

The Jason Prescott Memorial Scholarship

The scholarship is offered in loving memory of Jason Prescott by Batavia Youth Baseball, to which he made such a significant and lasting impact. Jason leaves behind a legacy of being involved in the Batavia schools, sports teams and organizations. He not only worked hard to improve them but brought his amazing sense of humor, love of life and big heart to make them even more special. The scholarship is designed to honor a college bound graduating senior who has been involved in Batavia Youth Baseball and who has made a positive impact on their community.

Amount of Scholarship

For the students graduating in May 2026 there will be one \$1,500 scholarship awarded. The award shall be paid directly to the school the recipient will be attending and is non-renewable. The school may be a college, university, community college, trade or vocational school, or professional school.

Qualifications

The recipient must be a graduating Batavia High School senior who not only fits the criteria outlined below but who submits a completed application by the due date.

Applications must be postmarked on or before March 20, 2026 and should be mailed to Batavia Youth Baseball, P.O. Box 575, Batavia, IL 60510, or emailed to secretary@bataviabaseball.com. No late entries will be accepted.

Scholarship Requirements

1. The applicant must be a graduating senior attending Batavia High School.
2. The applicant must have played baseball with Batavia Youth Baseball for at least five years and not played in a competing organization through 8th grade.
3. Applications must submit an essay that accompanies their application. Specific instructions for the essay can be found on the application sheet. Application materials will not be returned to the applicants.
4. Awards will not be based on financial need.
5. The selection committee for the scholarship shall consist of a scholarship committee comprises of members of the Board of Directors of Batavia Youth Baseball.
6. The scholarship committee reserves the right to amend or terminate the scholarship program at any time. The scholarships may be withheld or suspended in any one or more years at the discretion of the scholarship committee. All decisions in regards to this scholarship will be final.

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Application Form

Directions to the applicant: Please type or print neatly in black or blue ink. Attach your typed or written essay to this application. Please make sure that your name appears on any materials submitted. Application materials will not be returned.

Applicant's Full Name _____

Birthdate ____/____/____

Street Address _____

City _____, Illinois Zip _____

E-mail Address _____ Phone (____) _____

Applicant's plans for after graduation (name of school, area of concentration, etc.):

1. How many years did you participate in BYB? _____ List years: _____

2. Prior to high school, while living within the Batavia school boundaries, did you participate in any non-BYB spring/summer baseball leagues? Y / N

Please explain: _____

3. Are you a high school senior who will graduate from Batavia High School in May 2026?

Y/N

Essay Instructions (maximum of 500 words):

Describe your commitment to community service. How do you believe your contributions have impacted the people and/or organization(s) in which you have served?

The information presented in this application is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I understand that this application is not valid if information is withheld or presented incorrectly. All information is confidential and will only be released in compliance with state and federal laws.

Applicant Signature

Date