



Casa del Prado, Balboa Park  
1650 El Prado, Suite 208  
San Diego, CA 92101-1622

## Christian Rowley Memorial Scholarship Fund

Dear Student,

San Diego Junior Theatre is excited to announce a special opportunity! Students between the ages of 8 and 17 are invited to apply for the **Christian Rowley Scholarship**. Christian Rowley was a Junior Theatre student who passed away unexpectedly on a trip to Mexico. His family has graciously created this scholarship so that other young people could participate in Junior Theatre classes, camps, and shows and have the same positive experience their son enjoyed. This year, we will offer 4 students a year-long scholarship that will cover one Junior Theatre class or camp for each session and cover all production fees if they are cast in a show. The scholarships will be awarded on Friday night, April 27<sup>th</sup>, 2012 at our opening night performance of *Disney's Peter Pan*.

Applicants must turn in the following to be considered for this scholarship:

1. Completed application
2. Student letter of interest
3. Parent/guardian proof of income
4. Two letters of recommendation

The student letter of interest should be at least 1 full type-written page and include the following:

- Describe how you heard about Junior Theatre and why you would like to participate in our classes and productions.
- Describe why you are applying for the scholarship
- List other activities or youth organizations you have participated in and provide examples that demonstrate your commitment to these activities.

Remember that we want to hear your own unique ideas and words, please make sure the letter you submit is your own work

Completed application packets must be submitted to the San Diego Junior Theatre office, Suite 208 by **5:00 pm on Monday, March 5, 2012**. Applications received after this date will not be accepted. Candidates **must be available for an interview, on Saturday, March 17, 2012 between 10 am-12 pm**. Please mark this date on your calendar. We will contact you to schedule a specific interview appointment.

I hope that you will take advantage of this great opportunity! Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions about the scholarship, or the application process.

Sincerely,

Shalico Leaverton  
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San Diego Junior Theatre  
619-239-1311 X 229 Fax 619-239-5048  
[shalico@juniortheatre.com](mailto:shalico@juniortheatre.com)

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**Christian Rowley Scholarship Application**  
**Application Form 2012**

**Name of applicant** \_\_\_\_\_

Birth date of applicant \_\_\_\_\_ Current Age \_\_\_\_\_

Home address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Has applicant participated in Junior Theatre classes? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, please list \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**Mother/Guardian's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

Home address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

**Father/Guardian's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

Home address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

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**Christian Rowley Scholarship Application**  
**PARENT/GUARDIAN PROOF OF INCOME FORM**

Name of Parent/Guardian submitting Proof of Income \_\_\_\_\_

Please submit the following:

1. Most recent federal income tax form

**and**

2. Proof of current household income\*: (please include all that apply)

- Three recent pay stubs
- Copies of letters of federal or state benefits (Welfare, foster care payments, etc)
- Copy of child support order and/or alimony order
- Other documentation (ward of the court order, etc.)

Student's School Name \_\_\_\_\_

School Address \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Attends (circle one) Public School Private School Home School

If attending Private school, is your child receiving financial assistance for school tuition?  
Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ If yes, amount of private school financial assistance \_\_\_\_\_

Does your child qualify for free or reduced lunch at school? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

**Household Information**

Total number of persons in household \_\_\_\_\_

Please list names and relationship to child:

| Name  | Relationship |
|-------|--------------|
| _____ | _____        |
| _____ | _____        |
| _____ | _____        |

Mother's Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Total GROSS Monthly Income \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\*Please include documentation of ALL sources of monthly income and amounts\*

Father's Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Total GROSS Monthly Income \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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I, (print name) \_\_\_\_\_ verify that the information submitted is accurate and complete.

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Christian Rowley Scholarship Application**  
**Letter of Recommendation Form 1**

**Instructions to applicant:** Please contact an adult (other than a relative) that has worked with you in the past and ask them to write a letter of recommendation. They must fill out this form and attach it to a letter they have written. You must receive the letter of recommendation prior to **Monday, March 5, 2012** in order to turn in your Christian Rowley Scholarship Application on time.

**Instructions for Letter of Recommendation:** You have been selected to offer your recommendation for a student applying for Junior Theatre's Christian Rowley Scholarship. This scholarship was created through the generosity of the Rowley family to honor the memory of their son. Please return this form and your letter to the applicant as soon as possible. Completed applications, including recommendations, are due to our office by **Monday, March 5, 2012 at 5pm.**

If you have any questions please contact Junior Theatre at (619) 239-1311 x 229.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Home/Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to the applicant \_\_\_\_\_

How many years have you known the applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

The Scholarship Committee will be reviewing applications and reading all recommendations in an effort to select students that will benefit from their participation in Junior Theatre and take full advantage of this opportunity. Your input is greatly appreciated. Please offer your insight and be sure to include your opinion in relation to the applicant on the following points:

- student's motivation to participate and commit to a year long program
- student's interest in the arts (theatre in particular)
- student's ability to follow direction
- student's ability to work with others
- foreseeable benefits of this scholarship for the student
- anything else you would like the committee to know!

*Thank you for your time and input!*

**Christian Rowley Scholarship Application**  
**Letter of Recommendation Form 2**

**Instructions to applicant:** Please contact an adult (other than a relative) that has worked with you in the past and ask them to write a letter of recommendation. They must fill out this form and attach it to a letter they have written. You must receive the letter of recommendation prior to **Monday, March 5, 2012** in order to turn in your Christian Rowley Scholarship Application on time.

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**Application Packet Checklist (please check all that apply):**

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San Diego CA 92101

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