

Chris Hixon

Athletic Scholarship



CHRIS HIXON ATHLETIC SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Background:

Christopher Hixon was a victim of the Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School during the tragic events that took place on February 14, 2018. He was gunned down while running towards the shooter in order to stop him from taking more innocent lives and despite his wounds continued to stand guard, until police arrived, after the shooter had departed in case he returned. Chris was an Athletic Director, Coach, and Campus Monitor during 20+ year career within the Broward County Public Schools of Blanche Ely High School, South Broward High School, and Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School. Additionally, Chris Hixon was a retired U.S. Navy Machinist Mate First Class having served 27 honorable years, 5 active duty and 22 reserve, in support of our nation. His love for his student-athletes was well known throughout his career as he always went the extra mile to ensure they were taken care of. Therefore, to continue his legacy and continue to take care of student-athletes we would like to create a scholarship in his name for student-athletes at the three schools he worked at.

Values of Candidates:

We are looking for the best of the best student-athletes as someone to best represent the kind of person Chris Hixon was. We are looking for someone who is just as involved on the field as they are off the field and in the classroom. Someone with a passion for service towards others, leadership, school and community involvement, and citizenship towards our nation.

Criteria for Eligibility:

1. Must be a Student-Athlete at either Blanche Ely, South Broward, or Stoneman Douglas High School.
2. Must have an unweighted GPA of 3.5 minimum.
3. Must be pursuing higher education upon graduation. Either traditional post-secondary education or technical career institute.
4. Must have a minimum of 250 volunteer hours.
5. Must submit two letters of recommendation: one by an athletic coach AND one by a teacher, mentor, guidance counselor, or principal.
6. Must submit a personal essay of why they feel they deserve this scholarship. Describing sports played, academics, organizations, service to the community, short and long terms goals, and any other unique aspects that they feel would qualify them as an outstanding student-athlete and a citizen.

Please apply only if you meet this criteria and believe you are a deserving recipient of this prestigious award, someone who is willing to carry Chris' legacy forward in a way that would make Chris and his family proud.

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Student's name (print) _____
(Last) (First) (Middle)

Address: _____

Select and ***Circle One***: M/F

E-mail address: _____

Parent/Guardian name _____

Telephone numbers:

Home: _____ Cell phone number: _____

Current High School: (Circle) Blanche Ely South Broward Marjory Stoneman Douglas

Current Unweighted G.P.A
(3.5 or above): _____

Current Class Rank: _____

Senior Class Size: _____

Total Service Hours
(250 or more) _____

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PICTURE

Include Name & School

Include a 2 inch by 3 inch Senior Class picture with this packet

Principal's/Guidance Counselor's Signature _____

LEADERSHIP INFORMATION

Major leadership position held this senior year (excluding honorary positions): _____

ATHLETIC TEAMS

Team	Year	Letter (Y or N)
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

SCHOOL CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS

Club or Organization	Year
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

COMMUNITY CLUBS, ORGANIZATIONS OR ACTIVITIES

Clubs, Organization or Activity	Year
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

ADDITIONAL LEADERSHIP POSITIONS

Position/Year

Position /Year

AWARDS AND HONORS

List all significant awards and honors received:

Year

Name of Award

Awarded by (Organization)

FUTURE PLANS

Top two colleges applied to:

Two colleges that have accepted the student (if pending list first choice and note pending):

Occupational goal: _____

My signature below indicates that the information in this packet is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Student Signature: _____

Parent Signature: _____

LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION

Make sure to include two letters of recommendation, one written on your behalf from an athletic coach AND one from another individual (teacher, mentor, guidance counselor, or principal), who can attest to your character and performance as a student-athlete.

PERSONAL ESSAY

Make sure to include a personal essay of why you feel you deserve this scholarship. Describe sports played, academics, organizations, service to the community, short and long terms goals, and any other unique aspects that they feel would qualify you as an outstanding student-athlete and a proud citizen.

**Deadline: Scholarship application must be received
by 3:00 p.m. Wednesday, April 11, 2018**

**Please deliver by hand or via U.S. Postal Mail to:
South Broward High School
Attention Debbi Hixon
1901 N. Federal Highway
Hollywood, FL 33020**