



Community Leadership Award Application

The mission of Homegrown Lacrosse is to build a community that inspires and empowers players to excel in life and lacrosse. Founded in 2003, Homegrown Lacrosse is dedicated to encouraging positive change in the lives of youth lacrosse players and supporting the growth of the sport in Minnesota.

Guided by our core values of character, confidence and community, Homegrown Lacrosse uses the sport to provide opportunities for individuals to get involved and cultivate the skills and relationships necessary to succeed on and off the field.

We believe that being a great lacrosse player requires more than skill on the field; it also requires strength of character, compassion, knowledge and a desire to make a difference in their community.

The Homegrown Lacrosse Community Leadership Award recognizes two graduating Minnesota high school lacrosse players who exemplify the qualities of character, confidence and community on and off the field.

Eligibility Requirements

Applicant must be a graduating high school senior who has played varsity lacrosse for at least one season at a high school in Minnesota and has been accepted to an accredited institution of higher education or accredited vocational training program. They must be able to demonstrate that they have reached out to others through community service.

Application Process

Applicant must submit the following materials to Homegrown Lacrosse at leadershipaward@homegrownlacrosse.org by midnight on May 24, 2010. The application found on line at www.homegrownlaxblog.com/community-leadership

Required:

- Completed application form (Application Information)
- A summary of your volunteer activities and community involvement during high school
- Contact information for a representative of a non-profit organization for which you volunteered
- A short three paragraph essay telling us about the contribution you have made to your community and what you have learned from the experience
- A letter (or email) of recommendation from your high school lacrosse coach

Applicant Information

Full Name	
Address	
City, State, Zip Code	
Telephone	
Email Address	
Date of Graduation	
High School	
Yrs Varsity Lacrosse	
College/University Accepted or Attending During 2010-2011 School Year	

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A. List below the ways in which you have helped others through community service during high school. Include name of organization, activities, hours served and year.

B. Community Service Verification - Contact information for a representative of a non-profit organization for which you volunteered

Name of Organization: _____

Name & Title of Representative: _____

Contact information: _____

C. Essay Paragraph - Homegrown Lacrosse values character, confidence and community. A short three paragraph essay telling us about the contribution you have made to your community and what you have learned from the experience.

D. Letter of Recommendation – Short letter (or email) of recommendation from your high school lacrosse coach.