Madelyn Grace Shoales "Trainer Maddy" Memorial Scholarship Fund for Athletic Training

**Background:** Madelyn Grace Shoales (April 16, 2001 - January 20, 2018) was a junior at Georgetown High School when her life was tragically shortened after a courageous year-long battle with brain cancer. Madelyn was in her 3rd year as a student athletic trainer, an activity she dearly loved. She was a straight-A honor student and member of the National Honor Society with aspirations of becoming a physical therapist. She also loved animals from an early age and volunteered at The Williamson County Animal Shelter. The courage, dignity and grace she displayed during the last year of her life will never be forgotten by those who knew and loved her. She truly was the ultimate hero.

**Type:** Active student athletic trainer at Georgetown High School and preference will be given to students demonstrating financial need.

**Amount:** Up to two (2) $2,500 scholarships will be awarded to high school seniors from Georgetown High School that have lettered as a student athletic trainer. The recipient(s) may receive subsequent annual scholarships of up to $1,000 each year for up to 3 more years by completing 24 credit hours per school year and maintaining a 3.0 (4.0 scale) average GPA for the year.

**General Eligibility:** Applicants must meet all of the following criteria to be eligible and considered for this scholarship:

- Senior at Georgetown High School;
- Is an active student athletic trainer and has earned a letter in athletic training at Georgetown High School;
- Student has been accepted and enrolled in an accredited college or university for the upcoming year;
- Must have a minimum 3.0 GPA (4.0 scale) in high school;
- Must submit two letters of recommendation from a teacher or coach;
- A brief written statement (500 words or fewer) explaining how you exemplify the caring, hardworking, fighting spirit of the scholarship namesake and why you believe you should receive the award;
- Please attach an official high school transcript;
- Attend an in-person interview (optional: to be scheduled with finalists at the discretion of the selection committee).

**Application Process:** Students may submit the scholarship application to the CTCF via e-mail at scholarships@chisholm-trail.org until May 1, **2020**. Applicants will be notified of award status in May.
Name ______________________________ Email _____________________________________________

Address ______________________________ Phone number ______________________________

College Preference ______________________________ Accepted ___ Yes ___ No

Major Course of Study or Area of Major Interest ______________________________________________

Name of Father ______________________________ Name of Mother ______________________________

Number of Children in family supported by parents _____________

Father employed by ___________________________ Approx. Annual Income ___________________________

Mother employed by ___________________________ Approx. Annual Income ___________________________

Extracurricular Activities, School Awards and Honors, Memberships in Organizations, Community Service

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