



MEL TULLY SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION - 2025



The Mel Tully Scholarship assists. To be eligible, applicants must:

- Reside within Area 12 (California, Nevada, Hawaii or Guam)
- Be attending his/her first Director event
- Be a member of the Handbell Musicians of America
- Currently be a handbell director or contracted to be a director within Area 12

Date: _____

Applicant's Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone: () _____ E-mail: _____

Guild Membership Number: _____ Expiration Date: _____

How long have you been working with handbells/handchimes? _____

Name and location of current handbell choir(s): _____

Including your current ringing situation, please list all organizations where you have worked with handbells/handchimes: _____

What other handbell/handchime activities/events have you attended?

none workshop(s) festival(s) convention(s) local massed ringing events

other (please list): _____

Event for requested scholarship funds: _____

Please explain your financial need (*this statement will be considered confidential*):

Why do you believe that you should be awarded the Mel Tully Scholarship?

RECOMMENDATION

The signature of a supervising authority figure within the applicant's organization, such as the minister, principal or director of music must certify this application.

I recommend _____ for the Mel Tully Scholarship

Printed Name: _____ Date: _____

Signature: _____ Phone: () _____

Title: _____

Name and address of sponsoring organization: _____

Please email this application to: pastchair.area12@handbellmusicians.org
(If you wish to send by regular mail, send an email to request mailing address.)

To be considered, this application **must be received at least three weeks before the event.**

Applicants will be notified of the final decision within two weeks.

(Before mailing, make a copy for your own records.)