The Charles L. Kuentz Jr. Leadership Scholarship

funded by

Kuentz Elementary PTA

12303 Leslie Road

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Dear Seniors and Parents,

The Kuentz Elementary School PTA is proud to announce the awarding of two scholarships in the Spring of 2020 to two Kuentz Elementary School alumni.

Kuentz Elementary School opened in 2009 and was named after Charles L. Kuentz, Jr. Mr. Kuentz was a beloved Northside band director from 1969 – 1992, who instilled in his students a passion for music and taught them about the importance of character, commitment and work ethic. The life lessons he taught his students about self-discipline and teamwork continue today at Kuentz Elementary as students learn how to become effective leaders.

Students at Kuentz Elementary School focus on leadership and life skills utilizing *The Leader in Me* model. *The Leader in Me* model is based on *The 7 Habits* and its principles. The principles are based on the idea that every child can be a leader and teaches students responsibility, vision, integrity, teamwork, collaboration and renewal. These habits that students learn at Kuentz will help them become leaders as they continue on their educational journey. This scholarship is based on these ideas as it supports Kuentz alumni and their post- educational journey.

In order to receive the Charles L. Kuentz, Jr. Leadership Scholarship, a student must hand-deliver the attached application by the due date to the office at Kuentz Elementary School and be selected by the scholarship committee. Applications are available at O’Connor High School in the counselor’s office beginning in November. Winners will be notified in mid-April and presented with the scholarships on the final Kuentz PTA Meeting of the year.

The criteria for receiving the Charles L. Kuentz Jr. Leadership Scholarship are listed below. The recipient must:

1. Be graduating from O’Connor High School;
2. Have attended 3rd grade through 5th grade at Kuentz Elementary School;
3. Be pursuing a post-secondary education;
4. Complete application and submit it before the deadline of April 17, 2020 at 3:00 pm.

The monetary value of the Charles L. Kuentz Leadership Scholarship is $500. Two scholarships will be awarded. Checks will be issued to the post-secondary school designated by the recipient. For further information concerning this scholarship, please contact the O’Connor High School counselor.

**Application Form**

NAME\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ NISD Student ID #\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Number & Street City State Zip

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Date of Birth\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

High School you now attend: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ GPA\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Dates/Grades that you attended Kuentz: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Parents’ Names/Guardians: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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College, University, or other post-secondary school you wish to attend:

1st

Choice\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Have you been accepted? \_\_\_\_\_\_

2nd

Choice\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Have you been accepted? \_\_\_\_\_\_

Intended major: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Intended career: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Student’s signature (required) Parent or Guardian’s signature (required)

Date\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

NISD Student ID #\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**SCHOOL ACHIEVEMENTS (Clubs, Athletics, Awards, Offices Held)**

**COMMUNITY SERVICE**

**ACTIVITIES AND AWARDS OUTSIDE OF SCHOOL (CHURCH, SCOUTS, ETC.)**

Any comments/additional information (attach additional page(s) if necessary)

NISD Student #\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Essay responses may be typed or neatly handwritten.**

**In 500 words or less, answer the following question:**

**What experience from your time at Kuentz Elementary has shaped you as a leader?**