

Mike Jensen Memorial Scholarship

Administered by Lewiston Independent Foundation for Education, Inc.

(endowed scholarship)

ESTABLISHED: Spring 2006

In memory of Mike Jensen, a 1992 LHS graduate, who died unexpectedly on October 9, 2005. In honor of Mike and his love for athletics, the Mike Jensen Scholarship fund was established. During Mike's life, he participated in Little League baseball, water sports, and football. During his senior year, he was selected as 1st team All-League and 2nd team All Nort-Idaho. Mike was devoted to exercise and was an avid runner, participating in many local races and Spokane's Bloomsday Run. Mike loved to help young kids and was a volunteer referee for youth football. He was a very kind, gentle, and loving person. Mike was a very special person, and the recipient of this scholarship will also be special.

NUMBER and AMOUNT:

One \$500 scholarship will be awarded each year. The scholarship will be sent in halves to the recipient's institution of higher education prior to the start of each semester of the recipient's first year.

TERM:

One year scholarship only.

USE:

Scholarship may be used for tuition, fees, room or board at any institution of higher learning anywhere for any course of study. Student may incur tax liability for any amount applied to room and board.

ELIGIBILITY:

Any Lewiston High School graduating senior may apply for this scholarship who meets the following eligibility criteria:

1. Minimum grade point average (GPA):3.00
2. Applicant must intend to pursue further education at an institution of higher learning in the fall following high school graduation;
3. Applicant must have participated in at least two sports for each of the years they attended LHS.
4. Financial need may be considered when making this award.

Race, religion, or gender will not be determining factors in making the award. Students intending to pursue their studies full-time will be preferred, but part-time students will be considered.

APPLICATION DEADLINE:

Applications must be received by April 15.
Completed applications must be submitted to:

- the Counseling Center at Lewiston High School;
- or the L.I.F.E. Office at 3317 12th Street in the Lewiston Orchards

QUESTIONS:

Call the L.I.F.E. Office at 748-3010.

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APPLICATION PROCESS: Interested applicants should submit their own application form which should contain the following information:

Application Information:

1. Your full name
2. Your home address and phone number
3. Your parents' names
4. Your current Grade Point Average (GPA)
5. Sports participated in each year. Also indicate if you lettered.
6. Other school or community activities.
- 7. Please include a copy of your high school transcript.
Applications without transcripts will not be considered!**
8. Your signature
9. A list of at least two references (people who could be contacted on your behalf). This should include one coach and one classroom teacher.
10. If you wish the selection committee to consider your financial need, please provide a statement as to why this scholarship is important to you to help finance your education.

SELECTION: Selection of a recipient and an alternate will be made by a committee composed of the Jensen family and friends.