2018 Border Swimming Senior Award Scholarship

This award is presented to 2 graduating seniors, one girl and one boy. Border Swimming seeks to recognize outstanding performance in the following areas: athletic performance, community service, leadership, team work and GPA.

Description of Award and Qualifications:

* $1,000 per award, 1 girl and 1 boy per calendar year
* Applicants must be graduating seniors, have been accepted to a college or university and committed to swimming for their college or university
* Applicants must be swimming meets and training in Border Swimming
* Selection will be made by a committee of coaches and Border executive board member

How to Apply:

* Complete the application; it is also available at [www.borderswimming.org](http://www.borderswimming.org).
* Completed applications must be accompanied by 2 letters of recommendation, 1 from the swimmer’s coach and the other from another source unrelated to swimming.
* All sections of the application must be completed. Attach additional pages for essay questions and community involvement.
* An official high school transcript must be included.
* Applications are due by ***April 30***

How and When Awards are made and presented:

Award recipients will be selected by a committee of coaches and Border executive board members. Awards will be presented at an annual event to take place in May. Scholarship checks will be made payable to the recipient’s college or university and mailed directly to the institution. Monies may be applied for tuition, room and board, or books and supplies.

**Section 1 – General Demographic Information**

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Phone Number (home)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (mobile) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Email Address (print carefully!) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Father’s Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Mother’s Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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College commitment (if known)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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By signing this application, I state that all information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. Parent’s signature indicates concurrence with the accuracy of information contained in this application.

Applicant’s Signature \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Parent’s Signature \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Section 2 – Community Involvement**

On a separate sheet, please list the school and community activities in which the applicant has participated. Please include any academic awards, special honors, membership and leadership positions in clubs and organizations, participation in athletics outside of Border Swimming, volunteer work, and community service.

**Section 3 – Applicant Expressions**

On an attached sheet, choose one of the following topics and compose a one page (NO MORE) essay in response:

* Define the characteristics of a leader. Which of these do you possess? And how do you employ them in your daily life.
* Describe how swimming has influenced your life. How has participation in swimming provided opportunities to learn and demonstrate leadership and teamwork?

All required parts of the application must be submitted together on or before ***April 30***. Applications should be mailed to:

Cindy Crane, 1054 Eagle Ridge Dr, El Paso, TX 79912

Please address questions via email to:

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