

Virgil Douglas Brown, IV Scholarship

Amount of award: \$1500

This scholarship was set up by Doug's family members in recognition of his life at RCHS, which was a launching pad for his career. Alumnae Virgil Douglas Brown, IV (RCHS C' 96) "Doug" was an outstanding high school and college student, an award winning member of the RCHS Swim Team, he loved to cook and serve others. He was also a friend to most people who knew him and he had a heart for community service.

Doug was a graduate of SFSU where he majored in communications. He went to work for the EDD for over 22 years where he has enjoyed the opportunity of service to the community and professional growth. During his employment he moved to management which he dearly enjoyed. He appreciated his staff, his superiors and loved being of service to others.

Swimming was very important to him. He swam with the Rancho Cordova Blue Marlins, the Rancho Cordova High swim team, and the swim team at San Francisco State University.

Criteria for eligibility for "The Virgil Douglas Brown, IV Scholarship"

The student selected for this scholarship shall be:

1. An excellent/good academic student in good standing (Min. GPA 2.75)
2. A member of RCHS Swim Team
 1. One who is planning to attend a college, university or a trade school with a focus on communications.
 2. One with an Interest in Communications and/or Community Service Careers is preferred,
 3. One with financial need.

Application Process:

To apply, please submit the following to Ms. Spencer in the counseling office by Monday, April 1st at 3 pm:

1. Resume that includes your name, address, phone number, email, and list of community activities and personal accomplishments
2. 500 word personal statement about your goals for the future, explanation of financial need and how you would use the scholarship, and to answer the question: What benefit have you gained by being a part of the CHS Swim Team.
3. Letter of recommendation from coach, counselor or teacher
4. Transcript

Selection Process

Final selection will be made by a scholarship committee established by the family, former RCHS Swimm Team graduates and Faculty. The winner will be announced at the RCHS awards night in May.

Additional Information for RCHS Scholarship Coordinator

Donor Contact Information:

Send completed applications to Ms. Carlyn Spencer, Counselor
Cordova High School
2239 Chase Drive
Rancho Cordova, CA 95670
(916)294-2450, ext. 810134

Scholarship administered by:
Sacramento Delta Foundation

P.O. Box 215844

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Website: www.sacramentodeltafoundation.org

Presentation of Award:

Student will receive a letter from the donor/Sacramento Delta Foundation at RCHS Awards night with instructions to provide proof of enrollment in college or trade school to receive their award. The award check will go to the student's college or trade school. RCHS will provide a certificate for the recipient at RCHS awards night.