

HONOR ACADEMIC & ATHLETIC EXCELLENCE ON YOUR SCHOOL'S VARSITY FOOTBALL TEAM



NATIONAL FOOTBALL FOUNDATION

Below: The 2018-2019 Class of National Football Foundation Scholar Athletes for the Pasadena / San Gabriel Valley Region.



2020-2021 NFF SCHOLAR ATHLETE AWARD NOMINATION FORM

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Nominate your Outstanding seniors for a 2020-2021 National Football Foundation Scholar Athlete Award!

Criteria for Scholar Athlete Award Nominees

- 1) MINIMUM 3.0 GRADE POINT AVERAGE
- 2) A MEMBER OF THE VARSITY THEIR SENIOR YEAR
- 3) EXHIBITED OUTSTANDING FOOTBALL ACHIEVEMENT
- 4) DEMONSTRATES LEADERSHIP ON AND OFF CAMPUS
- 5) MAXIMUM OF **TWO STUDENT ATHLETES PER SCHOOL** MAY BE NOMINATED

Scholar Athlete Awards Frequently asked Questions

CAN A SCHOOL NOMINATE MORE THAN ONE STUDENT?

Yes. Coaches & school officials are encouraged to nominate up to **TWO students** they feel deserve this honor and meet the minimum criteria.

ARE SIGNATURES OF COACH, COUNSELOR AND PRINCIPAL REQUIRED?

Yes. We do ask for transcripts to verify academic information, or certification from league or CIF officials to verify stats and athletic honors. However, these signatures serve to affirm the veracity of the information on the submitted form.

CAN ADDITIONAL SUPPORTIVE INFORMATION BE INCLUDED WITH THE COMPLETED APPLICATION FORM?

Yes. Up to one page of overflow answers to application questions, and one additional letter of recommendation from non-school official may be included with completed form.

WHERE WILL SELECTED NOMINEES RECEIVE THEIR AWARD?

To Be Determined. Winners are traditionally honored at our annual Scholar Athlete Awards Banquet, held in Spring. A final decision on the 2021 banquet will be included in the congratulatory letters to be mailed to the players and coaches. If the Scholar Athlete Awards Banquet cannot take place, other arrangements will be made to honor and recognize the Scholar Athletes. Copies of the selection letter will be mailed to the student's head coach and principal.

ARE PARENTS, FAMILY MEMBERS, COACHES AND SCHOOL ADMINISTRATORS INVITED TO THE AWARDS BANQUET?

Traditionally, yes. Family members and school administrators can purchase tickets to attend the banquet, though typically the number of tickets each award winner can purchase is capped pending table count. If the banquet is held, details on additional ticket purchases will be included in the selection letter.

WHAT IS THE COST OF ATTENDING THE GALA AWARDS BANQUET?

There is **no cost** to the award recipient. Additional individual tickets for family will have a fee.

DOES THE NOMINEE NEED TO ATTEND THE GALA AWARDS BANQUET OR OTHER AWARDS EVENT TO RECEIVE THEIR AWARD?

Yes. However, exceptions can be made if absence is due to a scheduled school-sanctioned academic or athletic event that he is participating in; a family emergency; or other extenuating circumstances. These exceptions are rare and will be made on a case-by-case basis.

WHEN WILL THE AWARDS BANQUET OR OTHER AWARDS EVENT BE HELD?

To Be Determined. The NFF Board is mindful that football season has resumed for many schools in the region, and we want to let those seasons play out. **Saturday April 24** is the date we are targeting, but our final decision will be detailed in the congratulatory letter.



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Pasadena / San Gabriel
Valley Chapter

Mission Statement

Recognize and honor outstanding high school senior scholar-athletes at the annual National Football Foundation Scholar-Athlete Gala Banquet, an event with over 45 years of history.

Inspire youth to compete both academically as well as athletically.

Encourage and promote campus leadership and community service.

Promote high school football as an integral and wholesome part of the school curriculum.

Support the collegiate academic pursuits of San Gabriel Valley Scholar Athletes.

Application Deadline:

APRIL 9, 2021

Mail Completed and signed Nomination Form to:

National Football Foundation
C/O Tony Ortega
P.O. Box 93396
City of Industry, CA 91715

2020 - 21 Scholar Athlete Nomination Application (page 1)

Please complete the entire application. Please see previous page for instructions and further information. Criteria for nominees are:

- 1) MINIMUM 3.0 GRADE POINT AVERAGE
- 2) A MEMBER OF THE VARSITY THEIR SENIOR YEAR
- 3) EXHIBITED OUTSTANDING FOOTBALL ACHIEVEMENT
- 4) MUST SHOW LEADERSHIP ON AND OFF CAMPUS
- 5) MAXIMUM OF TWO STUDENT ATHLETES PER SCHOOL MAY BE NOMINATED

****TO BE COMPLETED BY HEAD VARSITY FOOTBALL COACH****

Basic Information

STUDENT LAST NAME _____ STUDENT FIRST NAME _____

SCHOOL NAME _____ LEAGUE _____

STUDENT HOME ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

CELL PHONE (MUST PROVIDE) _____ E-MAIL (MUST PROVIDE) _____

IS STUDENT EMPLOYED? _____ JOB OR INTERNSHIP? _____ HOURS / WEEK _____

COLLEGE OF INTEREST _____ EXPECTED MAJOR _____ IS ANYONE IN FAMILY A COLLEGE GRADUATE? _____

HEAD COACH'S NAME _____

CELL PHONE (MUST PROVIDE) _____ E-MAIL (MUST PROVIDE) _____

Football Achievements

YEARS LETTERED (VARSITY) _____ CAPTAIN (Y/N) _____ IF YES, # YEARS _____ POSITION(S) _____

WILL STUDENT PLAY FOOTBALL IN COLLEGE? _____ WALK-ON OR SCHOLARSHIP? _____

2019 OR 2020* STATISTICS (TEAM W/L, INDIVIDUAL STATS)

FOOTBALL HONORS AND AWARDS (VARSITY YEARS ONLY)

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HEAD COACH SIGNATURE _____ DATE: _____

(More information on next page)

2020 - 21 Scholar Athlete Nomination Application (page 2)

TO BE COMPLETED BY COUNSELOR OR PRINCIPAL

OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPT MUST BE INCLUDED

Academic Achievements

STUDENT LAST NAME _____ STUDENT FIRST NAME _____

SCHOOL NAME _____ PRINCIPAL/COUNSELOR NAME _____

CUMULATIVE GRADE POINT AVERAGE _____ HONOR ROLL (Y/N) _____ IF Y, # SEMESTERS _____

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY (Y/N) _____ CALIFORNIA SCHOLASTIC FEDERATION (Y/N) _____

A.P. AND HONORS COURSES:

OTHER ACADEMIC HONORS AND AWARDS:

Leadership and Community Service

HIGH SCHOOL LEADERSHIP

List all class and organization leadership positions held since freshman year

COMMUNITY SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS / LEADERSHIP ROLES

List off-campus groups student volunteers with, leadership roles, and awards received

OTHER AWARDS, DISTINCTIONS, OR REASONS STUDENT DESERVES TO BE AN NFF SCHOLAR ATHLETE

I hereby certify with my signature that all information on this application is true to the best of my knowledge. My signature also confirms my full support for, and recommendation of, this student for a National Football Foundation Scholar-Athlete Award.

COUNSELOR / PRINCIPAL SIGNATURE _____ DATE: _____

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APRIL 9, 2021

SEND COMPLETED
APPLICATION TO:

NATIONAL FOOTBALL FOUNDATION C/O TONY ORTEGA
P.O. BOX 93396 • CITY OF INDUSTRY, CA 91715