



## The Charles Cortez / Eddie Mizicko Memorial Scholarship Application

Student Trainer Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent(s) or Guardian(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City Zip

Home Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

School: \_\_\_\_\_

School Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City Zip

Years of Service as a Student Athletic Trainer: \_\_\_\_\_

Sports Covered: \_\_\_\_\_

Describe your involvement in the AAATA in past years: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Student Trainer camps/clinics attended: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

### **Biographical data of supervising / sponsoring Athletic Trainer**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ School Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Place of Employment: \_\_\_\_\_

License Number and/or Certification Number: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

## **I. Purpose**

Alamo Area Athletic Trainers' Association is committed to the encouragement of area Student Athletic Trainers as they attempt to join the profession. The Association sponsors an annual \$1500 scholarship to an area Student Athletic Trainer who has been accepted to an Athletic Training education program.

The **Charles Cortez / Eddie Mizicko Memorial Scholarship** presented by the AAATA is to provide a scholarship to a deserving high school graduating seniors intending to pursue an athletic training career.

## **II. Criteria**

- A. Applicant must be a high school senior in good academic standing (include copy of high school transcript with application).
- B. Minimum of two years experience as a student trainer under the supervision of an AAATA member is required.
- C. Applicant must be committed to pursuing an Athletic Training career.**
- D. If the applicants' high school has a full time athletic trainer they must be currently an active member of the Alamo Area Athletic Trainers Association and be willing to sponsor the applicant.
- E. If the applicants high school does not have a full time athletic trainer they must be sponsored by a currently an active member of the Alamo Area Athletic Trainers Association.

## **III. Application Process**

- A. Application may be obtained from AAATA Scholarship Chairman or from the AAATA website.
- B. The following documentation must be submitted together with the completed application form:
  - 1. A letter of recommendation from the sponsoring Athletic Trainer to include references as to character, work habits, attitude, professionalism, contributions to the high school programs, and aptitude for the profession.
  - 2. A letter of recommendation from one head coach to include references as to character, work habits, attitude, professionalism, contributions to the high school programs, and aptitude for the profession.
  - 3. A letter of recommendation from a teacher, counselor, administrator or Team Physician to include references as to character, work habits, attitude, professionalism, contributions to the high school programs, and aptitude for the profession.
  - 4. Others are appreciated
- C. Resume
- D. Acceptance letter from a college or university registrar as proof of acceptance to that institution.

- E. Acceptance letter from the athletic training program director as proof of acceptance to an Athletic Training Program from the same institution as in section D.
- F. ACT and/or SAT scores.
- G. Write an essay which should include the following:
  - 1. Applicant's interest in athletic training as a profession.
  - 2. Applicant's ability to perform tasks related to the profession.
  - 3. Site 5 year goals and 10 year goals.
- H. Application deadline: May 1<sup>st</sup> (post marked)**
- I. Scholarship funds will be awarded to the student's institution, upon evidence of acceptance into an Undergraduate Athletic Training Program. This includes student identification number and correct address of school's Bursar's Office.
- J. If after three calendar years, the awarded recipient has not been accepted into a College Athletic Training Program, they will forfeit their scholarship.

#### **IV. Selection Committee**

- A. Composition of the selection committee will be as follows:
  - 1. Scholarship chairman
  - 2. Executive Board of AAATA.
- B. If the selection committee is unable to select an appropriate candidate, the scholarship money will not be awarded.

#### **Notification**

Final Scholarship winner will be notified in late June. Additional information may be required before completing the award process.

#### **Applicant:**

Should you choose to no longer pursue Athletic Training/Sports Medicine as a career choice, while enrolled at College/University, the scholarship will be forfeited and any remaining balance will be returned to the AAATA.

**Send completed application and recommendations to the following:**

**Marc Powell  
Trinity University - Athletics Dept.  
One Trinity Place  
San Antonio, TX 78212**