

Eastland Athletic Club Scholarship
Scholarship Information for 2023/24

The Eastland Athletic Club will award 2 - **\$1000.00 scholarships to** (1) senior male and (1) senior female athletes this year. The scholarships will be awarded for the pursuit of higher education and is in recognition of athletic participation, team contribution while becoming active citizens in society through their community involvement, and volunteering or employment experiences. These awards will be presented at the Senior Awards Night.

Please return the completed application and all the required attachments to the Guidance Office at Eastland High School, attention EAC, no later than the end of the school day, Wednesday, April 10th. It is the responsibility of the applicant to ensure that all documents are complete and submitted to the office by the above date.

Qualification criteria for the EAC Athletic Scholarship are:

- The applicant must maintain at least a 2.5 grade point average.
- The applicant must have participated in sports at EHS, including senior year.
- The applicant must be able to take full advantage of the scholarship at an institute of higher learning during the next calendar year.
- The applicant will be ineligible to receive the scholarship if at the time it is awarded, they have accepted a "Full ride" (tuition, room/board and books) from a college, or trade/technical school.

The applicant must submit the following documents which will be the basis for selection:

Completed Scholarship Application (may attach additional papers to form)

1. Coach's letter of recommendation
2. Applicant's essay entitled "How my participation in sports has influenced my life and helped me become the person I am today". Essay must be typed and use no less than 12-point type. No more than 2 pages, 1 page preferred.
3. One letter of recommendation from a teacher.

Applicants will be judged on the following criteria:

- Athletic participation- performing to the best of their ability.
- Leadership-In student and athletic activities.
- Sportsmanship and school spirit-Being a team player, motivating and helping others.
- Character and good citizenship.
- Academic achievement- minimum accumulative GPA 2.5.
- Student Essay.

The information contained in this application is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand that my misrepresentation or provision of fraudulent information shall be grounds for loss of any scholarship funds and repayment. By agreeing to accept a Eastland Athletic Club scholarship, I give permission to announce my receipt of the scholarship in newspapers and publications.

Signature: _____ Date: _____