



Southern Delaware Alliance for Racial Justice

... ending racism and its corrosive consequences

2020 Scholarship Application Form

Applicant Name: Megan Cathell Date of Birth: 11/25/2001

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Georgetown DE 19947

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Current High School: Sussex Technical High School

School Counselor's Name: Gomez Tull

Email: Gomez.Tull@sussexvt.k12.de.us Tel: (302) 853-1582

College(s) or University(ies) applied to/under consideration: _____

Eastern Kentucky University

West Virginia University

College or University you have chosen (if known): _____

Affirmation: I hereby affirm that all the above stated information provided by me is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

I understand that if chosen as a scholarship recipient, according to the SDARJ Scholarship policy, I must provide evidence of enrollment/registration at an accredited, not-for-profit post-secondary institution before my scholarship funds can be awarded.

Signature of Applicant: Megan E. Cathell

Date: 3/19/20

Signature of Parent/Guardian: Michael R. Cathell

Date: 3/19/20

Complete Application Packets with items 1-6 must be received by/postmarked by **April 3, 2020** at:

Scholarship Program
Southern Delaware Alliance for Racial Justice
PO Box 306, Lewes, DE 19958

Thank you for your submission. If you have questions, please contact:
Gwendolyn Miller, grybm@outlook.com.

A just world is a world in the belief that everyone gets what they deserve. In this picture are two very different girls with contrasting beliefs and completely different ways of life. These girls are going to go different paths and do different things. When I step back and look at this photo I kind of see a balance. A balance relates to the theme of a just world because if you put good in you get good out, if you are bad you get bad back; it balances out.



Megan Cathell

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EDUCATION

Sussex Technical High School

- Senior
- CISCO Networking Technical Area
- Intern in Sussex Tech School District Technology Department
- Member National Honor Society and Technical Honor Society
- Honor Roll Recipient
- Clarinet in Raven Nation Marching Band
- Goalie on Varsity Soccer Team

CERTIFICATIONS

Test Out Certification

Certification in Computer Hardware
Received May 2018

LEADERSHIP

Ocean City Parks & Recreation Sportsmanship Award

February 2020

- Nominated by Indoor Soccer League Coaches
- Recognized for setting a good example on and off the field
- Two time award winner

Delaware Electric Cooperative Youth Tour

June 16-20, 2019

- Participated in leadership activities
- Met State and Federal Officials regarding current issues
- Toured Washington DC attractions

Rotary Youth Leadership Award (RYLA) Conference

February 15-17 2019

- Prepared and presented a group community service project
- Learned to work more efficiently in a group setting
- Heard inspirational speakers

Student of the Quarter

November 2018

- Nominated by Technology Instructor
- Commended for high grade point average, great coursework and excellent classroom behavior

Sussex Tech Raven Nation Marching Band Miss Reliable Award

May, 2018

- Nominated by Band Staff
- Recognized for dependable nature and encouraging spirit

SKILLS

Team Player

Problem Solver

Dependable Friend

Organizational Master

INTERESTS

Soccer I have played soccer for 15 years. I have experience at every defense position but love playing goalie. I play on the Sussex Tech Varsity Soccer team and Indoor Recreational Soccer in Ocean City.

Band I have played clarinet since 4th grade. Currently I play in the Sussex Technical Raven Nation Marching Band.

Dance I have danced for 13 years. I started at a dance school then continued at my middle school. I love being able to express my feelings through movements.

Art I love to draw even if it is just to pass time. My favorite thing to draw are flowers. Flowers remind me of the beauty of people.

Basketball I enjoy playing basketball and made the JV team my Freshman year. While I no longer play on the school team, I participate in basketball camps during the summer.

Swim Lessons at a young age sparked my love of the water. I love to swim and do so any time that I can.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Summer Intern, Sussex Tech School District Technology Department

July 2019 – August 2019

- Address computer software and hardware issues as need arises
- Complete updates on computer carts, student computers and staff computers
- Problem solve technology issues
- Update inventory
- Work both independently and with other interns and department staff

VOLUNTEER WORK

Monthly Volunteer, Selbyville Community Food Pantry

2013 - PRESENT

- Transport bags of packaged foods, pantry staples and meats out to the participant's car
- Offer kind words of encouragement to participants
- Recruit others to volunteer

Baker, The Ark of Refuge Saturday Feeding Program

2013 - PRESENT

- Bake desserts for free Saturday feeding program
- Deliver desserts to church hall in time for lunch
- Commit to baking one Saturday a month all year long

Student Volunteer, Freeman Stage

May 2019 - August 2019 and May 2018 - August 2018

- Greet patrons in polite, professional manner
- Scan ticket at the gate
- Assist other volunteers as needed

My name is Megan Cathell and I am an eight-teen year old high school senior at Sussex Technical High School in Georgetown Delaware. I am a member of the National Honor Society, National Technical Honor Society, the Raven Nation Marching Band, and part of the soccer team. She also volunteers at the Ark of Refuge, Selbyville food pantry and the Freeman Stage. I love to play soccer both for school and indoor out of school. I play the position of goalie and train on the weekends. I have learned valuable skills like teamwork and sportsmanship. I have also won sportsmanship awards while playing indoor soccer in Ocean City. In the fall I plan to attend Eastern Kentucky University in the Fall to major in Forensic Science. My future plan is to become a Forensic Scientist who works for the FBI. I grew up in a house with two parents, a younger brother and her grandmother. I always loved helping around the house cooking, baking, helping clean and helping whenever and wherever she was needed. This scholarship will help me succeed as it will help me be able to pay for college and not rack up debt. For college I won't be able to pay for college racking up a lot of debt. With a lot of debt it could be hard later in life to do what I want or achieve my dreams because of the large debt that I would have. With this scholarship I would be able to pay for college and hopefully achieve my dreams in the future. My family has a little money saved for college but not much. I also have a younger brother who has a dream of going to college. If I take out many loans in order to go to college it would put my family further behind in paying for my brothers college. With this scholarship I will be able to take out less loans taking my family out of less debt and helping my family to better prepare to send my brother to college. Helping my brother is important to me and I want to be able to allow my brother to go to college and not send my family, my brother or me into debt. This scholarship would help me to go to college without racking up a lot of debt.



29687 Millsboro Hwy, Millsboro Delaware
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February 19, 2020

RE: Megan Cathell Recommendation

To Whom It May Concern:

It is an honor to have the opportunity to offer a recommendation for such a giving and talented young lady.

Megan Cathell has been volunteering with The ARK of Refuge since 2013. The ARK of Refuge provides a hot lunch at a local Parish Hall in Millsboro DE every Saturday.

Her gift of making delicious desserts for the Saturday Feeding program feeds anywhere from 35-70 persons. She has faithfully filled in more Saturdays than any other volunteer by baking at least once a month and often times more.

Megan is always willing to take on extra Saturdays to make sure that everyone enjoys a homemade dessert. She is also conscious of the many health issues that plague so many, and includes some type of fruit such as bananas, apples or pears in her dessert recipe.

Megan truly has the heart of compassion and giving back to others. We wish her all the best in her future endeavors.

Sincerely,

VRJ

Vonda R. Joseph
Co-founder/ Event coordinator

*If a brother or sister be naked, and destitute of daily food, And one of you say unto them, Depart in peace, be ye warmed and filled; notwithstanding ye give them not those things; which are needful to the body; who doth it profit?"
James 2: 15-16*

10/22/2019

To: Megan Grace Cathell
 22153 Burling RD
 Georgetown, DE 19947

Student Transcript

From: Sussex Technical High School
 P.O. BOX 351
 17099 County Seat Highway
 Georgetown, DE 19947

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 (302) 856-0961
 CEEB #: 080052

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Student: Cathell, Megan Grace
Birth Date: 11/25/2001

Phone: (302) 542-3849
Grade: 12
Student ID: 764861
Graduation Date:

Year: 2016-2017
Building: Sussex Technical High School

Grade: 09
Year: 2017-2018
Building: Sussex Technical High School

Grade: 10

Course	FINAL	Credit	Course	FINAL	Credit
Band 1	100	1	1 Accelerated Algebra 2	93	1
BPM Exp.	100	0.125	Band 2	99	1
Children's Ed Exp	99	0.125	CISCO Networking Academy 10	97	2
CISCO Networking 9th	100	0.25	CP Civics/Economics	96	1
CISCO Networking Exploratory	100	0.125	CP English 10	86	1
Criminal Justice Exp	100	0.125	CP Pm Bio/Chem	93	1
English 9	93	1	CP Spanish 2	90	1
Geometry 9	92	1	Drivers Education	P	0.25
Health	96	0.5			
Integrated Sci	90	1			
Media Bcst Explore	96	0.125			
Phys Ed 1	100	0.5			
Print Design Explore	100	0.125			
Spanish 1	91	1			
World History	95	1			
	94.7969	Credit: 8.000		93.875	Credit: 8.250

Year: 2018-2019
Building: Sussex Technical High School

Grade: 11
Building: Sussex Technical High School

Grade: 12

Course	FINAL	Credit	Course	FINAL	Credit
Accelerated Pre-Calculus	87	1	Amer: Civ. II (Widener)		0
AP US History	89	1	Amer: Civilization I (Widener)		0
CISCO Networking Academy 11	93	2	AP English Literature		0
Computer Science	84	0.5	AP Calculus		0
CP English 11	91	1	Chemistry (DTCC)		0
CP Physics	91	1	CISCO Networking Academy 12		0
Engineering Design Principles	98	0.5	Intro. to Sociology (Widener)		0
Psychology	96	0.5	Phys Ed 2		0
Wind Ensemble (1/2 year)	97	0.5	Wind Ensemble		0
	91.4375	Credit: 8.000			Credit: .000

Type **GPA** **Rank**
 Unweighted Cumulative GPA 93.3698 70 / 295
 Weighted Cumulative GPA 93.7406 74 / 295
Total Credit: 24.250