

PART I - APPLICANT INFORMATION

Full Name: Emilie Bertram

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State: KY

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Date of Birth: 03-16-2003

High School: Pendleton County Memorial High School

Currently, I am a high school: ☒ Freshman ☐ Sophomore ☐ Junior ☐ Senior

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PART II - APPLICANT ESSAY

- Please explain why you feel as though you deserve to be awarded a Gay Brewer, Jr. Grant
- Essay must be typed and double spaced
- Essay should be no more than two pages

PART III - PERFORMANCE RECORD

- Please provide your performance record for at least the last two years
- Record should include scores in addition to final results
- Performance Record must be typed

PART VI - PARENT OR GUARDIAN NARRATIVE

- Please provide a short narrative why applicant deserves to be awarded a Gay Brewer, Jr. Grant
- Financial need is an important factor in determining recipients, thus include financial need in narrative

SUBMISSION

Return Application by mail with Part II, III and VI to:

Kentucky Golf Foundation
Attention: Gay Brewer, Jr. Grant
1116 Elmore Just Drive
Louisville, Kentucky 40245

OR by email to:

Connie Saner
csaner@kygolf.org

Applications must be received at Golf House Kentucky
by 4 p.m. on May 4, 2018

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If I had a dollar for every time someone laughed when I told them my dream was to play on the LPGA, well, I wouldn't have the need to apply for this grant. Unfortunately, life doesn't work that way, so at the beginning of every year, when dad and I are going over the upcoming tournaments for the KYPGA tour, we have to budget the amount of tournaments we enter.

Ever since I was little, I showed an interest in golf. When I first started walking, my parents bought me a little plastic club and plastic golf ball and I was hitting it everywhere around the yard and even in the house! So, now when people ask me how I started playing, I tell them that's how I got my start, and it usually gets a chuckle from them. Then, as I was growing up, I would ride in the cart when mom & dad would play in outings with their friends. In 5th grade, I started to play in tournaments. I played on the Northern Kentucky 7 Up tour, where I played with boys and girls my age. When I first started in tournaments, I would get discouraged playing with boys that were a lot better than me. But now, I realize that when you're playing golf, you aren't playing against anyone else; you're playing against the golf course. Golf has given me many memories, new friends, a sense of independence and without it, I wouldn't be the person I am today.

My future plans are to play college golf (preferably either University of Kentucky, Texas, Florida, or Vanderbilt) and then play on the Symetra tour. Hopefully if I make it that far, I can acquire my LPGA card and live my dream as a pro golfer. When I look at professional golfers (women and men), I notice a pattern that sets them apart from amateur golfers; their mentality, hard work and determination. I think that anyone can want to golf and anyone can want to play well, but if they don't put work in that nobody else is, they will not get what they wish out of their golf game. Which is why I believe I have what it takes to live my dream and play professional golf, and this grant would put me one step closer. Thank you for considering.

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date	location	score	rank	note
Performance Record 2015				
7/14/2015	Twin Oaks	121	n/a	
7/16/2015	Flagg Springs	127	n/a	
8/3/2015	Winchester CC	111	29th/53	
8/4/2015	Eagle Creek	116	31/68	
8/8/2015	Pioneer	118	99/130	
8/15/2015	Indian Creek	119	55/85	
9/12/2015	Cassel Creek	101	50/80	
9/29/2015	Houston Oaks/ HS Regional	124	27/44	
2016				
7/12/2016	Twin Oaks	109	n/a	
7/14/2016	Twin Bridges	111	n/a	
7/20/2016	Kenton Station GC	47	1st	9 hole competition
8/1/2016	Greenbrier	115	T45/58	
8/2/2016	Pioneer	109	102/134	
8/13/2016	Indian Creek	114	T72/102	
9/17/2016	Cassel Creek	93	T14/66	
	Battlefield GC			
9/24/2016	Regional Middle School KPGA	40	1st	9hole low medalist qualified for state
	Pioneer GC			
9/26/2016	Regional High School	97	n/a	missed qualifying for state by 4 strokes
10/1/2016	Quail Chase State KPGA MS		8th	
		89	place	
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2017 Tournament Performance record

4/8 Weissinger Hills	107 6th	KPGA Jr Tour Spring stableford
4/9 Quail Chase	102 5th	same as above
4/15 Juniper Hills	101 4th	KPGA Jr Tour
5/20 Wild Turkey Trace	101	KPGA Jr Tour 2day regional
5/21 Wild Turkey Trace	93 5th	same as above
5/30 Eagle Trace Golf	109 T3	KPGA Jr tour
5/31 Cherry Blossom	94 7th	KPGA Jr Tour
6/6 Polo Fields	92 1st	KPGA Jr Tour
6/7 University Club	112	Jr PGA Championship
6/8 University Club	97 48th	qualifier 2day event
6/27 My Old Kentucky Home	94	KY Amateur Championship
6/28 My Old Kentucky Home	100 T40	2day
7/5 Weissinger Hills	94 3rd	KPGA Jr Tour
7/18 Summit Hills	95 4th	KPGA Jr Tour
7/20 Keene Run	97	KPGA Jr Tour Championship
7/21 Keene Run	97 T12	
7/31 Greenbrier CC	95	High School Tournament
8/1 Eagle Creek GC	92	High School Tournament
8/5 Pioneer GC	76 6th	High School Tournament
8/19/2017+A Indian Creek	85	High School Tournament
9/9 Cassell Creek	85	High School Tournament
9/26 NKGK	88 5th	Regional High School Tournament
10/6 Bowling Green CC Winding Ridge	93 MC	State Tournament High School
10/21 (Indiana) Winding Ridge	88 7th	Tri-state Elite Tournament
10/22 (Indiana)	93 12th	Tri-state Elite Tournament
2018		
4/14/18 Juniper Hills	87 7th	KPGA Jr Tour 2day Spring Classic
4/15/18 Juniper Hills	93 T10	14th overall rank

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2018		
Tentative Schedule		
5/19-5/20	Wild Turkey Trace	KPGA JGS Tournament
6/4/2018	Lassing Pointe	KPGA Jr Tour tournament
6/7-6/8	Kearney Hill Golf Links	Jr PGA Championship Qualifier
6/13-6/14	Greenbier/Lakeside	KPGA Jr Tour Regional Combo tournament AJGA
6/19/2018	Gibson Bay	KPGA Jr Tour tournament
6/25/2018	Bowling Green CC	KPGA Jr Tour tournament
6/28-6/29	Cherry Blossom	Ky Jr Am Championship AJGA

**July schedule still pending

****High School schedule has not been released***

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Emilie Bertram- Parent Narrative Part VI

A little over a year ago, we attended the Cincinnati Golf Show and happen to sit in on a panel discussion led by Patrick Foppe and 1UnderGolf. He had a panel of his students with their parents discussing how to get college golf scholarships. We later contacted Patrick for a club fitting and after spending a few hours with Emilie, he saw something special not only with her talent, but her ability to learn quickly and her overall attitude. We worked out a payment plan with him and he continues to go above and beyond to teach and support her. Emilie has worked very hard to improve her skills and I'm proud of her accomplishments to date. She has also done this while maintaining straight A's in advanced courses at school.

In terms of financial need, we are a single income family and highly leveraged. When our daughter was born, we felt it was important for one parent to stay home with her and my husband graciously accepted the job, mainly because it made the most financial sense to our family. Ten days before Emilie turned 3 years old, my husband had a stroke and should have died (according to his neurologists). He suffered a bit of brain damage but has managed to recover miraculously. God clearly had another plan for him. This grant will help us but more importantly will help Emilie not feel so guilty and allow her to focus on her game and the competition. This is a wonderful program and we appreciate your consideration.