# Mercer County Athletic Booster Club Scholarship Application

The purpose of the Mercer County Athletic Booster Club Scholarship is to recognize the achievements of student athletes.

#### AWARD DISTRIBUTION

The MCAB Club will give an Annual Scholarship(s) of \$2000, divided up by 4 recipients for \$500 each for a one year non-renewable grant.

The scholarship will be disbursed to the athlete at the Spring Awards Night by check.

### ELIGIBILITY

To be eligible to apply for a Mercer County Athletic Booster Club Scholarship, an applicant must meet the following criteria:

- 1. Student's parent/guardian must be a member of the Mercer County Athletic Booster Club with paid dues.
- 2. Student must be a senior at Mercer County High School and have participated in one or more of the following sports/activities: cross country, football, volleyball, dance squad, cheerleading, flags squad, basketball, wrestling, track, softball, baseball and/or fishing team.
- 3. Have formal plans to pursue a post high school education at a college or university pursuing a bachelor's or associate's degree, trade, technical or vocational school.

#### SCORING

Applications will be scored in part on involvement in high school sports including leadership roles (please be detailed), parent/guardian and/or student participation in MCAB events (please be detailed), personal essays and letters of recommendation.

#### Please submit the following by April 19, 2024:

- 1. The scholarship award application (may be typed or handwritten).
- 2. Two letters of recommendation from teachers, counselors, community leaders, clergy or employer (do not include relatives).
- 3. Please submit your application to the MCHS office and it will be placed in the MCAB mailbox. You may also email it to Kate O'Brien Ham (kate.obrienham@gmail.com).

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### GENERAL INFORMATION

1.	Name:		
2.	Parents or Guardians Name:		
3.	Parents or Guardians Address:		
4.	Parents or Guardians Name:		
5.	Parents or Guardians Address:		
6.	Have you been accepted for admission to a college, university, vocational,		
	technical or technical school? Yes No		
7.	If Yes, where?		
8.	If No, please explain plans:		
9.	What major, course of study, or certification do you intend to pursue?		

10. What years have you attended Mercer County High School?\_\_\_\_\_

### HIGH SCHOOL SPORTS PARTICIPATION

Sport	What years and did you have any leadership roles?

Do you intend to play a sport in college?

# ATHLETE, PARENT AND FAMILY INVOLVEMENT IN ATHLETICS (directly with sport and/or MCAB, may attach sheets if needed)

Year:	Activities volunteered at:
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# SHORT ESSAY (1 of 2)

Who is your favorite athlete and why? (professional or nonprofessional) (may attach an additional page if needed)

### SHORT ESSAY (2 of 2)

Tell us more about yourself. For instance, what sports, school achievements, volunteerism, work, committees, clubs, interests and/or hobbies can you tell us about?