## The Chad Adams Memorial College Scholarship Award

## Sponsored by the Tabernacle Athletic Association

**<u>Description:</u>** Established in 2011, the Tabernacle Athletic Association (TAA) provides two college scholarship awards annually, one to a female student and one to a male student, who meets all eligibility criteria and best reflects TAA's mission of fostering sportsmanship, dedication, honesty, loyalty, and commitment to community. Renamed in 2014, the scholarship award proudly honors Mr. Chad Adams who served as TAA's Vice President and dedicated many years of his life to the enhancement of youth athletics in Tabernacle. In addition to providing strong organizational leadership to help strengthen all of TAA, Chad embodied the spirit of a warm, supportive coach who served as a positive role model for children and coaches alike during his active involvement in the TAA soccer, baseball, softball, and basketball programs.

### Criteria:

To be eligible for The Chad Adams Memorial College Scholarship Award applicants must have:

- Participated in a TAA sport (any level or amount of participation is acceptable);
- Completed the 11<sup>th</sup> grade and planning to attend some form of post-secondary education (2 or 4 year college, trade school, etc.);
- Completed the application below with the inclusion of the required information;
- Met the application deadline.

The winners must produce proof of registration from the post-secondary education institution. This letter is not required at the time of application or award announcement. However, the scholarship will not be awarded to the winner without a letter of registration.

Amount:

A range of \$750 - \$1,250 per award

Deadline:

Applications will be accepted from January 15<sup>th</sup> to March 15<sup>th</sup>. If mailed, applications must be received or include a postmark of no later than March 15<sup>th</sup>.

Selection:

The selection committee will represent officials from the Tabernacle Athletic Association. The winners will be notified by TAA by phone, email, or mail. The intention is to honor the recipients at Seneca High School's Academic Awards Ceremony.

# The Chad Adams Memorial College Scholarship Award Application Applicant: Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: \_\_\_\_ Home Phone: Cell Phone: Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_ School: \_\_\_\_\_ College(s) applied to: Parent/Guardian: Phone: Total # of years participating in TAA: \_\_\_\_\_ Sports and levels played: \_\_\_\_\_\_ Required Information: Each applicant must follow the steps below and submit all required information prior to the March 15<sup>th</sup> deadline. 1. Write an essay (up to 500 words) to describe your most memorable moment involving any TAA sport. 2. Include a letter of recommendation from a non-family member such as a coach, teacher or representative from the community. Please include your name on this letter. Signatures: I hereby acknowledge and confirm the information I provide in this application and essay is truthful and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I understand that TAA reserves the right to disqualify my application and rescind my award if information I provided is proven to be false. Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ **Optional Information:** List any volunteer activities you have performed within TAA or the general community.

Submit this application and all attachments to:

The Chad Adams Memorial College Scholarship Award Committee Attn: Lynne Hedden, 152 Powell Place Road, Tabernacle, NJ 08088