



**WIREGRASS RANCH HIGH SCHOOL  
ATHLETIC BOOSTER CLUB**

**2024 Senior Student-Athlete Scholarship Information**

2909 Mansfield Blvd- Wesley Chapel FL 33544

**Deadline to apply is 2:00pm Monday, May 6, 2024**

The Wiregrass Ranch High School Athletic Booster Club will be providing a limited number of scholarship grants of up to \$1,000 each to qualifying student-athletes who are seniors for the 2023-2024 academic school year. The scholarship is intended to reward student-athletes for their participation in Wiregrass Ranch High School Sports, their support of the WRHS Athletic Booster Club and the community. These scholarships are given annually to student athletes who will be continuing their education at a college, university, academy, or joining the Armed Services. These one-time awards are not based on financial need. Awards are paid directly to the post-graduate institution/student.

Recipients are selected based on a point system which rewards students on their athletic success, dedication, sportsmanship, and leadership, as well as academic achievement and character. Applicants **MUST** submit the completed application and all the required attachments to the WRHS Booster Club mailbox at the school by 2pm, Monday, May 6, 2024.

The following criteria is considered and verified by the selection committee:

- Parent/Guardian is/has been a member of the WRHS Athletic Booster, as verified by the WRHS Athletic Boosters
- Parent has volunteered for a Booster activity.
- Applicant must be a current student of Wiregrass Ranch High School.
- Student must have participated in an FHSAA Approved Athletic program for a minimum of 2 years.
- Current un-weighted GPA of 3.0
- Letters of Recommendation- at least one (1) from a coach, teacher or faculty member and at least one (1) from a community leader (no more than 4 letters).
- Applicant must have logged a minimum of fifty (55) hours of Volunteer/Community service hours during their high school career (5 hours must be for a Booster's activity)
- Length of scholarship essays should be typed (double spaced) and at least 500 words.
- **The deadline to turn in the scholarship application and all accompanying forms is Monday, May 6, 2024.**
- Scholarships will be presented to students at the Senior Scholarship Night on May 20th.

Essay Requirements:

This Essay needs to be typed (double spaced) and at least 500 words. This essay should answer at least two of the following questions:

- **What character traits have you developed through participating in athletics here at Wiregrass Ranch High School and how will you apply these character traits in your future endeavors?**
- **How would this scholarship help you attaining your educational and professional goals?**
- **What three pieces of advice would you give to an incoming freshman athlete? Why are these pieces of advice important to their growth as an athlete?**
- **Describe one your fondest memories from being involved in high school athletics. How did this memory shape your goals for your future?**

Application Submission Instructions: Please use a large manila envelope for submitting your application, essay and two letters of recommendation, sealed with your signature across the seal. You may mail your application paperwork to the address listed above OR drop it off at the front office and label your envelope, "Athletic Booster Club Senior Scholarship" to be placed in the Athletic Boosters mailbox.

**Failure to comply with the above steps or non-legible information will result in the application being disqualified.**

**Please print legibly all of the following application information**

**Student Information**

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Male: \_\_\_\_\_ Female: \_\_\_\_\_

Booster Parent(s)/Guardian's name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Applicant's DOB: \_\_\_\_\_ Student ID#: \_\_\_\_\_

Students Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent(s)/Guardian's Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent(s)/Guardian's Telephone Number(s): \_\_\_\_\_

WRHS Counselor: \_\_\_\_\_

Circle each year completed at Wiregrass Ranch High School: Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior

Name of Institution you plan to attend: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Student ID# (if known): \_\_\_\_\_

**College/Academy/University Counselor/Advisor Information**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address (if known): \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Booster Parent/Guardian's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian:** Do we have your permission to post your student's name and/or photo on the WRHS website/social media if she/he is selected? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Booster Parent/Guardian's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Activities**

Community activities (list total number of volunteer hours and organizations):

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Extra-Curricular Activities other than athletics:

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Athletic participation while attending high school; varsity and junior varsity:

__ Sport(s) _____	Year: _____
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Leadership positions held in sports, and co-curricular activities:

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Awards/Recognitions:

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Work History:

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**WIREGRASS RANCH HIGH SCHOOL  
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2024 Senior Scholarship Recommendation Form**

Dear Faculty Member: \_\_\_\_\_  
(PRINT Faculty Member's Name) (PRINT Sport/Activity)

**RE: ATHLETE'S NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

The above referenced athlete is applying to receive a scholarship grant from the WRHS Athletic Booster Club. On behalf of the Athletic Booster Club and the athlete, we would like for you to please take a moment to complete the following recommendation form, then: Place it in a sealed envelope with your signature across the seal, and return it back to the student.

**Notice: This application must be returned to the athlete in time for them to meet their deadline of no later than the end of the school day, Monday, May 6, 2024 to prevent applicant's disqualification.**

When completing this form, please keep in mind that the goal of the WRHS Athletic Booster Club in awarding this scholarship is to provide an opportunity for a WRHS athlete who probably will not receive financial assistance based solely on athletic performance, but yet has made significant contributions to the team in other ways. **(Faculty Member: please mention applicants name only "once"- All names must be removed)**

The WRHS Athletic Booster Club thanks you for your time.

	(Please Circle your selection)				
	<u>AGREE</u>		<u>DISAGREE</u>		
The athlete performs up to the best of his or her ability.	5	4	3	2	1
The athlete sets a good example for teammates/peers.	5	4	3	2	1
The athlete exhibits good sportsmanship.	5	4	3	2	1
The athlete is a "team player."	5	4	3	2	1
The athlete is willing to work hard to become better.	5	4	3	2	1
The athlete is a worthy candidate for this scholarship.	5	4	3	2	1

Faculty Member's comments (Optional): \_\_\_\_\_  
(PLEASE DO NOT MENTION CANDIDATE'S NAME)

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(If needed, please make additional comments on back of this form. Thank You)



**WIREGRASS RANCH HIGH SCHOOL  
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Dear Coach: \_\_\_\_\_  
(PRINT Coach's Name) (PRINT Sport/Activity)

**RE: ATHLETE'S NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

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Coach's comments (Optional): \_\_\_\_\_  
(PLEASE DO NOT MENTION CANDIDATE'S NAME)

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(If needed, please make additional comments on back of this form. Thank You)



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Dear Community Leader: \_\_\_\_\_  
(PRINT Leader's Name) PRINT Organization/Business)

**RE: ATHLETE'S NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

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The Athletic Booster Club thanks you for your time.

**(Please Circle your selection)**  
**AGREE      DISAGREE**

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Leader's comments (Optional): \_\_\_\_\_  
(PLEASE DO NOT MENTION CANDIDATE'S NAME)

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