

Gunilla Israel Asher Scholarship

The mission of the The Gunilla Israel Asher Scholarship was established to carry forward the legacy of the beautiful, brave, valiant warrior and former *Aspen Times* Publisher, Gunilla Asher, who lost her fight with cancer after a lengthy and heroic battle. Gunilla was 42 years old. She left behind two small children, David and Charlie, and the love of her life, Mark. Gunilla loved all things Aspen. She was the life of every party and the goodness behind so many selfless acts. The scholarship is intended to assist an Aspen High School student, who has a demonstrated financial need, to attend the college of his or her choice.

Criteria:

- Be a graduating senior at Aspen High School
- Demonstrate financial need
- Plan to attend an accredited college or university
- Contact Vicki Bauer with any questions: vicki@aspencommunityfoundation.org or call our office at 970.925.9300

Required Application Materials:

Completed application form via [Aspen High School College Counseling](#) office

- Signed and dated personal statement
- Official school transcripts of grades
- Two signed and dated letters of recommendation
- Recent photo
- [Free Application for Federal Student Aid \(FAFSA\)](#) if available

An interview is required for finalists.

Review and Selection Committee:

- Samantha Johnston
- Shannon Asher
- ACF Representatives



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