## CONCORD HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC BOOSTER CLUB SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION - 2023

The purpose of the CHS Athletic Booster Club scholarship is to recognize athletic achievement, promote good sportsmanship, encourage high scholastic achievement among all athletes, and to assist with the costs of higher education.

The Booster Club will award two scholarships in the amount of \$1,000 for Booster Member and \$500 any student athlete, to 2 senior athletes. The scholarships will be awarded for the pursuit of higher education and in recognition of athletic participation, team contribution and commitment. The award recipients will be announced in mid-May.

Please return the completed application and all the required attachments to chsabawards@gmail.com, no later than the end of the school day, <u>May 03, 2023</u>. It is the responsibility of the applicant to ensure that all documents are complete and submitted to chsabawards@gmail.com by <u>May 03, 2023</u>

Applicants will be judged on the following criteria:

- *Athletic participation* performing to the best of their athletic ability.
- *Leadership* providing a positive example for others, being a good role model, exhibiting good sportsmanship.
- *Contribution to team* being a team player, helping others to improve.
- *Commitment to excellence* putting in extra work, being dedicated, and striving to be well prepared.

Fall Sports	Winter Sports	Spring Sports
Cross Country (co-ed)	Basketball (Boys/Girls)	Baseball
Football	Wrestling	Softball
Volleyball – Girls	Soccer (Boys/Girls)	Track (Boys/Girls)
Tennis – Girls		Golf
Water Polo(Boys/Girls)		Swimming (Co-ed)
		Volleyball – Boys
		Tennis - Boys
		Cheer Competition
		Lacrosse

The recipient may or may not be the team's best athlete, but has shown exceptional enthusiasm, participation, effort, spirit, and dedication to warrant this special recognition. *"It's not about winning or losing, but how you played the game."* 

## **Eligibility Criteria**

**Athletic Participation:** Applicant must be a 12<sup>th</sup> grade student in good standing at Concord High School, who has participated in four years of high school athletics and has earned a varsity letter. The applicant's record will be verified by the Athletic Director's office with the Scholarship Selection committee after submission of the application. In the case of transfer students, the applicant's previous school(s) will need to verify athletic participation.

Good Sportsmanship: Applicant must exemplify good sportsmanship, including attitude toward team members, coaches, equipment, officials, and spectators.

**Academic Achievement:** Applicant must have a minimum cumulative high school grade point average (after 7 semesters of high school) of 3.0. His/her guidance counselor and/or athletic office will verify the applicant's GPA after submission of the application.

**Higher Education:** Applicant must plan to enroll in an institute of higher learning within eight months of graduation from CHS. Such institutions include not only colleges and universities, but also technical and vocational schools and institutes.

Financial Need: Financial need is not a consideration.

**Booster Club membership:** Eligibility for \$1,000 scholarship: Applicant's parent/guardian must be a current member of the CHS Athletic Booster Club and must have submitted for membership by April 1<sup>st</sup> of the current school year. Eligibility for \$500 scholarship: CHS Athletic Booster Club membership not required

Application Form: Applicant must complete and submit the application to <u>chsabawards@gmail.com</u> by Wednesday May 3<sup>rd</sup> 2023.

### **Payment of Scholarship**

A one-time payment of \$1,000 (for an athlete of a CHSAB member) and \$500 (any CHS athlete) will be made to the 2 recipients of the scholarship. To receive payment, the recipient needs to submit verification of enrollment to an institution of higher education (copy of a class schedule, registration materials, cancelled checks to the registrar, etc.) addressed to the Athletic Booster Club President via the Booster Club mailbox in the main office of Concord High School. (Deadline for submission will be February 1, 2024)

#### **Selection Committee**

"Readers" serve on the selection committee. All readers are active members of the CHS Athletic Booster Club. Coaches or faculty members may be consulted for information regarding individual applicants; they will not, however, have any vote in the selection process. Athletic Booster Club members who are a parent, stepparent, guardian or relative of a CHS senior student may not participate on the scholarship application committee.

#### Deadline

The deadline to turn in the CHS Athletic Booster Club scholarship application is May 3rd, 2023. Applications turned in after this date will not be considered.

## CONCORD HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC BOOSTER CLUB SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

## A. Personal Information

1. 2. 3. This data is required for administrative purposes only. All information is confidential. Please provide a home e-mail address and, if possible, an e-mail address through which we can contact you after graduation.

Student's name:	MaleFemale
(Please Print)	
Current Mailing Address:	
Phone #	
Mother/Guardian Name:	Phone#:
Father/Guardian Name:	Phone#:
Scholastic average (GPA)	
Is your parent/guardian a current member of the	CHS Booster Club? YesNo
College/Trade/Technical school planning to atte	nd:
School address:	
Have you been accepted? If no, ple	ase explain:
Outside Activities (can include travel, recreation	al sports, church, job, other organizations)
<b>Applicant: Please include with this application, the fol</b> This page of the application (Page 3). Completed "Sports Participation Form" (Pages 4) Typed essay (Pages 5 & 6)	
Signature of applicant:	Date:
Signature of parent/guardian:	Date:

**B. SPORTS PARTICIPATION:** Indicate your interscholastic athletic participation and the years you participated. Indicate sport(s) participated in and any leadership position awarded to you and/or awards or honors you earned. If there are other items we should know about with that sport, please make a note of it.

Freshman Year			
Sport	Level played - Indicate the level played (JV or Varsity)	Awards/Honors- List any awards received i.e., All League, Captain etc.	Other items we should know about?

# **Sophomore Year**

Sport	Level played - Indicate the level played (JV or Varsity)	Awards/Honors- List any awards received i.e., All League, Captain etc.	Other items we should know about?

## **Junior Year**

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Sport	Level played - Indicate the level played (JV or Varsity)	Awards/Honors- List any awards received i.e., All League, Captain etc.	Other items we should know about?

## **Senior Year**

Sport	Level played - Indicate the level played (JV or Varsity)	Awards/Honors- List any awards received i.e., All League, Captain etc.	Other items we should know about?

# C. Essay

Please answer the essay prompt in 500 words or less, using the space below.

# **Essay Prompt**

"Concord Pride" is an important aspect of athletics at Concord High School. Describe a situation that made you proud to be a Concord Athlete. Use a situation that shows your *Leadership, Contribution to your Team, and Commitment to Excellence*.


