



ALTOONA DISTRICT BA

ANNUAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Each year the Altoona District USBC Bowling Association awards two \$500 scholarships to area **High School Seniors** who will complete their secondary education and have applied to a college or a technical institution to further their education. The Altoona District USBC Bowling Association scholarship committee will select the two scholarship candidates from those who turn in a **completed** application and met the selection criteria.

Copies of official application forms can be obtained from the following sources:

- The Altoona District USBC Bowling Association Manager
- Members of the Altoona District USBC Bowling Association Board of Directors
- The local USBC Youth Manager
- Local bowling centers
- Select local secondary school guidance offices

Application must be completed and mailed before March 31st to:

Altoona District USBC Bowling Association
1709 14th Street
Altoona, PA 16601

To be eligible for scholarship consideration, the following guidelines and requirements must be met:

- Candidate or immediate family member must be a member of the local USBC youth, men or women's association (qualifying family member must be listed on the application)
- Candidate must be a graduating senior from an accredited secondary school with a minimum 2.0 GPA for grades 10, 11, 12 (to date)
- Candidate must write a brief autobiography and state personal qualifications and goals
- Candidate must provide personal references as noted on the scholarship application

All candidates will be evaluated on the degree to which the criteria are met, along with additional information, which may have been submitted on or with the completed scholarship application.

The selected candidates will be notified prior to the Annual Altoona District USBC Bowling Association Hall of Fame / Scholarship Banquet (typically early June) where they will be awarded the scholarship.



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POST HIGH SCHOOL INSTITUTIONS TO WHICH YOU HAVE APPLIED AND/OR BEEN ACCEPTED

Total financial need for first academic year (if known) _____

Expected Family Contribution (EFC) from the FAFSA _____

Adjusted Gross Income(s) on last Federal Income Tax Return(s) _____

Parent(s) _____

Applicant _____

Number of exemptions _____

BOWLING PARTICIAPTION

All responses should refer to the last 6 years

Number of years USBC Youth member _____

Number of ABC, WIBC, or USBC member _____

Number of years bowling in other organized leagues _____

Highest full season average _____

NON-BOWLING SCHOOL OR COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

During grades 9-12; List only different types of activities (For example, not Sr. Little League, Junior Varsity Baseball, Varsity Baseball because they are all the same progressive activity)

ACTIVITY	WHEN PARTICIPATED	OFFICES HELD (if any)
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

IMPORTANT

- On a separate sheet of paper, submit a brief autobiography including a description explaining your appraisal of your personal qualifications, including but not limited to: youth bowling participation, outside activities, and offices held therein particularly for grades 9-12
- You must attach a copy of your High School Transcripts for grades 9 through your last completed semester. Applications not containing these Transcripts will not be considered.

Please state the name and bowler ID (on sanction card) of the local USBC youth, men or women’s qualifying bowler (self, father, mother, grandparent or other immediate family member.)

Name _____ National ID# _____



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AFFIRMATION PAGE

IF I AM SELECTED TO RECEIVE A SCHOLARSHIP FROM THE ALTOONA DISTRICT USBC BOWLING ASSOCIATION, I HEREBY AFFIRM THE FOLLOWING:

- If I do not attend or complete any semester for which the scholarship is intended, I will return the full amount of the scholarship so awarded to the Altoona District USBC Bowling Association
- I recognize that if I am awarded a scholarship by the Altoona District USBC Bowling Association, I will be receiving 1 / 2 of the award on or before September 15 upon submission to the Altoona District USBC Bowling Association Manager proof of registration at my chosen institution of higher learning for the Fall Semester and the remaining 1 / 2 on or before January 31st upon submission of an official transcript of my grades for the Fall Semester and proof of registration for the Spring Semester.
- I shall receive these funds directly even though this may affect my continued eligibility under the rules of the USBC Youth, unless I notify the Altoona District USBC Bowling Association to pay these funds to my chosen accredited institution of higher learning

I/WE hereby certify that I/WE have completed this scholarship application intending that the Altoona District USBC Bowling Association will rely on the information contained therein in awarding scholarships. I/WE certify that all of the information contained in this application is true and correct based upon my/our knowledge, information presented, and in my/our signature(s) below, I/WE reaffirm the accuracy of the information presented, and in making this affirmation.

Signature of Applicant

Date

Signature of Parent or Guardian

Date