

# Osseo-Maple Grove Athletic Association

## ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIP POLICY

(OMGAA Policy 2004.02)

### **Section 1 - Purpose:**

The purpose of this policy is to establish an Academic Scholarship Program under the direction of the OMGAA Board of directors and to establish procedures for administration of the OMGAA Academic Scholarship Program.

### **Section 2 - Authority:**

The authority to establish this policy is provided by **Section 10 - General Duties and Responsibilities of the Board of Directors Item 5** of the **Osseo-Maple Grove Athletic Association - By Laws**.

### **Section 3 - Policy:**

#### **Item 1: General**

The OMGAA Board of Directors hereby establishes the OMGAA Academic Scholarship Program. This program shall annually award grants to be used in the pursuit of academic or vocational advancement. Grants shall be awarded on the basis of academic performance without regard for athletic achievement. Scholarship funds are to be used for registration fees, and/or tuition, and will be paid directly to the enrolling College, University or Vocational School.

The Committee Chair shall serve as the Program Director, report on Committee activities, prepare budget proposals and present committee recommendations for awards and procedural changes to the Board of Directors.

#### **Item 2: Eligibility**

- 1) Applicants must be a graduating high school senior.
- 2) Applicants may attend any recognized public or private high school, but must live within the Osseo Senior High or Maple Grove Senior High school attendance areas.
- 3) Applicants must have a minimum of two (2) full seasons of play within an OMGAA Baseball, Fastpitch Softball, or Special Olympics Softball program, with at least one (1) year being while a, Sophomore or Junior.
- 4) Applicants must have maintained a minimum 2.5 grade point average during grades 10, 11 and 12.

**Section 4 – Administration:**

The OMGAA Board of Directors also here by establishes the standing Scholarship Committee, with membership, duties and responsibilities outlined under the amended By-Laws of the Association. The Scholarship Committee shall be formed annually in March and excused upon submission of proposed subsequent budgets. Scholarship Award recommendations shall be presented to the Board of Directors in April.

Adopted by the OMGAA Board of Directors  
April 20, 2004

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