

Sgt. Ronald A. Kubik
Memorial Scholarship Application

Ron Kubik, class of 2006, was one of Manasquan High School's most well-rounded students. He participated in sports, played in a band, wrote features and news for *The Blue and Gray*, and took an assortment of classes ranging from AP English IV and Computer Applications to Journalism and Introduction to Acting. In class, he was full of boundless enthusiasm and intellectual interest no matter what the subject. After high school he became a soldier in the 3rd Battalion, 75th Ranger Regiment and died serving his country on April 23, 2010 in Logar Province, Afghanistan. He was awarded the country's 3rd highest military award for valor in combat, the Silver Star, after his death.

This scholarship is awarded to a senior student who, like Ron, is well-rounded, participates in many different types of activities, and takes a variety of classes in the spirit of academic adventure. Most of all, the deserving student is known for being energetic and involved, helping others, and making every class better by bringing enthusiasm, fearlessness and curiosity to the classroom.

NAME: _____

REQUIREMENT: WRITE A SHORT ESSAY RESPONSE TO THE FOLLOWING...
How does your high school career reflect the spirit of Ron (described above)? Write an essay response of 300-500 words (typed, double spaced). Talk about a few specific things you've done in high school to match Ron's energy and enthusiasm, fearlessness, compassion, and curiosity. Most of all, what have you done to make Manasquan High School a better place? Present yourself as the deserving recipient who possesses Ron's most memorable qualities. Attach this form to your essay, and submit your application to Mr. Harvey or Mr. Mawn.

FINAL DEADLINE: Friday, May 30, 2025
(But early applications are encouraged and preferred)