia Band
Attention: Scholarship Committee
P. O. Box 3
Scotia, CA 95565

Note: your completed application packet may also be scanned and sent electronically to:
thescotiaband@yahoo.com

PART 1.

Date: _____

Name: _____

Home Phone #: ()- -

Home Address (Street, City, ST, Zip): _____

Name of your college: _____

Your address at college: _____

Your phone # at college: ()- -

Name of High School where you graduated: _____

Year of High School graduation: _____

List of your musical achievements to date:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____
7. _____
8. _____
9. _____
10. _____
11. _____
12. _____

(continue list on reverse side, if necessary)

PART 2.

ATTACH ONE LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION BEHIND THIS APPLICATION FORM
(THIS WILL NOT BE RETURNED TO YOU)

PART 3.

ATTACH AN ESSAY, NOT TO EXCEED 250 WORDS, DESCRIBING YOUR PLANS
AFTER COLLEGE, INCLUDING THE REASONS FOR CHOOSING A CAREER IN MUSIC,
AND DISCUSS YOUR INTEREST IN THE FIELD OF MUSIC

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1. One scholarship of \$1,000.00 will be awarded to the winning candidate, who is seeking or is currently enrolled in a college or university in the United States with a major or minor in the field of music. This scholarship is funded by the Scotia Band, a 501 (c) (3) non-profit organization located in Humboldt County, California.
2. In order to qualify for this scholarship, the applicant must meet the following conditions:
 - Will successfully graduate from a high school in Humboldt County, CA this year, or is currently attending a college or university and has already graduated from a high school in Humboldt County. Note: home-schooling within Humboldt County will count towards this requirement.
 - Select a course of study in music at an accredited college or university.
 - Be of good moral character.
 - Complete the *Official Sewell Lufkin Memorial Scholarship Application Form*. Musical achievements include names of groups you have participated in, awards received, etc. The letter of recommendation should be signed, and be addressed to the "Scotia Band Scholarship Committee."
 - Intend to pursue a career in music upon graduation from college.
3. The applicant may apply for this scholarship more than one year, but may only win the award once.
4. The applicant recognizes that preference may be granted to those applicants that will major in music education, and/or have been an active member of the Scotia Band.
5. Handwritten applications are acceptable.
6. Applicants must return the completed forms to: Scotia Band, Attention: Scholarship Committee, P. O. Box 3, Scotia, CA 95565. Applicants may electronically scan their entire application packet, and send via e-mail to **thescotiaband@yahoo.com**. The Scotia Band is not responsible for any electronic transmission that fails to be delivered, or is unable to be opened. The Scotia Band will make reasonable attempts to contact an applicant if the transmission cannot be accessed. For items sent by Express Mail, please be sure to check the box that indicates NO signature is needed by the recipient, as this mail is going to a U. S. Post Office box. Requiring a signature will delay your entry.
7. The deadline date for receipt is ABSOLUTE. Your application form, letter of recommendation, and essay must be received on or before **April 17, 2026**. Any items received after this date WILL NOT be considered. None of your submitted documents will be returned.
8. Thank you for your participation.

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