

UPWARD BASKETBALL

2009/2010 Scholarship Application

Mailing Address: Spokane Valley Church of the Nazarene
attn: Upward Scholarship Committee
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WE BELIEVE THAT EVERY CHILD IS A WINNER!

"Upward Basketball is committed to introducing children to Jesus Christ by creating opportunities to serve through sports."

SCHOLARSHIP AWARD: Upward Basketball expects to award scholarships totaling \$2000 this year. Each scholarship awarded will be a minimum of \$500. These scholarships can be used at any postgraduate institution, i.e., technical/vocational schools (such as cosmetology, mechanics, culinary, etc.), junior colleges and universities.

ELIGIBILITY: Any high school student in the 2010 graduating class who played Upward Basketball in the 6th grade, or who has helped in some capacity of the Upward program, and who has continued in some capacity to be an active participant in school activities.

SCHEDULE:

Distribute applications to high schools	November 1, 2009
Applications due to above mailing address	February 1, 2010
Notification of winners	February 15, 2010
Award presentation at Upward Awards Night	February 28, 2010

To be eligible for consideration, all application materials must be completed and returned to Spokane Valley Nazarene, postmarked or hand delivered to the Church no later than February 1, 2010. **In fairness to all, there can be no exceptions.**

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION COMPONENTS:

- (1) Three (3) letters of recommendation. None of these can be from relatives. Examples of appropriate references: teachers, pastors, employers, coaches, etc. These can be sent to the Church.
- (2) A comprehensive list of your church, school, athletic and community service activities
- (3) An essay of 250 - 500 words on the following topic . . .
What is your understanding of, and personal relationship with God?

PLEASE COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION AND SUBMIT IT WITH YOUR APPLICATION:

Student name _____

Mailing address
Street number _____

City _____

State _____ Zip Code _____

Home phone number _____

E-mail address: _____

School you plan to attend next year: _____

Your major course of study: _____

Thank you for your consideration of and application for this scholarship.
We look forward to receiving it.

Date Received _____