THE RESER FAMILY FOUNDATION

The Alex Reser Scholarship at The Reser Family Foundation

The Reser Family Foundation was formed to honor the legacy of family values and community involvement cherished by the Reser Family. The Foundation partners with diverse organizations across Oregon to strengthen the people and places that make Oregon so unique and inspiring.

The Reser Family believes in the value of education and is providing a scholarship to honor Alex Reser and to support a High School Senior who has been involved in wrestling during High School to support them as they head to college.

Here are the details:

Scholarship Name: The Alex Reser Scholarship at The Reser Family Foundation



Alex Reser - 1988 to 2019

Alex was raised in Beaverton and graduated from Westview High School. He was a talented athlete, loved baseball and wrestling and followed his passion as a wrestler at Oregon State University. He graduated in 2012 with a degree in accounting, achieved his CPA accreditation and worked as a manager for Moss Adams Accounting Company.

Alex was caring, loyal, and warm hearted. He was a trusted son, brother, friend, and uncle. His passions were skiing, wakeboarding, OSU athletics and spending time with his family and friends. He was also an avid movie watcher and loved to quote movie phrases.

Award Process: Students send their application via email to the Oregon Wrestling Association. The Oregon Wrestling Association Scholarship Committee selects the recipient and notify The Reser Family Foundation. Scholarship Committee's family members are not eligible for the scholarship. The scholarship is presented at the Senior Awards Assembly by a Reser Family Foundation Member annually in June at the student's High School.

Guidelines/Criteria:

1. This scholarship is available for an Oregon high school senior who will be attending an accredited university that provides a baccalaureate degree.
2. The recipient must be a high school senior that was a Wrestling Athlete during their High School Career.
3. The Oregon Wrestling Association will provide the Reser Family Foundation with the recipient's full application, supporting documents, contact information, and proof of enrollment at the College. The Reser Family Foundation will administer the funds and send award check directly to the university. The recipient is required to sign a letter of acknowledgement provided by The Reser Family Foundation.
4. The required minimum GPA is 3.50.
5. Amount: $10,000.00.
6. Involvement in leadership and community where they live is preferred.

7. A Thank You Letter to The Reser Family Foundation from the recipient is expected within 1 month of being selected for the Scholarship.
8. Follow Up/Impact letter from the recipient to The Reser Family Foundation is expected within 1 year of receiving the scholarship funds.

Scholarship Process:

1. The Oregon Wrestling Association will notify coaches at the annual Wrestling Coaches Training in March regarding the scholarship and application process.
2. The coaches will talk with the Wrestlers that are High School Seniors and interested students will fill out an application, due via email by April 21st each year to The Oregon Wrestling Association at: oregonwrestling.usaw@gmail.com
3. The Scholarship Committee at The Oregon Wrestling Association will review the applications and determine the recipient.
4. The scholarship committee will email the recipient's name to The Foundation by the end of May annually to (marijo@thereserfamilyfoundation.org).
5. A Reser Family Foundation Member will present the award at the Senior Awards Assembly in June and provide the acknowledgement form to the recipient.
6. The Foundation will receive acceptance/enrollment paperwork from the recipient by July 15, 2026 confirming the school they are attending.
7. The check will be sent directly to the university.
8. The recipient will receive a copy of the check.
9. The Foundation will receive a thank you letter from the recipient by July 15, 2026.
10. The Student will send an impact letter at the end of the college school year - by June 30. 2027.

The 2026 Alex Reser Scholarship at The Reser Family Foundation

$10,000.00

Application due on April 21, 2026 to:

The Oregon Wrestling Association

Attn: oregonwrestling.usaw@gmail.com

Requirements:

- Oregon High School Senior who wrestled during High School
- GPA of 3.50 or greater
- Involvement in leadership and/or the community
- Accepted to an accredited university that offers a baccalaureate degree
- 3 Letters of Recommendations (1 letter from the wrestling coach, 1 letter from a teacher or school representative – 1 letter from someone in your life – no relatives, please)
- Resume that highlights work history, leadership and volunteerism
- Transcript
- School or Profile Picture

Please provide the following information:

Name:		
Address:		
Phone:		
Email Address:		
Planned Major:		
GPA:	Unweighted:	Weighted:
First Generation Student:	Yes ☐	No ☐
Parent/Guardian Name:		
Parent/Guardian Phone:		
Parent/Guardian Email:		

Please answer the following questions (please limit your response to each question to 500 words or less):

1. Explain your career/life aspirations *and* how you plan to give back to the community

2. Tell us what university you are planning to attend and indicate if you have been accepted? Explain the cost to attend and how you plan to pay for college. Please be as specific as possible.

3. How will you apply what you have learned in the sport of wrestling to your school and life?

4. Why should the Oregon Wrestling Association Scholarship Committee select you for this Scholarship?

5. Please list your extracurricular involvement in athletics, leadership, work, or volunteerism (you do not need to fill in all the boxes if they do not apply to you).

Extra-Curricular Involvement			
Athletics	Leadership	Work Experience	Volunteerism
1.	1.	1.	1.
2.	2.	2.	2.
3.	3.	3.	3.
4.	4.	4.	4.
5.	5.	5.	5.
6.	6.	6.	6.

6. Photo Release and Signature

I hereby consent to the publication and use of my photo, (or if minor, my child's photo) for the purpose of promotion, publicity, advertising, or other manner or media by The Reser Family Foundation. Likeness shall include, but not be limited to, photographs, brochures, publications, reports, web pages, or promotional materials. I hereby release and hold harmless, The Reser Family Foundation along with their respective employees, agents, affiliates, sponsors, or other representatives from any and all claims, demands, or causes of action arising out of the use of my photo, (if minor, my child's photo) and/or likeness, in accordance with the terms of this release. I understand and agree that neither me, (or if minor, my child) will be compensated in any way for the use of the photo.

Signed:

_____	_____	_____
Scholarship Applicant Signature	Printed Name	Date
_____	_____	_____
Parent/Guardian Signature (if applicant is a minor)	Printed Name	Date

Please submit this application along with the 3 letters of recommendation, resume, transcript and school or profile picture to: oregonwrestling.usaw@gmail.com by April 21, 2026.