

Ashlyn Shoemaker Memorial Scholarship

INSTRUCTIONS AND APPLICATION

The Ashlyn Shoemaker Memorial Scholarship is in memory of Ashlyn Leigh Shoemaker and is an effort to help others reach their full potential in life. The scholarship will be awarded to a graduating senior from Ball High School's Class of 2008, Ashlyn's graduating class. The award will be in the amount of \$5,000 and will be paid in yearly increments of \$1,250 if criteria is met and maintained. The scholarship award may be used to cover fees, tuition, books, room and board, meal tickets and other fees.

Important Facts

- Application deadline: March 15, 2008
- Scholarship award will be announced by: May 31, 2008
- Scholarship award in the amount of \$5,000 to be awarded in increments of \$1,250 over a 4 year period if criteria is met and maintained

Eligibility

- Has maintained a grade point average of 2.5 or better on a 4.0 scale in high school studies.
- Plans on enrolling in any accredited 4 year college or university as a full time student (12 hours).
- Class of 2008 graduating Senior at Ball High School in Galveston, Texas.

Please do not use staples!

The completed package should be mailed or delivered to:

Ball High School
Career Center
Attn: Ms. Colleen Moore
4115 Avenue O
Galveston, TX 77550

For questions contact Ms. Moore at Colleen_Moore@gisd.org or 409/766-5742

FAMILY INFORMATION

Parent/Guardian:

Name: _____
Last First Middle

Address: _____
Street City State Zip

Home Telephone: _____ Email: _____

Employer Occupation

Other Parent/Guardian:

Name: _____
Last First Middle

Address: _____
Street City State Zip

Employer Occupation

Check if applicable: () father deceased () mother deceased

WORK EXPERIENCE

Using only the space below, please list your paid work experience during the past four years, beginning with your most recent position.

Employer	Nature of Work	Date of Employment	Hrs/Wk

WRITING INSTRUCTIONS

Please answer each of the following questions in the space provided:
(attach additional pages as needed)

- 1) “At the end of the game, both the King and the Pawn go back into the same box.” –
Author unknown **What does this quote mean to you?**

- 2) **How have you made a positive impact in your community?**

- 3) **How will you use your college education?**

REFERENCE LETTERS

Please submit a maximum of two letters of personal reference from persons who are well-acquainted with the applicant. References may either be typed or handwritten and should include the name, address and daytime phone number of the person making the recommendation, as well as the relationship to the applicant (such as teacher, employer, relative, etc.). These letters must be attached to the application and should not exceed two pages each.

CERTIFICATION

To the best of our knowledge, the information provided in this application and essay is accurate. We understand that any material misrepresentation of information given shall serve to disqualify the applicant. We have read and understand the terms and conditions and agree to abide by them.

Applicant's Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

APPLICATION SUBMISSION

In order to be considered for this scholarship, please submit the following in one envelope to the address listed above:

- 1. The completed application**
- 2. The written essays**
- 3. Official copy of high school transcript**
- 4. Reference letters**

*Application must be postmarked or received by **March 15, 2008** to be considered.*