



## **EAST CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC BOOSTER CLUB**



# **EAST CENTRAL ATHLETIC BOOSTER CLUB (ECABC) SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM 2012**

### **QUALIFICATIONS:**

1. Applicant must be a Senior graduating from ECHS by the Spring of 2012
2. Applicant must have participated in the Athletic program at East Central High School for the 2011-2012 school year
3. Applicant must have a minimum GPA of 2.5
4. Applicant must demonstrate Community Service
5. Applicant must include three references (not related to the athlete)
6. Applicant must be in good standing with East Central High School
7. Applicant's Parent or Sponsor must be an Active Member of the EC Athletic Booster Club (Active member is defined in the ECABC Constitution and By-Laws July 2011-12)
8. Active Member who fulfills all Scholarship requirements stated below:
  - a. Active Member's child must participate in an ECHS Sport or as a Student Athletic Trainer to be eligible for an ECABC Scholarship. An Athletic Trainer must be sponsored by a Trainer during their Senior year at ECHS, coach/head trainer signature required on application.
  - b. Active Member must accumulate a minimum of 40 volunteer hours by April 1st of that child's graduating year beginning with the class of 2013. (All Athletes/Trainers who will graduate prior to 2013 are grandfathered based on the Chart 1 below).
  - c. Active Member must attend a minimum of 16 ECABC meetings by the 1st Monday in April of the Athlete's graduating year (All Athletes/Trainers who will graduate prior to 2013 are grandfathered based on the Chart 2 below).
  - d. All Volunteer Hours must be submitted to the Volunteer Coordinator within 30 days of working those hours. (Volunteer activities include: Registration, Spirit Booth, Booster Club Fundraiser, Concession Stand, Sports Banquet, Coach's Appreciation, Tunnel Crew, or any other Booster Club sponsored event).
  - e. Active Member must attend a minimum of 4 ECABC meetings per year 3 out of 4 years while attending ECHS.

**All Athletes/Trainers who want to be considered for an ECABC Scholarship and who is part of the Class of 2012 will need a Parent/Guardian/Sponsor to adhere to the following:**

**Chart 1**

<b>Class of:</b>	<b>Minimum Volunteer Hours:</b>	<b>By When:</b>	<b>Minimum ECABC Meetings:</b>
2012	30	April 2, 2012	12

**All Athletes/Trainers who want to be considered for an ECABC Scholarship beyond the Class of 2012 will need a Parent/Guardian/Sponsor to adhere to the following:**

**Chart 2**

<b>Class of:</b>	<b>Minimum Volunteer Hours:</b>	<b>By When:</b>	<b>Minimum ECABC Meetings:</b>
2013 +	40	1 <sup>st</sup> Monday in April of the Athlete's Graduating Year	16

9. For a Parent/Guardian with more than one Athlete/Trainer attending East Central High School:
  - a. For each hour volunteered during the year that 1 or more child is participating in an ECHS sport (including Athletic Training), credit will be given to both athletes.
  - b. For each meeting that is attended by the ECABC member who has 1 or more child participating in an ECHS sport (including Athletic Training) for a given year, credit will be given to both athletes.
  
10. ECABC Meetings:
  - a. There are 12 scheduled meetings from June through May of each school year. These are typically held on the last Monday of each month with the exception of the month of the scholarship fundraiser and December.
  - b. Committee meetings are counted toward the required meetings that an athlete's Parent/Guardian/Sponsor must attend to be considered an Active Member.
  
11. Adopt-an-Athlete:
  - a. Any ECABC member may sponsor an athlete/trainer if that athlete/trainer does not have a Parent/Guardian that can fulfill the obligations of an Active Member. The Sponsor cannot sponsor their own child(ren) and another child from a different family during the same year.
  - b. The Active Member who decides to sponsor an athlete/trainer must identify that athlete's name on the ECABC membership application during the year they are sponsoring the athlete/trainer.

- c. If the Sponsor cannot fulfill the obligations of an Active Member, another Sponsor can “adopt” that athlete/trainer and fulfill the remaining requirements for Scholarship eligibility.
12. Athletes who move-in/transfer to ECHS after their Freshmen year:
- a. To be eligible for an ECABC Scholarship, the athlete’s Parent/Guardian/Sponsor must be an ECABC Active Member. The Active Member must attend 16 meetings and volunteer a minimum of 40 hours by the 1<sup>st</sup> Monday in April of the athlete’s senior year. (Unless they will graduate in 2012 whereby they would follow the requirements in the Chart 1 above).
13. Scholarship recipients:
- a. Checks will be written to the school where the athlete/trainer is registered as a student. Athlete/trainer must provide proof of registration (e.g.: copy of their class schedule) prior to the ECABC issuing the scholarship check.
  - b. Scholarship award must be used no later than January 31<sup>st</sup> of the 2012-2013 school year. Recipients who do not enroll in the fall semester of 2012 may forfeit a portion of their award depending on the amount of tuition paid for the spring semester.
14. Applicant must submit his/her application, in a sealed envelope, to the ECHS Athletic Office by 3pm on Monday, April 2, 2012.

**\*\*Note:** Scholarship money will be sent to the Office of the Registrar of the College or University that the recipient will attend in the 2012-2013 school year. Money is to be used for books and tuition only.

**DEADLINE FOR SUBMITTING YOUR APPLICATION TO  
THE ECHS ATHLETIC OFFICE IS:**

**MONDAY, APRIL 2, 2012 - 3PM**

(Please submit application in a sealed envelope with “ECABC Scholarship Application” written on the envelope).

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SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM  
2012**

1. Applicant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Please Print Clearly)

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address

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City

State

Zip

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Home Phone Number

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Cell Phone Number

If there is a better way of contacting you, other than the above, please identify:

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*Coach/Head Trainer Signature – Indicates Participated in Sport/Training Senior Year*

**IMPORTANT NOTICE:**

*Please do not place your name, address or other facts that would identify you by name on any page other than this page of this application. Please do not refer to yourself by name in other parts of the application.*

2. List all teams you were part of while attending ECHS. List the years and specific sports.

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3. Please list your current grade point average:

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4. Honors, awards and outside activities:

- a. Honors and awards received by applicant from school and community:

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- b. Offices and leadership positions you have held for school or non-school organizations:

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5. Community Service - please list the hours of community service you have participated in, listing the organization and the type of work you performed and time period in which you performed your community service:

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6. Present or Past Employment.		Ave.
Employer:	Position:	Hrs/Wk:
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7. Briefly describe your educational goals:

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8. What college or university do you plan to attend this fall?

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9. What will be your major?

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10. Please provide three non-relative references that would be familiar with you as a student or as an individual. Attach a brief referral letter from each.

1st. Name: \_\_\_\_\_

How do they know you? \_\_\_\_\_

How many years have they known you? \_\_\_\_\_

2nd. Name: \_\_\_\_\_

How do they know you? \_\_\_\_\_

How many years have they known you? \_\_\_\_\_

3rd. Name: \_\_\_\_\_

How do they know you? \_\_\_\_\_

How many years have they known you? \_\_\_\_\_

11. Briefly describe why you feel you should be chosen to receive this scholarship.

12. On a separate piece of paper please type a 500-word essay on the following subject: How sports have impacted your life.

**\*Note - should you need additional space for any items please attach a separate page and identify by Item Number.**