

Region I

SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

Alaska School Activities Association

RATIONALE:

Region I Board of Directors maintains that a comprehensive high school education must include opportunities for student participation in organized and competitive athletic and academic programs. It is our belief that the discipline and challenges of finding success in the competitive arena is also critical in achieving lifetime goals.

Region I will provide eight \$1000 scholarships for four male and four female students to pursue post-secondary education or vocational education. It is our objective to encourage senior high school students who have athletic and academic achievement to further their education. The scholarship will be awarded each spring in the form of a certificate. A letter from the winning applicant with their official class list attached is all that is required to receive the check, which will be written directly to them.

Persons eligible to apply are: (applicant must meet all three requirements)

- A. Alaska high school seniors attending Region I schools that seek to pursue post-secondary education or vocational training and who will be enrolled full time or have been accepted to such a program.
- B. Students who have been active participants in ASAA sanctioned and sponsored activities.
- C. Students who have demonstrated academic achievement and/or potential for success in college or vocational training.

All interested applicants must submit the following documents with their completed application form (**It is strongly recommended that the application be typed and a picture attached**):

- 1. Official grade transcript (most recent);
- 2. Written evidence of acceptance from school for which scholarship is requested; and
- 3. Three (3) letters of recommendation from people who have known the applicant for at least one (1) year.

Applications must be received by the Region I Scholarship Committee by **March 20, 2016**. If mailing it must be received by **March 11, 2016**. Applications can also be hand delivered by a Region 1 member to the Executive Secretary.

Mail to:

**Jeff Erickson
Executive Secretary, A.S.A.A. Region I
P.O. Box 225
Unalakleet, Alaska 99684**

It is important to submit all of the required documentation relating to the application.
INCOMPLETE OR POORLY COMPLETED APPLICATIONS WILL RECEIVE LOW PRIORITY AND
MAY BE REJECTED.

If yes, has your application been accepted? Yes_____ No_____

14. Please list the name and address of the school where you have been accepted for admission:

Name:_____

Address:_____

City/State/Zip:_____

15. Have you applied for and/or received other scholarship aid? Yes_____ No_____

If answer is yes, please list which scholarships you have applied for and/or received?

16. Have you chosen your field of study? Yes_____ No_____

If yes, please state your field:_____

Briefly describe your goals:

17. Please tell us about your recreational activities and your hobbies.

18. Please write a one page essay on how your participation in ASAA athletic and activities have benefited you in high school and **attach to this application**.

19. Please provide three letters of recommendations and **attach to this application**. These letters should be from someone such as an athletic director, coach, teacher, principal, or employer who has known you for at least one (1) year.

20. Please provide a copy of your high school transcript and **attach to this application**.