

***Chelmsford High School***  
***All Sports Booster Club***

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SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM



*Introduction & Scholarship Application*

*2019-2020*



Dear Families of Chelmsford High School All Sports Booster Club,

This document is intended to be a guide and outlines a strategic Scholarship Award Program for Chelmsford High School All Sports Booster Club. It was developed to recognize the current situation and uncertainty surrounding the conclusion of the 2019-2020 school year, specifically spring sports. The intent is to establish a plan which allows the Chelmsford Booster Club to continue the mission of recognizing and honoring Chelmsford's student athletes.

This document re-enforces the commitment to Chelmsford High School students. Furthermore, it promotes opportunity and establishes a wider array of Chelmsford High School student athletes who could be eligible for a scholarship.

Beginning with this current school year, Chelmsford High School All Sports Booster Club will offer distinctive scholarship *types* by category. All senior student athletes are encouraged to apply. Applicants must select which of the three scholarship type they are applying for.

- Chelmsford Boosters Athletic Scholarship
- Lions Athletic Leadership Scholarship
- Outstanding Citizen Scholarship

The objective behind scholarship distinctions is to allow students (due to circumstances which may be considered, generally, "unanticipated") to apply for a grant without competing in sport during their senior year.

Specifically, the new *Lions Athletic Leadership Scholarship* will use criteria to spot-light the character of an athlete with an emphasis on his or her leadership experience. A supplemental essay focused on personal experiences, demonstrating leadership capacity performed by the athlete is required.

Lastly, beginning this year Chelmsford All Sports Booster Club has increased in monetary values for ALL scholarships. A traditional Chelmsford High School All Sports Booster Athletic Scholarship will now be valued at \$1,000 while Lions Athletic Leadership & Outstanding Citizen Scholarships will be valued at \$750. Increased values create an attractive more meaningful Booster experience for members and produces an enhanced, honorable experience for Chelmsford High School student athletes.

Please find a student application included with in this document and I encourage ALL senior student athletes to apply.

Respectfully,

Jamie Campo, President

Chelmsford High School All Sports Boosters Club

## Summary

The Chelmsford High School All Sports Booster Club is a non-profit organization and operates independently. The Chelmsford Boosters ability to award grants is made possible from paid booster memberships, generous charitable donations, and contributions from local businesses.

The responsibility of the Chelmsford High School All Sports Booster Club is to contribute to the successes of student athletes. A proud tradition of our booster club includes administering and awarding athletic scholarships. Scholarships are grants or gifts in the form of payment made to support the student's continued education and awarded based on achievement.

The objective of the scholarship program is to cultivate a responsible approach that recognizes and awards as many students as possible while maintaining the financial stability of the organization.

The following was submitted and approved by Chelmsford High School All Sports Booster Club, Finance Committee for the current school year (2019-2020). Below is a list of grants types to be awarded to qualified students.

Chelmsford High School All Sports Booster Club shall secure and allocate \$13,750 and award, if appropriate/eligible, no more than fifteen candidates from applicants submitted timely for scholarship/grants for this current school year.

## Category of Scholarships

- ***The Booster Athletic Scholarship*** - Ten (10) available to be awarded on program defined criteria, with an emphasis on ***Athletic Achievement*** in the amount of \$1,000.00
- ***The Lions Athletic Leadership Scholarship*** - Four (4) available to be awarded based on program defined criteria, with an emphasis on ***Leadership*** in the amount of \$750.00
- ***Booster Outstanding Citizen Scholarship*** - One (1) awarded on program defined criteria with an emphasis on ***Community Service and Volunteering***. Recognized in Memory of Kenny Erickson, in the amount of \$750.00

*Scholarships, category, award type, dollar value or amounts, defined criteria, applicant requirements or name of grant shall be reviewed and if needed, may be amended, expanded, discontinued or modified to secure the integrity of the CHSASBC organization, based on operational needs. Scholarship Program must be outlined at annual meeting (March) by Scholarship Committee or President Designee.*

## Applicant Overview

Chelmsford High School All Sports Booster Club Scholarships are awarded to student athletes for extraordinary athletic performances, exceptional leadership, exemplary sportsmanship, academic excellence, and meaningful community engagement. Participation in Chelmsford High School athletics and academic accomplishments will be verified by the Athletic Director.

## Applicant Eligibility Requirements

- CHS graduating senior
- Student Athlete, Trainer or Manager
- 2.5 GPA or Higher
- Produce a letter of acceptance into a college, university, post-secondary or accredited trade school
- Provide examples of exceptional leadership, sportsmanship, conduct or community engagement
- Parent/Guardian **Member in good standing** with CHSASBC \* - *New next season*
- Varsity coach's written letter of recommendation - *New next season*

## Criteria for Selection

- Academic Performance
- Sports Participation
- Athletic Achievements
- Community Engagement
- Leadership Experience

## Instructions

- Application must be received on or before due date
- Incomplete applications will be disqualified
- Application must be completed by the graduating senior
- All information within the application must reflect student activity while attending Chelmsford High School for grades 9, 10, 11, and 12
- Lions Athletic Leadership Scholarship type requires applicant to include an essay

*All information provided must be true and accurate and will be verified with CHS Athletic Director and other Chelmsford Public School resources. Members of Good Standing is validated by CHSASBC membership reporting records, including use of CHSASBC Volunteer Certificate of Appreciation*

**Chelmsford High School All Sports Booster Club**  
**2020 Scholarship Application**

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***Applicant Information***

Applicants Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent or Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Booster VIP Membership ID (Most recent year card number): \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of Appreciation ID: \_\_\_\_\_

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***Scholarship Appling For***

Booster Athletic  Lions Athletic Leadership  Outstanding Citizen

Name of school attending next fall: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_

List top three schools applied for with 1 being first choice:

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

What are you planning to study next fall? \_\_\_\_\_

What occupation are you preparing for after college? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you attached a letter of acceptance with your application? Yes  No

If no, why not \_\_\_\_\_

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**Chelmsford High School Academic Profile**

Applicants Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Class Rank: \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

Student House: Emerson  Hawthorne  Whittier

**Personal Achievements at Chelmsford High School**

List All Honors or Awards you received at Chelmsford High School, include year.  
*Attach additional page if more space is needed.*

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| 1. _____ | 6. _____  |
| 2. _____ | 7. _____  |
| 3. _____ | 8. _____  |
| 4. _____ | 9. _____  |
| 5. _____ | 10. _____ |

List ALL Groups or Clubs you participated in at Chelmsford High School, include year.  
*Attach additional page if more space is needed.*

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### **Chelmsford High School Student Athlete Profile**

Applicants Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

#### **Athletic Participation at Chelmsford High School**

Whether you have participated as an Athlete, Trainer or Team Manager list the team sport for each season you participated in during high school. It is important to indicate sport by team. Use "F" for Freshmen, "JV" for Junior Varsity and "V" for Varsity. For Example, if you were a Sophomore playing Varsity Hockey, you should enter V-Hockey below, in column "Winter Sport" on row indicated "Sophomore".

Enter N/A "not applicable" for each none participating sport sessions

<b>Class/Season</b>	<b>Fall Sport</b>	<b>Winter Sport</b>	<b>Spring Sport</b>	Leave Column Blank
<b>Freshman</b>				
<b>Sophomore</b>				
<b>Junior</b>				
<b>Senior</b>				

A. Have you ever been awarded a "Varsity Letter"? Yes  No

If Yes, indicate which teams from above

\_\_\_\_\_

B. Have you ever been named "Team Captain"? Yes  No

If Yes, indicate which teams from above

\_\_\_\_\_

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***Athletic Achievement at Chelmsford High School***

Applicants Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

1. Have you ever been awarded "Most Improved Player"?      Yes       No

    If Yes, indicate which teams from above \_\_\_\_\_

2. Have you ever been awarded "Scholar Athlete"?      Yes       No

    If Yes, indicate which teams from above \_\_\_\_\_

3. Have you ever been awarded "Most Valuable Player"?      Yes       No

    If Yes, indicate which teams from above \_\_\_\_\_



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***Athletic Achievement Continued***

Applicants Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

1. Were you ever named to 1st Team MVC All-Conference? Yes  No

If Yes, indicate which teams from above \_\_\_\_\_

2. Were you ever named to All-Start Team or 2nd Team All-Conference? Yes  No

If Yes, indicate which teams from above \_\_\_\_\_

3. Were you ever named to Lowell Sun All Star Team? Yes  No

If Yes, indicate which teams from above \_\_\_\_\_

4. Were you ever named Lowell Sun Player of the Year? Yes  No

If Yes, indicate which teams from above \_\_\_\_\_

5. Were you ever named in Boston Globe or Herald Player of the Year? Yes  No

If Yes, indicate which teams from above \_\_\_\_\_

6. Were you ever named MVC, Most Valuable Player? Yes  No

If Yes, indicate which teams from above \_\_\_\_\_

7. Were you ever named in either Boston Globe or Herald All-Scholastic? Yes  No

If Yes, indicate which teams from above \_\_\_\_\_

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***Athletic Achievement Continued***

Applicants Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

1. Were you ever named Athlete of the Year? Yes  No

If Yes, indicate which teams from above \_\_\_\_\_

2. Were you ever awarded for Outstanding Performance? Yes  No

If Yes, indicate which teams from above \_\_\_\_\_

3. Were you ever awarded for Team Leadership? Yes  No

If Yes, indicate which teams from above \_\_\_\_\_

4. Were you ever awarded Scholar Athlete of the Year? Yes  No

If Yes, indicate which teams from above \_\_\_\_\_

5. Were you ever awarded Sportsmanship of the Year? Yes  No

If Yes, indicate which teams from above \_\_\_\_\_

6. Were you ever awarded Most Competitive? Yes  No

If Yes, indicate which teams from above \_\_\_\_\_

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***Civic Engagement and Community Involvement of a CHS Athlete***

List in order of importance to you (one being highest), all community events or volunteering opportunities that you participated in or contributed to. Events may include activities at a school, youth program, church, senior center, or other civic or community experiences.

*Do not list events organized or offered by CHS Athletics or Team Sport. Attach additional page if more space is needed.*

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_

Describe briefly, using only a few sentences, what you experienced regarding “sense of satisfaction” days after the event that you identified as most important to you.


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***Required Essay for Lions Athletic Leadership Applicants***

Include a typed, 200-word essay with this application that describes:

*What leadership qualities could you note in yourself? Give examples where your leadership quality has helped in the solution of a challenging task.*

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***Bonus Essay for All Applicants - Optional***

Include a typed, 100-word essay with this application that describes how:

*“A Chelmsford High School coach positively influenced my life”.*

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Congratulations on a wonderful Chelmsford High School athletic career. We are look forward to learning more about your journey throughout college and beyond. We wish you much success and hope you continue to support the future generations of Lions and Chelmsford High School All Sports Booster Club.

Submit your application and any supplemental documentation to

Chelmsford High School All Sports Booster Club,  
PO BOX 91, Chelmsford MA 01824