THE EDWARD KENZAKOSKI MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND APPLICATION
of The Luzerne Foundation

APPLICANT INFORMATION – This application must accompany the requested additional information including essay, financial aid documentation, and letters of recommendation, etc.

The Edward Raymond Kenzakoski III Memorial Scholarship Fund was established by the family and friends of Edward Raymond Kenzakoski III to honor his memory as a beloved son and participant in Coughlin High School Athletics. Edward was particularly passionate about wrestling for its strength, training and discipline. The Scholarship shall be awarded annually to that wrestler at Coughlin High School in the Wilkes-Barre Area School District who, as determined objectively by his/her coaches and peers, demonstrates the “Biggest Heart.” This award is not to recognize the best or strongest wrestler, but that wrestling participant who overcomes the greatest challenges to be the best that he/she can be. The award recipient need not even be a starter, but the participant with the biggest heart including pride and determination.

In addition to the two-page application, your application packet should contain:

1.) An official grade transcript from Coughlin High School, plus ACT and/or SAT test scores, if available.

2.) A personal statement (essay) in 2 pages or less, typed, 12 point font with one inch margins addressing “how wrestling influenced my life.” Your written statement of worthiness attesting to dedication and sportsmanship, qualities exemplified by the life of Edward Kenzakoski, must be signed by a team coach.

3.) 2-3 letters of recommendation from non-family members (e.g., coaches, teachers, community service supervisors, clergy, employers, etc.).

4.) A copy of the (EFC) Expected Family Contribution confirmation page of your FAFSA report. A complete copy of your Student Aid Report (SAR) must be available upon request.

Scholarship deadline is Friday, March 27, 2020.
THE EDWARD KENZAKOSKI
MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND APPLICATION

Name: _______________________________________________________________________________

First                                              Middle                                                            Last

Permanent Address:____________________________________________________________________

Street                                                   City                          State                  Zip

Date of Birth:___________   Male____  Female____      Social Security #: xxx-xx-_________

Telephone #:_____________   Cell Phone #:______________   Other Phone #:____________

E-Mail:________________________     Luzerne County resident?___    Yes ___   No

High School:_____________________________  Graduation Date:____________________

FAMILY INFORMATION
(Provide the following information where applicable.)

Name of father/stepfather/guardian:_______________________________________________________
_____________________________________________________________________________________

Street Address                                                                            City                           State                       Zip

Name of mother/stepmother/guardian:_______________________________________________________

Check if applicable: ( ) father deceased  ( ) mother deceased ( ) parents divorced

Name of spouse:_______________________________________________________________________

Address:_____________________________________________________________________________

Street                                                      City                             State                         Zip

COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY INFORMATION

Year in college during the coming academic year: ( ) Fr  ( ) Soph  ( ) Jr  ( )Sr  ( )Grad

College you are planning to attend:________________________________________________________

Address (City/State) of college: ___________________________________________________________

Full-time student? Yes____ No_____      If no, # of credits ________________

Major Field of Study:______________________________________________________________
SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

Please list extracurricular, community and religious activities in which you have participated during the past 4 years. Attach additional sheet if necessary.

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WORK EXPERIENCE

Please list your paid work experience during the past four years, beginning with your most recent position.

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CERTIFICATION

I hereby affirm that information provided on this form is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge.

_______________________________________   _________________
Applicant’s Signature                                                                       Date
Name of Applicant:____________________________________________________________________

(Please PRINT your name)

Have you applied for or received other scholarships or financial assistance?

Organization__________________________ Amount applied for_______________ Received_________

Organization__________________________ Amount applied for________________ Received________

I hereby give The Luzerne Foundation permission to contact any of my teachers, supervisors, professional and educational institutions I have attended, applied to, have been accepted for admission or membership to, for further information about my attendance, performance, financial circumstances and references. I understand that the information contained in my application may be shared with the scholarship advisory committee and / or scholarship sponsor. I acknowledge that all material submitted in this application become the property of Luzerne Foundation and will not be returned to sender.

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Return all documentation to:

Ed Kenzakoski Scholarship  
James M. Coughlin High School  
ATTN: Coach Stahl  
80 North Washington Street  
Wilkes-Barre, PA 18702

Please contact Steve Stahl at 570-826-7201 with any questions.