



Clarksville Association of REALTORS®
Young Professionals Network
Mike Groves'
Memorial Scholarship

APPLICATION

Mike Groves was a member of the Clarksville Association of REALTORS® from 1991 until his passing in 2015. In his 24 years with CAR, Mike served in dozens of leadership roles, including as our primary REALTOR® Code of Ethics instructor. He was named REALTOR® of the Year in 2001 and was elected to serve as President in 2000 and 2015.

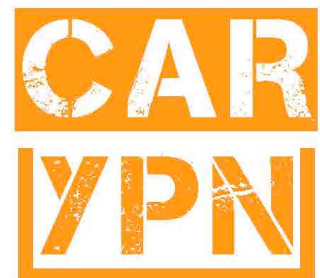
Mike strived to make CAR and its members leaders in the REALTOR® community and to exist on the cutting edge. He believed that the future of this organization was in educating, encouraging and investing in young leaders and in embracing emerging technology trends. Mike championed for the formation and recognition of the CAR Young Professionals Network and, without his vocal support, it would not be what it is today!

In Mike's honor, the CAR YPN has raised funds through its hugely successful Handbags for Hope fundraiser to endow this scholarship. In 2016, \$7,000 was raised specifically for this scholarship allowing CAR to award 7 deserving students.

On behalf of the entire membership of the CAR YPN, 'Thank You' for applying for this scholarship and helping to keep Mike's passion for education alive!



Michael C. Groves
*September 18, 1959-
November 22, 2015*



GENERAL INFORMATION AND RULES

- Each student application and Guidance Counselor supporting report must be received at the Clarksville Association of Realtors® office by **4:30pm on Wednesday, March 1, 2017**. Applications may be hand delivered, sent through the mail, emailed to josh@clarksvilleaor.com or faxed to (931) 645-2337.

Clarksville Association of Realtors®
Attn: Scholarship
115 Center Pointe Drive
Clarksville, TN 37040

- Each application should include a letter of recommendation from a teacher, counselor, other school administrator or an employer that describes the student's character, accomplishments, and why the student should receive the scholarship. This letter can either be returned with the Student's Application or the Counselor's Report.
- Scholarship recipients will be announced no later than March 30, 2017.
- Each scholarship awarded will be for \$1,000 for 1 year of education, up to \$500 per semester beginning with the Summer semester, 2017.
- Scholarship eligibility is limited to:
 - Graduates of a school in either Montgomery or Stewart Counties in Tennessee;
 - Those students that will attend an accredited 2-year or 4-year college or university;
 - Those students that will begin classes in the Summer or Fall semester of 2017.
- The Clarksville Association of Realtors® (CAR) does not discriminate against applicants on the basis of race, color, religion, creed, national origin, sex (including pregnancy), sexual orientation, gender identity/expression, disability, age, status as a protected veteran, genetic information, or an other legally protected class.
- The Clarksville Association of Realtors® Young Professionals Network Mike Groves' Memorial Scholarship will be awarded based on a combination of the following:
 - Academic accomplishments as demonstrated through transcripts, scores and recommendations;
 - Personal motivation and initiative as demonstrated through extracurricular activities, community service, work experience and service to family;
 - Essay submission.
- Scholarship recipients will make themselves available at a mutually agreeable time for a presentation ceremony and group photograph with other recipients.
- Scholarship recipients agree these photos, their name and their likeness can be used in a number of marketing tools by the Clarksville Association of Realtors® including, but not limited to, press releases, social media postings, and public announcements.

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Student Name: _____

Home Address: _____

Phone (primary) _____ Phone (secondary) _____

Email _____

High School _____

High School Address _____

Where are you planning on attending college? _____

Have you been formally accepted? _____ No _____ Yes

If so, when will you begin attending? _____ Summer 2017 _____ Fall 2017

Where will you live during college? _____ On Campus _____ At Home _____ Other

How do you plan to fund your college education? _____

Have you been awarded any other scholarships? If so, please list: _____

Are you currently employed outside of the home? _____ No _____ Yes If so, please list:

Describe any other work activities (family farm, family business, help at home, etc.) _____

By my signature, and my parent's/guardian's signature below, we certify that I will graduate from high School this Spring and plan to continue my education in college starting in either the Summer or Fall of 2017. We also certify that all information contained in this application is true and correct and that we have read, and agree to, all rules and procedures listed on page 2 of this application.

Student: _____

Parent/ Guardian: _____

Date Signed: _____

STUDENT NARRATIVE

Please describe in two pages, **using your own words**, why you want to be the recipient of the Clarksville Association of REALTORS® Young Professionals Network Mike Groves' Memorial Scholarship, the course of study or major field of interest you plan to follow, your proposed occupation or profession, and any other abilities you have that were not previously mentioned in this application.

COUNSELORS REPORT

This section is to be completed by the student's High School Guidance Counselor, Principal, or teacher acting in an administrative role and returned separately to the Clarksville Association of Realtors®.

Student Name: _____

High School _____

(if available) ACT Composite _____ SAT Combined _____

Cumulative high school Grade Point Average (GPA) _____

Please attach the student's full high-school transcript with this application.

Extracurricular Activities: List any clubs, organizations, community or church activities in which the student has participated. This section may be completed by the Student. Please attach additional pages if needed.

Club/ Activity	Organizing Group	Role/ Office/ Recognition	# of Years Involved
<i>(ex: Honor Society, Habitat for Humanity, etc.)</i>	<i>(ex: Clarksville High School, First Baptist Church, etc.)</i>	<i>(ex: Vice President Sophomore Year, Varsity Squad, etc.)</i>	<i>(ex: 3 years, 2 seasons, etc.)</i>

Are there any other activities, achievements, or awards you would like to bring to the selection committee's attention? _____

This is to certify that I have known the above named student for at least one semester. From this acquaintance and association, I certify that he or she is of good moral character. I further testify that the applicant has shown a definite interest in furthering his or her education and would be deserving of this award.

Name of School Official Completing _____

Signature _____ Date _____