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Below is an application for any graduating senior who is a member of the Tussey Mountain Marching Band, including instrumental, majorette, managers, and color guard members. Members will be competing for a single cash award of \$250. The award will be announced and distributed as part of the Tussey Mountain School Districts Senior Awards event.

To be considered, the application and essay must be fully complete, legible and include any and all attachments needed. **Each application is due to the Guidance Office by April 28, 2017.** Late applications will not be accepted. Applications will be reviewed by a subcommittee of the Marching Band Boosters where no individual will have a son/daughter/grandchild as a member of the graduating class. The award will go to the student whose score is highest, based on their response to the criteria identified within the application and whose information can be validated.

Graduating class year: _____

Name of senior: _____

Role(s) in the Marching Band: _____

Essays must be between one (1) and three (3) double-spaced, typed pages. The font should be 12 point Times New Roman. Discussion within the essay should include information from each of the following topics; you may adjust the order of the points per your writing style/preference:

1. The number of years you have been involved as an active Marching Band member. If there was a time when you were not actively engaged, please share about this experience as well.
2. Identify any offices or positions you have held as a member of the Marching Band, your responsibilities and how you carried them out.
3. Share why you decided to join the Marching Band and why you stayed?
4. Discuss your experience as a member of the Marching Band.
5. Share any lessons you have learned through Marching Band and how they have shaped your plans for the future.
6. Share about your most memorable marching band moment.
7. Add any other information you would like the Committee to know about you when considering this award.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Date of Submission To Guidance Office: _____

Received By: _____