

2012 Hank Jaxel Scholarship Fund Application

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Background:

Hank Jaxel was a longtime volunteer and organizer of youth sports. He was an active volunteer in Nanuet Little League, St. Anthony's CYO basketball and the Special Olympics for decades. Hank was a leading advocate of providing more opportunities for girls in Rockland County, New York to play organized softball. As President of the Rockland County Amateur Softball Association (ASA) Umpires, he oversaw the assignment of umpires for girls recreational level softball throughout the county.

As a tribute to Hank, a ONE THOUSAND (\$1,000.00) DOLLAR scholarship will be awarded to a female High School graduate who participated in youth softball in Rockland County and played at the High School level. The recipient will embrace the spirit and sportsmanship of the game both on and off the field. She will be entering a two- or four-year accredited education institution; and she will have actively participated in community service activity.

Eligibility:

**** AWARDS ARE ONE (1) TIME ONLY ****

1. The student is a college bound high school senior at the time of application;
2. The student is attending college for the first time in the fall of 2012;
3. The student will be enrolled in either a two- or four-year accredited education institution;
4. Participated in organized youth softball in Rockland County;
5. Played softball at the high school level in Rockland County;
6. Actively participated in community service events; and
7. Have a minimum grade point average of 2.0 on a 4.0 scale.

Application Process:

To apply, eligible applicants must complete the attached scholarship application form. Applicants should type or print clearly, and use only the space provided on the form to provide the information. Other than specified below, no attachments, resumes, pictures or other material of any kind should be submitted or used to answer the questions. The signed application must be submitted with an official high school transcript documenting the student's GPA for grades 9 - 11; and with two (2) letters of recommendation (i.e. from a teacher, athletic coach, organization where you volunteered).

In order to apply, please complete the application, submit the required documents and letters of recommendation, and deliver to: **bcarty@optonline.net**.

Application Deadline:

Applications and documentation must be e-mailed to the Hank Jaxel Scholarship Fund by **April 15, 2012**.

Selection Process:

Judging will be based on both subjective criteria and weighted objective criteria. These include: academic achievements; softball participation; extracurricular and community activities, etc.

THE HANK JAXEL SCHOLARSHIP FUND APPLICATION

Applicant Information:

Name: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: ____ Zip Code: _____

Phone: () _____ E-Mail: _____

High School: _____ Anticipated Graduation Date: ____/____/____

Name of College You Plan to Attend: _____

Attachment Checklist: **Please attach the following:**

- * Official High School Transcript grades 9-11 _____
- * Two (2) Letters of Recommendation _____
- * Participation in Youth and H.S. Softball _____

High School Honors and Awards:

Please list honors and awards and years of participation. Use this space only. *Examples: honor roll; National Honor Society; Who's Who; Principal's awards; science fair awards; student/athlete awards; Empire State Games team.*

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High School Activities: **MUST HAVE PARTICIPATION IN YOUTH AND HIGH SCHOOL SOFTBALL TEAM; LIST YOUTH TEAM PARTICIPATION HERE.** Please list high school activities and year(s) of participation. Use this space only. *Examples: Sports teams; band; drama; choral; orchestra; yearbook; school newspapers.*

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Community Activities and Volunteer Work:

Please list community activities and volunteer work and year(s) of participation. Do **not** list one-time activities or events. Use this space only. *Examples: community service projects; community volunteerism; religious youth groups; youth counseling; tutoring.*

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Paid Employment:

Please list each job separately and indicate the year(s) employed. Only jobs requiring more than 10 hours per week should be listed. Use this space only. *Examples: Part-time jobs; babysitting; tutoring.*

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Leadership Positions Held (elected or appointed):

Please list positions held and the year(s) of participation. Use this space only. *Examples: class officer; club officer; sports team leader; student government officer; music/orchestra 1st chair.*

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***** DON'T FORGET TO ATTACH H.S. TRANSCRIPT AND LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION *****