

The Southlake Girls Softball Association Scholarship Application

The Southlake Girls Softball Association (SGSA) is a non-profit organization whose goal is to provide girls with the opportunity to grow physically, mentally and emotionally while playing recreational and competitive softball. To further this mission, SGSA will provide one or more non-financial needs based scholarships to attend an accredited college, university, community college or trade school (hereafter “qualified school”) in an amount to be determined annually by SGSA’s Board of Directors.

REQUIREMENTS

- The applicant must have participated as an athlete on, or a coach for, a SGSA registered softball team,
- The applicant must be a graduating high school senior or be currently enrolled as a full time student at a qualified school, but not one in which coursework is completed substantially over the internet,
- The applicant need not be enrolled in any particular school district,
- The applicant need not be enrolled in a sports program in college to qualify for this scholarship,
- The applicant should plan to be enrolled as a full time student in a qualified school by the first fall semester following announcement of the scholarship award and
- To be considered for a scholarship all information must be attached to this application, mailed to the address below and postmarked no later than April 15, 2008:

Southlake Girls Softball Association
P.O. Box 92643
Southlake, Texas 76092
Attention: Scholarship Award Committee

SELECTION CRITERIA

- Number of years participating on, or coaching for, a SGSA registered team
- Academic achievement
- School activities
- Community service
- Character and leadership ability

All scholarship selection decisions will be made by the SGSA Scholarship Committee and all decisions will be final. The scholarship will be announced at the recipient’s High School Awards Assembly, if possible.

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Applicant # _____

Instructions

1. Complete the application form in its entirety. Please print clearly.
2. Attach to the application a brief essay of 500 words or less describing why you deserve this Scholarship. Be sure to include any information that you believe is relevant and that is not otherwise included in this Application.
3. Attach to the application two signed letters of recommendation from people who are unrelated to you. Specifically, have them comment on your extracurricular activities, character, community involvement and why they believe you deserve this Scholarship.
4. Attach a copy of your current academic transcript.

***Important:* Your name should not appear on any form, essay, recommendation letter or anywhere else except on this page. Your applicant number will be used for identification purposes during the scholarship selection process.**

Name _____ Date of birth _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Social Security Number _____

Email: _____

Father/Guardian Name _____

Mother/Guardian Name _____

When did you play/coach for a SGSA registered team? _____

Team Name _____ Head Coach's Name _____

I have read and understand the requirements and criteria for this Scholarship and, by signing this, certify that the information I provide is accurate and correct to the best of my knowledge. I further understand that the provision of inaccurate or incorrect information and/or non-adherence to the Scholarship requirements will cause my application **not** to be considered by the Scholarship Committee.

Applicant Signature

Date

(Information provided will remain confidential)

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Applicant # (assigned by SGSA President) _____

ACADEMIC/EXTRACURRICULAR INFORMATION

Current school/college: _____

Year in school (please circle): Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior

Qualified School you plan to attend: _____

Anticipated major/course of study: _____

Career Objective: _____

School Activities/Organizations/Position: _____

Community Service Work/Hours: _____

(You may use additional pages as necessary)

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Awards/Honors: _____

Outside Interests/Hobbies: _____

Employment: Please furnish your employment record below. Most recent job first.

<u>Employer</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Dates Employed</u>
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2.			
3.			
4.			

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