

Susquenita Midget Football Association Alumni Richie Paulus Memorial Scholarship

Each year, the SMFA will award one scholarship in the amount of \$1,000.00 to an SMFA alumnus who embodies the values and abilities of Richie Paulus. Richie was involved in the SMFA for seven years as a football player. Per his coaches, he was an extremely coachable, spirited player. He was a true team player that would take any position assigned to him and play it with enthusiasm and energy. He died unexpectedly. To honor his memory, the SMFA is awarding this scholarship.

Criteria for eligibility:

- Participation in SMFA football, cheerleading or flag squads for four years – including one year at midget level.
- 86% or better cumulative GPA
- Acceptance at a trade school/college, etc. for further education
- Three letters of recommendation from non-family members (e.g. teacher, clergy, employer) attesting to applicant's character.

Part I – General information *(please print)*

Name:

Address:

Address:

Phone #:

1. Which college/trade schools have you been accepted to?

2. Which school do you plan to attend?

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3. Describe community involvement and service activities:

4. List extracurricular activities:

Part II – Confirmation of Eligibility

Grade point average (to be verified by school):

Years of SMFA participation (to be verified by SMFA):

Part III - Written Essay

Tell us something about yourself that defines who you are and the benefits you gained from participation in the SMFA. Also, explain why you are continuing your education and explain your future goals. Attach to application.

Part IV – Applicant and Parent/Guardian Affirmation

The above information is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. The portion of Part III is my own original work.

Applicant signature:

Date:

I have read and verify the information provided by my child.

Parent /Guardian signature:

Date:

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Selection of the scholarship recipient is solely the responsibility of the SMFA Board/Scholarship Committee. All decisions are final. The recipient will be recognized at the Susquenita Senior Awards Assembly. The scholarship check will be made payable to the accepting college/trade school.

I have read the above information and I am in agreement with the stipulations as listed above.

Applicant signature:

Date:

Parent /Guardian signature:

Date:
