

Virginia USSSA Hall of Fame Foundation, Inc. (sponsor of) Cavalier Athletic Club Scholarship Application

Please Print or Type

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone (Day) _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone (Eve) _____

Athletic Scholarship applying for (Check One):

Baseball

Fast Pitch Softball

Slow Pitch Softball

Wrestling

Volleyball

Track & Field

Cross Country

Football

Basketball Other (please list sport) _____

List school(s) attended, units completed and GPA:

List honors and awards received:

List extracurricular activities:

What college do you plan to attend next year?

Provide a list of employment for the last two years, starting with your current or most recent job. Include employer(s), job description, employment dates and hours per week you work. (Attach an additional page if necessary.)

Name three people who will be writing letters of reference on your behalf.

1: _____ 2: _____ 3: _____

Application Deadline: Friday, December 2, 2016

Disclaimer: Scholarship recipients please note that scholarships are considered a “resource” and must be included in a student’s financial aid budget. If you are awarded a scholarship that exceeds your financial aid award, a reduction or payment of financial aid may occur.

QUALIFICATIONS: To be eligible for a scholarship, you must receive a GED or high school diploma within the next year and have at least a 3.0 grade point average.

INSTRUCTIONS: Complete the scholarship application. You must indicate the specific athletic scholarship for which you are applying. Please make sure you fill in all information on application.

THE ESSAY: Write an ESSAY about why you deserve to receive a scholarship. Indicate your objectives. You may want to include information about your educational, career, and personal goals. Demonstrate your talent by writing about any special interests or special circumstances that you may wish the selection committee to consider. If you are applying for a scholarship that requires a demonstrated financial need, employment, family responsibilities, evidence of leadership, community service or other requirements, please address that specifically in your essay. **Only one (1) essay is needed; please don’t write an essay for each scholarship you are applying for.**

ESSAY FORMAT: Use 8 ½” x 11” white paper; type or use a computer. Limit the essay to one or two pages. Use your NAME and ESSAY as the title. **Triple-space** after the title and **Double-space** the body of your essay and use 1” margin all around. See sample page. (No extra documents such as pictures, resumes, etc. are allowed.)

SUPPORT MATERIAL: Be sure to include at least two, but no more than three letters of recommendation with your application.

Mail your scholarship application and essay to Cavalier Athletic Club Scholarship, 4137 Tanner Slip Circle, Chester, VA 23831 with a postmark no later than application deadline, **December 2, 2016**. For more information or questions, please contact Rich Carlyle at (804) 731-3854.

IMPORTANT: You must furnish any other applicable transcripts you would like the Scholarship Committee to consider. All applicants will be notified by letter or phone of their eligibility and the results of their applications two weeks prior to the Cavalier Athletic Club Scholarship Awards Ceremony. **All scholarship recipients will receive their scholarship award at the Virginia USSSA Hall of Fame banquet on March 4, 2017. The banquet will be held at Fort Lee, VA at the Lee Club. Please contact Rich Carlyle at (804) 731-3854 for more information.**

I UNDERSTAND THAT SUBMISSION OF THIS APPLICATION AUTHORIZES THE SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE TO OBTAIN ANY INFORMATION NEEDED INCLUDING HIGH SCHOOL AND COLLEGE TRANSCRIPTS. I HEREBY AUTHORIZE RELEASE OF ALL THE FOREGOING SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION AND/OR MATERIALS. I ALSO GIVE PERMISSION TO RELEASE MY NAME TO THE SPONSORS, NEWSPAPERS, COLLEGIATE AND VIRGINIA USSSA SPORTS WEBSITES FOR PUBLICITY PURPOSES.

Signature

Date

For Office Use:

Received by Committee: _____ Date _____

Application _____ Essay _____ Reference 1 _____ Reference 2 _____ Reference 3 _____ Transcripts _____

Scholarship Committee:

Screen On _____ Meets Criteria? _____ If no, explain _____

Result: _____ Committee Chair Name: _____

SCHOLARSHIP ESSAY STATEMENT

You may use the following outline as a “model” for the completion of your essay. Try to be as thorough as possible when you write your essay. Use a 1” margin all around. Feel free to use any essay format you feel comfortable with. You may type a maximum of two pages, double-spaced, only.

First Name Last Name

Educational Goal:

(Double Space)

My Goal is to be the first member of my family to obtain a degree...

Career Goal:

My ambition is to obtain a satisfying, rewarding career which will support me and my family...

Personal Goals:

I plan on being a positive role model within my community...

Special Interest(s):

I volunteer once a week to feed the homeless. I also help out once a month at a half-way house...

Financial Need:

I need financial assistance to pursue my educational goals...

Leadership Experience:

My leadership experience...

Campus Involvement:

I have participated in the following events and programs on campus...

Athletic Goals:

My athletic goals are to....

How has or have athletic sports influenced your life?

Sports have influenced my life in many ways....