



2010 Iroquois Area Business Association College Scholarship Application

History

In 2008, the Board of Directors of the Iroquois Area Business Association (IABA) launched a program to award a one-time college scholarship to a local graduating high school senior. The business association wished to emphasize the value of education for young people in our local area. It is the hope of the IABA that an investment in the college aspirations of area students is also an investment in the local community, one that will help open the door of opportunity for the people of South Louisville.

Description

The IABA Scholarship is a \$500 award that must be applied towards tuition at a post-secondary school of the recipient's choosing. The scholarship will be offered annually and is non-renewable.

Criteria

Qualifying students must *either* live in the Iroquois-area business district *or* be a senior at DeSales High School or Iroquois High School. Scholarships will be awarded to well-rounded students who can demonstrate a history of success in academics and involvement in extra-curricular activities, while also providing positive examples of leadership and community service. A brief written essay and a letter of recommendation are required for application. A completed application is required for consideration for the scholarship.

Previous Winners

2009 Michael J. Booth (DeSales High School)

2008 Karl J. Weihe (Holy Cross High School)

Deadline

The 2010 deadline for the IABA Scholarship is April 2, 2010. Applications may be found on the IABA website by accessing www.iaba-louisville.org.

After all scholarship applications have been received, the Scholarship Selection Committee will meet to consider all applications. The committee may petition to interview any or all of the candidates, if deemed necessary, to facilitate its decision.

At the conclusion of the selection process, the committee will notify the applicants, in writing, of their decision. The notification process will be completed by April 30. Payment of the scholarship will be made directly to the post-secondary school indicated by the recipient.

Contact

Please direct all questions and comments to the IABA at jdb262@yahoo.com.



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(Please type or print legibly)

Student's Name _____ Grade _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

High School _____

Parent/Guardian Name _____ Phone _____

Please type your responses to the following:

1. List any clubs, organizations, extra curricular activities or sports in which you have participated in high school. Please include any elective offices that you have held.
2. Briefly summarize your high school scholastic achievements.
3. Give examples of service contributions you have made, both inside and outside your school community.
4. Give examples of the leadership you have demonstrated.
5. Compose an essay that expresses why you have chosen to continue your education at the collegiate level. You may include any goals you have set for yourself during your time in college and thereafter. (Maximum one page, single-spaced, typed)
6. Provide a signed letter of recommendation from a teacher, coach or employer. Letters of recommendation should be addressed to the IABA Scholarship Selection Committee and include the person's name, phone number, and relationship to the applicant.
7. Carefully review the information provided in this application and sign to verify that it is true.
8. **Your completed application must include:**
 - Your response to items 1 through 6
 - Letter of Recommendation
 - This form completed and signed by applicant and parent

Signature of Applicant (required)

Signature of Parent/Guardian (required)

***** DEADLINE IS FRIDAY, APRIL 2, 2010 *****

**Mail completed application to
IABA Scholarship • P.O. Box 9755 • Louisville, KY 40209**