



tion Scholarship

Des Moines

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Des Moines Officials' Association

The Des Moines Officials Association will be sponsoring these scholarships as a means of being proactive in the support of high school students. Students who exhibit leadership and sportsmanship characteristics are encouraged to apply.

Award: One - \$1,000 scholarship for one male participant and one \$1,000 scholarship for one female participants

Criteria:

1. Must be a senior at a high school within Polk, Dallas, Boone, Story, Jasper, Marion, Warren, or Madison counties.
2. Participate in football and/or basketball during their senior season or be an official.
3. Should exhibit characteristics of leadership in the classroom and community as well as for their teammates and exhibit good sportsmanship. The student-athlete should be a role model for all students in life and sports.
4. Must have a 3.0 cumulative grade point average at the time of application. (**A copy of their transcripts must accompany the application.**)
5. Must have applied at a qualified post secondary educational institution (community colleges are acceptable) for the 2021-2022 academic year.
6. A check will be made out to the college/university they will attend and will not affect their other scholarships.
7. Application must have two letters of reference. These reference letters can come from any coach, school administrator (superintendent, principal, activity director, guidance counselor) or faculty member. The reference letters must include information that exemplifies the qualities of the nominated student necessary to be a leader.
8. Student must attach a 150-300 word essay of their understanding of what it takes to exemplify good sportsmanship and be a leader. Please try to be original and include some actions or words that demonstrate great sportsmanship and leadership.
9. Please fill out and attach the Student Information Summary Sheet included at the end of the application.
10. Complete this application and remit to:

Larry Jacobus
Des Moines Officials Association
1547 E. Bell Ave.
Des Moines, IA 50320

By March 31, 2021

Notification will be made to the awarded students by May 1, 2021



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Scholarship application:

Applicant must be a graduating senior from a school in one of the following counties: Polk, Story, Dallas, Warren, Madison, Jasper, Boone, and Marion

Application Information

1. Personal Information

Applicant Name _____

Applicant Address _____
(Street)

(City & Zip Code)

(County)

Phone Number _____

E-mail address _____

High School Attended _____

2. College, University where you plan to pursue degree (beginning Fall of 2020)

(Name)

(Address)

Application Must Include:

- 1) GPA as of January 1, 2014
- 2) Completed Application Form
- 3) Two Letters of Recommendation from a teacher or coach
- 4) Student Information Summary Page
- 5) Essay

Signature of _____ Date _____
Applicant _____

Return Application To:
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Des Moines Officials' Association
1547 E. Bell Ave. • Des Moines, IA 50320
piratespens@msn.com

NOTE: The Des Moines Officials Association reserves the right not to award these scholarships and reserves the right to reject any and all applications.

Questions: E-mail Larry Jacobus at piratespens@msn.com or (515) 243-3276 (home)

Remember to attach student essay, high school transcript, student information summary page, and two references letters as required in the criteria.

Student Information Summary Page

Activity Participation:

Sport/Activity	Year(s) Participating

Cumulative GPA: _____

