Scott “Impy” Impellizeri Memorial Scholarship

(For Criminal Justice Students within Knox County Schools)

I ~ Integrity
M ~ Mentor
P ~ Perseverance
Y ~ Youthful Exuberance

This scholarship is being awarded by John and Tracy Impellizeri in memory of their son, Scott, who tragically lost his life in an auto accident on Sunday, August 7, 2011, in the Hardin Valley community of Knoxville, TN.

Scott was an amazing young man. He was a leader, a mentor and had a unique personality that drew people to him. Scott graduated from Hardin Valley Academy in 2011. He received the Humanitarian Award for outstanding service as a peer tutor. He was enrolled at Middle Tennessee State University and was preparing to begin his criminal justice studies in August 2011. His goal after graduating from MTSU was to become a S.W.A.T. officer with the Knoxville Police Department.

Aside from Scott’s interest in law enforcement, his true passion was helping others. Over the years, Scott had enjoyed volunteering his time with groups such as Special Olympics, Habitat for Humanity and the Music City Quarter Midget Racing Association, which is a racing program for kids ages 5 to 16.

This scholarship will be awarded to a graduating senior within Knox County Schools who is pursuing a college education, following the criminal justice path and is dedicated to helping others.

John 3:16
For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life.

ABOUT THE SCHOLARSHIP:
The purpose of the Scott "Impy" Impellizeri Memorial Scholarship is to encourage and promote the attainment of higher education goals for students who are following the criminal justice path.

SELECTION CRITERIA:
Selection of the scholarship recipient will be based on the following:

- Essay stating why you want to go into the criminal justice field and how you think your work in the criminal justice field will impact the community
- Community/volunteer activities
- Acceptance into a two or four year college/university
- Letters of recommendation from Knox County high school teachers or counselors
- General school record

ELIGIBILITY:
To be eligible for consideration, the student must:

- Be a graduating senior from a high school within Knox County Schools
- Be accepted into a two or four year college/university
- Complete an application and submit all required attachments

AMOUNT AND USE:
The amount of the scholarship will be $1,000. Funds from the scholarship are to be used for books, supplies, and other miscellaneous school related expenses.

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION PROCEDURE AND DEADLINE:

- Complete the application in its entirety, along with the required attachments (as listed below). The information supplied must be accurate and will be kept confidential.
- Sign and mail the application ***(postmarked no later than March 15, 2016)*** to:

  Scott "Impy" Impellizeri Memorial Scholarship
  Criminal Justice Scholarship
  2521 Caspian Drive
  Knoxville, TN 37932
- If you have questions regarding the scholarship, please contact Tracy Impellizeri at (865) 712-3515 or email your questions to Tracy at scottimpy@aol.com.

REQUIRED ATTACHMENTS:

- Essay stating why you want to go into the criminal justice field and how you think your work in the criminal justice field will impact the community.
- A copy of your letter of acceptance from the college/university you will be attending.
- Two letters of recommendation from Knox County high school teachers or counselors.
- High school transcript.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:
For additional information and to learn more about Scott visit the scholarship website at www.scottimpy.org.

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2016 Application

NAME:		
ADDRESS:		
CITY:	STATE:	ZIP:
PHONE:	EMAIL:	
DATE OF GRADUATION:	GPA:	
NAME OF KNOX COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL YOU ARE CURRENTLY ATTENDING:		
NAME OF COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY YOU WILL BE ATTENDING IN THE FALL OF 2016:		
DESCRIBE YOUR EDUCATIONAL CAREER GOALS AND OBJECTIVES:		
DESCRIBE YOUR VOLUNTEER WORK AND COMMUNITY SERVICE ACHIEVEMENTS: *(Please use additional pages if necessary)*		
DESCRIBE YOUR EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES, HONORS AND AWARDS:		
WHAT ARE YOUR BEST QUALITIES:		
LIST FIVE WORDS THAT DESCRIBE YOU:		
WHAT ELSE WOULD YOU LIKE US TO KNOW ABOUT YOU:		
I CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION I HAVE PROVIDED IN THIS APPLICATION IS TRUE.		
STUDENT SIGNATURE:		DATE:

**Student signature on this application authorizes release of student's name and school for publication.*