

# **Burbank Memorial Scholarship**

PO BOX 21 Nottingham, NH 03290

The Burbank Memorial Scholarship is available to all New Hampshire residents at participating schools, students enrolled in or accepted to an institution of higher learning for the upcoming fall semester or is directly pursuing a passion for Tai Chi, Yoga, or peaceful defensive martial arts. This award is named in memory of Jon Burbank Founder of Bikram Yoga Boston and professional Yogi, and Davis Burbank, lifelong educator and leader at both SNHU and UNH who recently passed in 2025.

## **Application Guidelines:**

The application must be postmarked or received electronically by April 15th each year to be eligible.

NH Resident

Establish a financial need

Must have been studying Yoga, Tai Chi or Defensive martial arts.

Either planning on college or going directly into the field of Yoga, or Martial Arts (Apprenticeship, Certifications, training).

GED 18 and under who went into the field can be considered.

Is known for being a kind person with integrity and is a loyal dependable friend, family, and citizen community member.

Award recipient(s) must submit their fall transcripts to the Trustees.

## **Award Details:**

Minimum of \$500, range of up to \$2,000. Multiple scholarships may be awarded. Awards are funded each year by generosity of donors & businesses. Recipients will be asked for a photo, take a photo with Trustees and agree to social media.

**Participating Schools:** The first year we are limiting the scholarship to Bow High School, Coe Brown Academy, Exeter Area High School, and Kearsarge Regional High School.

Please return the completed application with the required information to:

William Davis Burbank Treasurer

Burbank Memorial Scholarship

PO BOX 21 Nottingham, NH 03290

Or email [bill@burbankventures.com](mailto:bill@burbankventures.com)

Find the electronic version of this document on [Davisburbank.com](http://Davisburbank.com)

# APPLICATION FOR THE BURBANK MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

## PERSONAL INFORMATION

<b>Name:</b>	
<b>Home Address:</b>	
<b>Date of Birth:</b>	
<b>Student Cell #:</b>	
<b>Email:</b>	
<b>Home Phone #:</b>	

## EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION

<b>Name &amp; Address of School/College:</b>	
<b>Intended Major/Field of Study:</b>	
<b>Current GPA (if applicable):</b>	

## TRAINING/PRACTICE INFORMATION

<b>Where are you currently training/practicing?</b> <i>(Studio/Dojo/School name and address)</i>	
<b>Instructor/Contact Name:</b>	
<b>Instructor/Contact Phone:</b>	
<b>Instructor/Contact Email:</b>	
<b>How long have you been practicing?</b>	
<b>What discipline(s)?</b> <i>(e.g., Bikram Yoga, Tai Chi, Aikido, etc.)</i>	

## ESSAY QUESTIONS

Can be a paragraph, can be a page. Make sure it shows your spirit and who you are as a person... Pick one topic.

1. Tell me about yourself.
2. How has Tai Chi, Yoga, or martial arts impacted your life? How and why do you train?
3. Who do you know that kind and nice person, what do you do to exemplify that?
4. Have you ever helped someone in need or less fortunate than you?
5. How do you view your role as a citizen and community member?
6. How are you a loyal or dependability to a friend, family member, or member of your community.

**Both Jon and Davis were thoughtful, gifted, and eloquent writers who wrote in their own voice that conveyed their spirit. Using AI or assistive technology is an insult to their memories, please be respectful.**

## SUGGESTED DOCUMENTS

- ☐ High School or College Transcript
- ☐ Letter of Recommendation (from Tai Chi, Yoga or martial arts instructor, teacher, mentor, or community member)
- ☐ Acceptance Letter (optional, if enrolled in college/program)

## APPLICANT CERTIFICATION

I certify that all information provided in this application is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that false information may result in disqualification.

Applicant Signature	Date