

# High Point Midget Football

## Scholarship

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### *Qualification Criteria*

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All applicants for the HPMF Football & Cheerleading Scholarship must complete & submit an application for award by April 10<sup>th</sup>. All applicants must meet a defined set of minimum criteria in order to be considered for award. Applicants must provide documented proof of their ability to meet each minimum criteria at time of application. Grade transcripts; signed affidavits from teachers and/or coaches; certificates confirming honor roll, high honors, football program participation, football program or academic achievement; and copies of newspaper clippings, etc., may be accepted as proof of accomplishments and qualification. Final acceptance of such documents shall be determined by majority vote of the scholarship review committee.

**NOTE:** The term "football program", for purposes of this document, shall be defined as including associated cheerleading programs.

- The HPMF organization will award two scholarships: (1) for qualified football player & (1) for qualified cheerleader – both of which meet the following criteria.
- Applicants must have participated in the High Point Midget Football program for a minimum of three consecutive full seasons.
- Applicant must have continued to participate in the football programs of High Point Regional High School, Sussex County Vocational / Technical High School, or Pope John High School throughout their tenure at those schools. Admissibility of applicants attending high schools other than those listed herein will be determined by majority vote of the scholarship review committee.
- Applicant must have maintained a minimum GPA of 2.5 throughout their four years in high school.
- Applicants must have applied, and been accepted to, an accredited college or university based in the continental United States.

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## **Award Points Criteria**

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Applicants will be awarded points based on a criteria which considers football participation (50 points), football accomplishments (20 point max), and academic performance (~130 points). Applicants must be able to provide evidence in support of all claims made with respect to these areas. Points will be awarded as follows:

### **Sport Participation** - *(participation shall be defined as being listed on the active roster for the subject season)*

1. 5 points awarded for each year participated in HPMF midget football program beyond the 3 year minimum requirement. *(Pony through Midget levels)*
2. 5 points for participation in a freshman football program, or junior varsity program during the freshman year.
3. 5 points for each additional year played at a junior varsity level (sophomore through senior years)
4. 10 points for each year played at a varsity level (freshman through senior years)

### **Sport Accomplishments** - *(awards, appointments, other documented recognition)*

1. 5 extra points for any freshman rostered on the varsity squad.
2. 2 extra points for each accolade accomplished in the sport of football. (MVP Awards; All Conference, All State, All American appointments etc.)
  - a. Additionally, 2 extra points will be added for each successive level of accomplishment beyond local level. (for example... All conference would receive 12 points, all state 14, all American 16...etc. A team mvp award = 10 points, a conference championship mvp award=12, state championship mvp award=14 etc..)

### **Academics performance**

1. 2 points awarded for each 0.1 GPA point above the 2.5 average minimum requirement. (for example, a student with a 3.2 average GPA would receive  $((3.2-2.5)*10)= 7 \times 2 \text{ points} = 14$  points.)
2. 3 points awarded for each marking period that the student achieved listing on honor roll. *(student may not get points for BOTH honor roll AND high honors)*
3. 5 points awarded for each marking period that the student achieved listing on high honors roll *(student may not get points for BOTH honor roll AND high honors)*
4. 10 points for each independent organization and/or society awarded recognition received. (such as Thespian Society, NJEA awards, etc..)

## High Point Midget Football Scholarship

### Application for award

<b>Name of applicant</b>				<b>Date of application</b>	
<b>Street Address</b>			<b>City</b>	<b>State</b>	<b>Zip</b>
<b>High School Attended</b>				Graduation Year	
GPA Average	<b>Freshman</b>	<b>Sophomore</b>	<b>Junior</b>	<b>Senior</b>	<b>Average</b>
<b>College / University Accepted by</b>					
<b>Intended Major/minor</b>					

#### High Point Midget Football Program History

<b>Level</b>	<b>Cheerleading</b> <i>Years Played</i>	<b>Football</b> <i>Years Played</i>	<b>Position(s) Played</b>	<b>Played on starting:</b> (Check boxes where appropriate)	
				<b>O</b>	<b>D</b>
<b>Pony</b>					
<b>Super PeeWee</b>					
<b>PeeWee</b>					
<b>Midget</b>					

### High School Football & Cheer Program History

<b>Level</b>	<b>Cheerleading</b> <i>Years Played</i>	<b>Football</b> <i>Years Played</i>	<b>Position(s) Played</b>	<b>Played on starting:</b> (Check boxes where appropriate) <b>O            D</b>	
<b>Freshman</b>					
<b>Junior Varsity</b>					
<b>Varsity</b>					

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#### Accolades – Football/Cheerleading

Please briefly list or describe any accolades received during your participation in the High Point Midget Football or high school football programs. (MVP awards, championships, appointment to all area teams, etc.)

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**Accolades – Academics**

Please briefly list or describe any academic accolades received during the course of your high school education. (Honor roll, High honors, NJEA or other external organization academic awards)

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**Future / Plans**

Briefly describe your plans for college and beyond (*i.e.....your intended area of study, and what you would like to do with your education upon graduation.*)

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