**Professional Athletes Foundation**

**Fall 2018**

**CHAPTER STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

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**Criteria for Professional Athletes Foundation**

**Student Scholarship**

The PAF Student Scholarship is designed for high school athletes with intentions

to attend a 2-year or 4-year college or university. The scholarship rewards high school

athletes for their non-athletic achievements and assist them in achieving their academic

career goals.

**Eligibility**

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Overall High School Grade Point Average of 2.0 or better;

Must be a high school senior;

Acceptance into a two-year or four-year college or university;

Nominated by high school coach;

Participated at the varsity level in athletics for at least one year;

Has*not* accepted a**full** scholarship award or grant (athletic or academic);

Is**not** the son or daughter of current or former NFL Player.

**Criteria for Evaluation**

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Career goals;

Nomination by coach;

Academic achievement;

Potential for success;

Leadership and character;

Indication of how athletic competition has aided in personal growth.

**Nomination Materials**

The following materials **must** be provided to the Scholarship Committee:

1. Application completed by student and signed by high school counselor;

2. Essay provided by student 500-700 words;

3. High school transcript;

4. Coach’s nomination form and nomination letter.

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**Scholarship Information and Application**

**Forms Professional Athletes Foundation**

**Student Scholarship**

**The Chairman of the Scholarship Committee for the PAF Student Scholarship is:**

**Ron Coder Phone: 412-401-8450**

**Nomination Materials should be forwarded to:** **pghformerplayersinfo@gmail.com**

**or mailed to: Ron Coder 25 N Bryant Ave, Pittsburgh PA 15202**

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**The Scholarship deadline is: December 3, 2018**

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*Note: A student who accepts this scholarship and plans to participate in athletics at the*

*college level as a non-scholarship or “walk-on” athlete should carefully examine how*

*the scholarship might impact the college or university. Any high school athlete who*

*receives any form of financial aid or scholarship funds, including this scholarship, and*

*who intends to participate in athletics at a school governed by the NCAA falls under*

*NCAA guidelines and should consult with appropriate college counselors about how this*

*scholarship might affect athletic eligibility.*

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**Professional Athletes Foundation Student Scholarship**

**Application Form**

**Eligibility**

1. Overall High School Grade Point

Average of 2.0 or better;

2. Senior status;

3. Accepted at a 2-year or 4-year

college/university;

4. Nominated by High School Coach;

5. Participated at the varsity level athletics for

at least one-year;

6. Has*not* accepted a**full** scholarship

award or grant (athletic or academic).

*Note:****Children of current or former***

***NFL players are not eligible****.*

**Criteria for Evaluation**

**Nomination Materials**

The following materials should be

provided to the Scholarship

Committee:

1. Coach’s nomination form and

nomination letter;

2. Application form completed by student and

signed by high school

counselor;

3. Essay provided by student

500-700 words;

4. High school transcript.

**Instructions**

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Career goals;

Nomination by coach;

Academic achievement;

Potential for success;

Leadership and character;

Indication of how athletic competition

has aided in personal growth.

1. The application must be filled out

by the student applicant. Please

print or type.

2. All requirements must be met and

all information complete for an

application to be considered.

3. The completed application

should be sent to the

the NFLPA Former Player

chapter’s scholarship chairman

**only**. See page 3 for the

scholarship chairman’s contact

information.

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Name

Address

City, State, Zip Code

Email address:

Parent’s or Guardian’s name:

Parent’s or Guardian’s email address:

Parent’s or Guardian’s phone number:

**Academic Information**

Last four digits of SSN#

Phone

High School GPA

SAT Scores Verbal

ACT Scores Verbal

Class Rank

Math

Math

Percentile Rank\_

**Athletics**

High School Athletic Involvement

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**School Activities**

List other school activities in which you have been involved

**College (s) Accepted Into**

College(s) or University(s) at which you have been accepted:

Expected College Major:

**Signatures**

I acknowledge that the information provided on this application is accurate.

Student Nominee:

Date:

To the best of my knowledge, the attached academic information is accurate:

High School Counselor:

Date:

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**Please attached the following information with your application**:

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**Essay**

On an attached sheet, using 500 to 700 words, indicate why participation in high

school athletics has been important to you, and how this scholarship will help

you achieve your career goals.

**High School Transcript**

Unofficial transcripts will be accepted with application. Please note you will be required to

submit an official high school transcript if you are selected for this scholarship award.

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**Professional Athletes Foundation**

**Student Scholarship**

**Coach’s Nomination Form**

The Professional Athletes Foundation supports a $2,500 scholarship for a high school student-athlete who lives in a city that has a National Football League Players

Association (NFLPA) Former Players Chapter. There will also be a few smaller scholarships awarded to a few other applicants by the local chapter.

The Professional Athletes Foundation believes that student athletes should be

recognized for their academic achievement and should be encouraged to pursue career

goals beyond athletics.

High school student athletes who will not obtain a full academic or athletic

scholarship to compete in athletics at the collegiate level are eligible. High school

student athletes who will participate in athletics at a college or university that does not

give athletic scholarships are also eligible.

The Scholarship Committee encourages you to nominate a high school athlete

who has shown academic achievement, leadership skills, and strong promise for career

goals.

**Please provide the following information:**

Nominated Student

Coaches’ Name

Sport Coached

School

Address

Phone

**Please attach a 250 to 300-word letter of nomination indicating how this student**

**meets the criteria for the scholarship.**

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