# The Central Connecticut Celtic Cultural Committee Celtic Sons and Daughters Scholarship Program

The Central Connecticut Celtic Cultural Committee (C.C.C.C.C) has been formed for the purpose of fostering, promoting and celebrating the cultural and historical contributions of Irish and Irish-American individuals and groups in Central Connecticut. In addition to sponsoring the Greater Hartford's Annual St. Patrick's Day Parade, the C.C.C.C.C also sponsors the Celtic Sons and Daughters Scholarship Program. This Scholarship Program recognizes the personal and educational achievements of Irish and Irish-American young men and women, as well as their contributions to their community and their interest in promoting the culture of their heritage.

Award recipients (A Celtic Son and Celtic Daughter) will each receive a \$1,500.00 scholarship and an Aran Sweater.

Applications will be reviewed by an independent panel. All applications are redacted during review to eliminate bias. Award recipients will be chosen and notified by **January 31, 2020**.

#### The requirements for Scholarship Award consideration are as follows:

- Connecticut resident
- ➤ 17-22 years of age (high school senior or college undergraduate)
- Of Irish descent
- Availability to attend the Parade Mass on Friday, March 13, 2020 at 6:00 p.m.
- Availability to participate in the Greater Hartford St. Patrick's Day Parade on Saturday, March 14, 2020 at 11:00 a.m.

The completed application, two essays that address the questions (see application), and two completed recommendation forms must be postmarked or e-mailed by **January 10, 2020** and submitted to:

Kristen Saunders
Scholarship Chair, CCCCC
7 Gorman Road
Rocky Hill, CT
<a href="mailto:kristen.e.saunders@gmail.com">kristen.e.saunders@gmail.com</a>
(860) 212-1106

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The Central Connecticut Celtic Cultural Committee will award two scholarships, one Celtic Daughter and one Celtic Son, between the ages of 17 and 22 in the amount of \$1,500.00 each. Scholarships are awarded to those who exemplify academic excellence along with demonstrating an interest in their Irish culture. **Applications must be postmarked or e-mailed by January 10, 2020** 

**PERSONAL INFORMATION:** 

Name:			
Last	First		MI
Address:			
Street	City	State	Zip Code
Phone:	E-Mail:		
ACADEMIC INFORMATION:			
Name of High School:			
Dates Attended:	Graduation Date:		GPA:
(If Applicable) Name of College:			
Major:	Dates Attended:		GPA:
Explain your Irish family ancestry to	the best of your ability:		
Please respond to <u>each</u> of the follow	wing two essays, with a one page maximun	n in response to ea	ch:
choose to focus on a particu other aspect of your life tha	It will give the review panel a "picture" of water lar experience, your school/community involutes to your character and personality.	olvement, your care	•
acknowledges an understanding the in The Greater Hartford St. Patrick's	ertifies that the information provided is tru at, if selected, as a Celtic Son/Celtic Daugh Day Parade Mass on Friday, March 13, 20 re to participate will result in the forfeiture	ter Scholarship Rec 20 and the Parade	ipient, participation
Signature of Applicant:	Date	e:	

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#### REFERENCE #1

Name of Applicant:	-
Your Name:	-
Relationship to Applicant:	
Please describe why this Applicant should be considered for this Scholarship:	

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#### REFERENCE #2

Name of Applicant:	_
Your Name:	_
Relationship to Applicant:	-
Please describe why this Applicant should be considered for this Scholarship:	