

2016 Daniel Francis Pate CYO Football Scholarship

Danny was an active, avid and very devoted football coach. He started his coaching career with CYO. For many years, he committed endless hours to the development of young men through the sport of football. Danny truly cared for the overall well-being of each player. His teams experienced losses and victories with character and pride. He inspired and challenged many and will always be remembered as an amazing football coach.

With funds from the Pate Family 5K, the Pate family has established a fund that will be used to grant one \$500 scholarship for the 2016-2017 school year to a student attending Stephen T. Badin High School. Applicants for this scholarship must meet the following criteria:

- The student must be an active parishioner and/or current student in a Hamilton CYO member parish or school
- The student must currently be an 8th grader
- The student must plan to attend Badin High School in the academic year that begins in August, 2016
- The student must have fully participated in football for the Hamilton CYO for at least two different year/seasons (a CYO year/season runs from August to March)
- The student must fill out an application and mail it to Hamilton CYO, postmarked no later than May 13th. Applications are available at each parish/school office or you can print one from the Hamilton CYO Website.

Scholarship applications will be reviewed by the Scholarship committee who will determine which applicant best meet the requirements of the scholarship and will receive the \$500 grant. The following elements will be taken into account when deciding the recipients of the Daniel Francis Pate Hamilton CYO Football scholarship:

- **Completed Application Submitted prior to the deadline** – The committee will verify the applicant's parish/school status and their Hamilton CYO sports participation.
- **Applicant Essay** - Applicants will need to submit a one page essay stating in their own words describing the life lessons they learned from playing football and why they want to attend Badin.

Based on the above criteria, applications will be ranked from highest to lowest. The top ranked applicant will be the recipient of the Daniel Franics Pate CYO Football Scholarships. NOTE: Scholarships are nonrenewable.

The parents of the scholarship winner will be notified before the end of the 2016 School Year. If you have any questions, please contact Karen Reed @ karen.patebrowning@gmail.com or 513.739.2591.