



The Premier Junior Golf Tour



2023
Bill Straub Sr.
Scholarship Application



NFJG Foundation
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Important Scholarship Information

This packet contains information regarding the Bill Straub Sr. Scholarship. Students and parents should read the entire document thoroughly, including the program description and general instructions before filling out the application. Here are a few reminders:

- Applications must be returned submitted by **Friday, June 16, 2023** (receipt date, ***NOT*** postmark date).
Return address: NFJG Foundation, Attn: Jack Aschenbach, 2104 Lady Di Lane, Jacksonville, FL 32246.
- Applicant **MUST** be a member (or past member currently in college) of the NFJGF.
- Applicants must have completed (or plan to complete) high school prior to August 1, of the current year and enroll (or plan to enroll) in an accredited college or university.
- Along with each application, the applicant must submit the following information.
 - A certified and sealed copy of his/her most recent transcript
 - A certified and sealed copy of his/her ACT/SAT test scores
 - Your personal statement
- Please direct any questions to Jack Aschenbach, contact information found at www.nfjg.org

****INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED****

Bill Straub Sr. Scholarship Guidelines

1. **Purpose**

The purpose of the Bill Straub Sr. Scholarship is to encourage and promote the attainment of high education goals for Foundation members who have participated in NFJG TOUR events and have demonstrated a high level of academic achievement during high school or college.

2. **Eligibility**

1. Applicants for the Bill Straub Scholarship must be a member (or past members currently in college) of the NFJGF.
2. Applicants must have completed (or plan to complete) high school prior to August 1, of the current year and must be enrolled (or planning to enroll) as a full-time student. A full time student is defined as one who is taking 12 or more hours in a course of study leading to a traditional associate (2 year) or baccalaureate (4-year) degree at an accredited college or university located within the United States, or considered a full-time student by his/her respective institution.
3. *Members must have competed in five NFJG Tournament Series events (single day) and four North Florida Junior Players Tour events (2-day events) during their senior year. College applicants must have satisfied the requirements during their senior season year on tour.*

3. **Academic Scholarships**

The Bill Straub Sr. Scholarship is designed to award one recipient with a four-year scholarship (\$2500 per year).

4. **Selection of Winners**

Scholarship recipients will be selected on the following competitive basis by using a combination of the following criteria.

1. Academic Performance – including High School GPA, and ACT/SAT scores.
2. Extracurricular Activities/Community Service
3. Your Personal Statement.
4. Household Income
5. Application preparation

Extracurricular activities and “Your Personal Statement” will help the Committee further evaluate the candidate’s interests and abilities. Contributions to the community may be demonstrated by involvement in local clubs and organizations/associations. Extracurricular activities should be documented by type and years involved.

5. **Announcement of Winners**

Successful applicants will be announced prior to the annual Awards Banquet and presentations will be made at the Annual Awards Banquet (August).

Bill Straub Sr. Scholarship Application

A. **Student Application Form**

The enclosed Bill Straub Sr. Scholarship Application Form requests student background information to meet requirements for scholarship processing. The extracurricular activities area asks for information concerning the applicant’s out-of-class activities and contains two sections: one for high school and one for college. If the applicant has not entered college, complete only the high school section of the form. If the applicant is currently in college, complete both sections of the form.

To be considered for a scholarship, the applicant must complete this form and return it to the NFJG by [Friday, June 16, 2023](#). The application must be filled out in its entirety or it will not be considered. The NFJGF Scholarship Committee will keep the information supplied confidential.

Please print (blue/black ink) or type the requested application information.

B. **Transcript Information**

In order for your application to be considered by the NFJG Scholarship Committee, you must submit your most current high school transcript, if you are currently in high school. If you are currently in college, you must submit both your high school final transcript, plus your most current college transcript. The high school transcript must show ACT/SAT test scores. All transcripts (both high school and college) must contain your cumulative G.P.A.

Bill Straub Sr. Scholarship Application (CONTINUED)

I. PERSONAL INFORMATION SECTION

Name: _____ Gender: Male Female
Student's Last Name First Middle Initial

Social Security Number: _____ - _____ - _____ Date of Birth: _____ / _____ / _____
Mo. Day Year

Parents Name(s): _____

Home Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

State of residence: _____ Home telephone: (____) _____ - _____

Email Address: _____ Mobile Phone: (____) _____ - _____

Parents email address: _____ Parents Mobile: (____) _____ - _____

Annual prior year household income: \$ _____

Total number of family dependents (under 18 years of age): _____

Total number of family dependents currently in college: _____

Have you been awarded an NFJG Scholarship in the past? Yes No

If so, please state the year(s) and scholarship(s): _____

II. STUDENT HIGH SCHOOL INFORMATION SECTION

High School: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

School Phone: (____) _____ - _____ Principal: _____

Date of high school graduation: _____ / _____ / _____
Mo. Day Year

Bill Straub Sr. Scholarship Application (CONTINUED)

Class Rank: _____ / _____ Grade Point Average: _____
Rank Sr. Class Size (must be at least 3.0 based on a 4.0 scale)

SAT or ACT composite score: _____
(Documentation must be included)

Name and address of the college you will (or plan) to attend during the 2023 - 2024 academic year:

_____ *College Name*

_____ *Address*

_____ *City* *State* *Zip Code*

Have you been officially accepted at this institution? Yes No

What will your college class level be in? _____

When did (will) you enroll in college as a first time full-time student? _____ / _____
Mo. Year

What will be your Major Study? _____

III. **STUDENT COLLEGE INFORMATION SECTION**

What is your undergraduate college G.P.A.? _____

What is your current major / field of study? _____

Have you attended any other colleges as a full-time student? If so, please list below:

_____ *Name of College* *Number of credits earned* *GPA*

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Your Personal Statement

On a separate sheet of paper, please write a response to ONE of the following topics. This statement should help us get to know you by going beyond the numbers and facts included in other sections of your applications. Present yourself in a carefully written and honest reflection.

- We ask that you limit your essay to one, double-spaced page that has been typed using a font of 10 or larger.
- At the top of the page, please included: “Personal Statement”, your name, and the topic you selected from below.

STATEMENT TOPICS

1. **The importance of golf and growing the game.**
2. **Your personal take away from experiencing junior golf.**
3. **Paving the way and paying it forward.**
4. **How golf will affect one’s life.**

Community/Extracurricular Activities

On a separate sheet of paper, please list the details on your extracurricular and community service activities. If you have already graduated from high school and are currently attending college, please provide information for both high school and college activities. ***Details about your participation with NFJG are required.*** Other activities may include Drama/Speech, Athletics, Student Government, Student Publications, Music/Academic Clubs (Math, Science, and Honor Society etc.). Please include the name of the activity, the year(s) you participated such as 9, 10, 11, 12, C (C-college). Be sure to include any special awards or recognition you have received.

Scholarship Certification

HAVE YOU FILLED OUT THE APPLICATION IN ITS ENTIRITY?

HAVE YOU ENCLOSED THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION?

- **A COPY OF YOUR MOST RECENT TRANSCRIPT**
- **A COPY OF YOUR ACT/SAT SCORES**
- **YOUR PERSONAL STATEMENT**
- **COMMUNITY/EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

I certify that the enclosed information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge as reflected by the appropriate school records. Any false information given will automatically void this application. Unsigned applications will not be considered.

Applicant’s Signature

Date

Parent’s / Guardian’s Signature

Date