

The Delaney M. Bush Memorial Scholarship

Delaney Marie Bush passed away July 19, 2017 of natural causes. She was studying biology at Central Michigan University. She was a top student at Otsego High School who loved science of all types. Delaney was a performer, a runner, a dancer, and a diligent and talented student. She had an infectious enthusiasm for everything she encountered. This scholarship is sponsored by her family, friends, teachers, and community members to honor her memory.

This scholarship is a two-year renewable award for a graduating senior with an interest in studying science. The ideal candidate should show a passion for learning, a love of the environment, and enthusiasm for life. Applicants must have plans on majoring or minoring in a scientific field in college.

Name _____ Birth Date _____

Complete Address _____

Phone Number _____

E Mail address _____

Parents' Name(s) _____

Names and age(s) of brothers and sisters _____

College(s), University(ies) and/or institutions where you have been accepted? Circle your preferred choice _____

Name of program of study _____

List financial aid awards, scholarships and amounts _____

Has a deposit been forwarded to the school of your choice? _____
If so, where and how much? _____

Return completed applications to the Guidance Office NO later than March 16, 2018 along with the following

- A 2-3-page essay describing the applicant's interests and goals in the sciences
- **Two** letters of recommendation.
 1. From a teacher or staff member at Otsego High School describing academic achievement.
 2. From a non-relative describing the student's character, touching on but not limited to courage, honesty, determination, empathy and loyalty.
- OHS transcripts

The award is paid directly to the student. (Amount TBD by fundraising and account growth)

- \$1000 first year
- \$1000 renewable second year (student must provide transcripts to the Foundation showing completion of at least 24 undergraduate credit hours [in addition to AP and dual enrollment] and a GPA of 2.5 or better)

I, the undersigned, understand and agree that I am expected to notify the Otsego Public Schools Foundation Board at opsfoundation86@gmail.com by August 24, 2018, if I am **NOT** attending a program of post secondary education. Also, by signing this document I attest to the ACCURACY OF ALL INFORMATION and **THAT THE APPLICATION WAS COMPLETED BY MYSELF**. If more paper is needed for this information, please attach it or use the backside of this form.

Signature _____ Date _____

To learn more about Delaney, please see [her life story](#).