

Cornwall College Old Boys Association of New York Scholarship Program

The Cornwall College Old Boys Association (CCOBANY) is proud to offer several scholarships to current Cornwall College students who are in good academic standing and possess exemplary character. This program works in conjunction with the Cornwall College Mentoring & Tutoring Initiative (CCMTI). By applying for and accepting any of the scholarships offered through this program, each scholarship recipient agrees to abide by the rules governing the CCMTI program which includes the mandatory assignment of a mentor in furtherance of supporting the school in the continued effort to produce “Men of Might”¹

The selection criteria are stated below for each type of available scholarships.² Qualified and interested applicants, as a condition for scholarship consideration, **must** submit not only his completed scholarship application(s) but also a completed **Teacher/Counsellor/Academic Advisor Evaluation Form** executed by the appropriate school personnel on or before July 30th.

The scholarships are delineated below.

1. **Student Assistant Program (SAP)**

CCOBANY offers these scholarships to Cornwall College students, Grades 7 – 13, based on financial need and academic performance. Students awarded these scholarships are required to maintain high academic performance and demonstrable financial need. The following three (3) types of scholarships are currently being offered through the SAP:

- a. **Tony Barrett:** US\$500 per annum]
- b. **Charles Tyndale:** US\$300 per annum
- c. **10 CCOBANY Bursaries:** US\$300 per annum

Students³ are invited to apply for these scholarships prior to each academic year. Each applicant must demonstrate the following:

- i High academic standard by maintaining a grade of no less than 60 in all subjects.

¹ The assignment of a mentor is a condition precedent for receiving a scholarship award.

² These scholarships are non-transferable to any other educational institution. Failure to adhere to or violation of the terms and conditions specified herein shall result in the immediate rescinding or forfeiture of the scholarship.

³ Lower school students are only eligible for consideration for a single academic year.

- ii. Financial need
- iii. Strong character and upstanding reputation – on and off campus.

These scholarships are only offered to Cornwall College students that have met the above-referenced criteria one year prior to applying. Scholarship students must continue to demonstrate that the award was meritoriously given by endeavoring to meet or exceed the above terms and conditions, during the school year, after receiving a scholarship, and may reapply each year while attending Cornwall College. Failure to comply with or adhere to (i) or (iii) above, at any time during the academic year, will result in the immediate forfeiture of the scholarship. Additionally, behavior that is inconsistent with the standards outlined in this program will be grounds for denying further participation in the program.

TARGETED SCHOLARSHIPS

1. The Vincent HoSang Legacy Scholarship

This is an undergraduate/graduate scholarship program available to current and former Cornwall College High School students. Students with an acceptance letter to a nationally accredited four-year college or university in Jamaica are invited to apply. This program is being administered by the Cornwall College Old Boys Association of New York (“CCOBANY”) and funded by the Vincent HoSang Family Foundation (“VHFF”). This is an annual scholarship offering US\$2,500.00 to a selected applicant.

2. The Froehlich-Grant Memorial Scholarships

These scholarships are named in honor of Nancy Froehlich and David Grant. David is an esteemed Cornwallian, who, in his philanthropy, decided to bestow an annual endowment of ten (10) US\$250.00 scholarships for 9th through 13th grade students who are interested in the studies of “**Humanities**” which are academic disciplines that study aspects of human society and culture.

- The humanities include the studies of philosophy, religion, linguistics, foreign languages, history, language, arts (literature, writing, oratory, rhetoric, poetry, etc.), performing arts (theatre, music, dance, etc.) and visual arts (painting, sculpture, filmmaking, etc.).
- These scholarships are designed to promote these academic pursuits. Applicants must be in good academic standing. Upon accepting the scholarships, students must show periodic proof that they are deserving of such consideration/honor by maintaining academic excellence.

- Disbursements will be made directly to the scholarship recipients in September of the academic year.

3. Bevil Debruin Scholarship for Excellence in Academics, Sports, and Citizenship

The CCOBANY offers the Bevil Debruin Scholarship for Excellence in Academics, Sports, and Citizenship in memory of a multifaceted, extraordinary, and talented Cornwall College Educator and sports coach. Bevil DeBruin devoted his life to creating “Men of Might” at our beloved alma mater. In honor of his loyal, disciplined, and dedicated service, the **Cornwall College Old Boys’ Association of New York** will annually award this Scholarship, for **US\$1,000**, to an outstanding student who meets the referenced criteria. Recipients are expected to exhibit integrity and character that are beyond reproach while pursuing and maintaining scholastic excellence. The funds will be disbursed directly to the awardee in two equal portions, in September and January, during the ensuing academic year.

The CCOBANY Education Committee works collaboratively with Cornwall College and will make the final selection based, in part, on their recommendations and guidance.

All the other requirements for the application must be adhered to as stipulated on our website: ccobany.org.

4. Bevil Debruin Scholarship for Excellence in Mathematics

The Bevil Debruin Math Scholarship will be awarded annually to an 11th Grade student who exhibits excellence in Math and whose character is unrepachable. Much like its sibling scholarship, Bevil Debruin Scholarship for Excellence in Academics, Sports and Citizenship above, this scholarship epitomizes the value and virtues associated with “Men of Might” in addition to possessing the dedication to pursue both pure and applied mathematics with a strong focus on a more abstract line of mathematical reasoning and the logic of processes and methods and understand how mathematics is used to describe, understand and develop the world around us. The funds will be disbursed directly to the awardee in two equal portions, in September and January, during the ensuing academic year.

5. Termutis and Edgar Christie Football Scholarships

The Christie scholarships are named in honor of Termutis & Edgar Christie, the proud parents of Norman Christie (one of three (3) brothers to attend Cornwall College, Class of '77 and a former Head of Operations at British Petroleum (BP) at the company’s corporate offices and headquarters in London, England.

These scholarships are designed to promote academics in sports and are offered to student-athletes who participate in the football program and are in good academic standing. Upon accepting any of the scholarships, students must show periodic proof that they are deserving of such consideration/honor by maintaining academic excellence and excelling in the sport.

Disbursements will be made directly to the scholarship recipients in two (2) equal payments in September and January of the academic year

Each recipient will be held accountable for unsportsmanlike conduct detrimental to the team or the school, both on and off campus, and will be denied further participation in the program by CCOBANY's Scholarship Review Committee if such conduct is determined to have been exhibited which tarnishes the school's reputation and negatively impacts and devalues the scholarship program.

The Termutis and Edgar Christie Scholarships are as follows:

- One scholarship to a deserving graduating Cornwall College student that is tenable at UTech (University of Technology, Kingston, Jamaica or other reputable, or an accredited tertiary level institution in Jamaica, West Indies, in the amount of **US\$1,000** per year. This scholarship will be offered to one student each year, over a five (5) year period and shall not be rescinded provided that the student remains in school, excels academically and matriculates from the accredited institution within the time allotted for receiving his degree.
- One (1) scholarship to a deserving student at Cornwall College, who is a member of the school's senior soccer team, in Grade 12 – Lower Six - and going on to Grade 13 (Upper Six). This scholarship will be offered each year in the amount of **US\$500**, over a five (5) year period provided that the student remains, excels and matriculates from the school.
- One (1) scholarship to a deserving student at Cornwall College, who is a member of the school's football team, in Grade 10 or lower and returning to school. This scholarship will be offered each year in the amount of **US\$500** per year, over a five (5) year period provided that the student remains, excels, and matriculates from the school.
- Student must continue to demonstrate that the award was meritoriously given by endeavoring to meet or exceed the above criteria after receiving a scholarship.

6. The Clifford Harvey Scholarship

The Clifford A. Harvey Memorial Scholarship is in honor of a beloved father and grandfather who valued learning above all else and this legacy is realized in offering a financial benefit in supporting a student who has a demonstrable desire to learn

and is in need of some financial support. The selected student will receive **US\$500.00** for the incoming academic school year and ***said scholarship will be subjected to renewal for a second year.***

The following are the criteria for all applicants:

1. A student who is currently enrolled at Cornwall College.
2. A student who is in grade 12 or 13 who intends to attend a college or university upon graduating from high school.
3. A student who is studying science with an interest in healthcare.
4. A student with preferably a GPA of 3.00 but no less than 2.75.

Each applicant must embody the spirit of never giving up that Clifford Harvey demonstrated during his life by submitting a 1-page essay of a story or experience that clearly epitomizes his determination to overcome challenges while exhibiting a proficiency in the grammatical and written form of the English Language.