



Chris Hixon Exemplary Sportsmanship Award Nomination Form

PURPOSE

In conjunction with the goals and the mission of the NIAAA, FIAAA, FHSAA and FACA this award is designed to honor student/athletes, schools and or coaches who have distinguished themselves as leaders that promote and exemplify the “Spirit of Sportsmanship” through their actions both on and off the playing field. *Sportsmanship is defined as fair and generous behavior or treatment of others, especially in a sport contest.*”

REQUIREMENTS

1. Be eligible to participate in interscholastic athletics according to the FHSAA rules and regulations.
2. Distinguish themselves to be honored through their actions of fair play and sportsmanship.
3. Information must be submitted on nomination form and signed by the Principal or designee of the school.

NOMINATION

1. Each Florida high school and middle/junior high school may nominate one male and one female student/athlete.
2. Applications should be submitted to District Directors by April 1st.

SELECTION PROCESS

1. Student/athletes, teams and or coaches can be selected from each FIAAA District. Student/athlete, school, and or coach winner can be selected from each of five (5) designated categories listed on the nomination form. There will be a total of ten (10) student/athletes selected as sportsmanship winners.
2. Winners will be selected by the FIAAA Sportsmanship Committee.

RECOGNITION

1. A plaque will be presented to winners.
2. Certificates will be presented to all district winners.
3. Winners announced at the FIAAA State Conference and on the FIAAA website.
4. District Directors will contact local media outlets for their winners.



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FIAAA District # _____ FIAAA District Director's Name _____

Return nomination form to your District Director by April 1stPLEASE TYPE.

School: _____

Category: Student _____ *School _____ Coach _____

Student, School or Coach's full name: _____ Grade: _____

Student, School or Coaches home address: _____

* Schools cannot be self-nominated

(If Student) List the varsity sports that the nominee has participated in during this high school year.

(If Coach) List the sport that he or she coaches

(If School) Nominated by _____

Briefly describe the actions, attitude, and or atmosphere that this student, school, and or coach that promotes or encourages to distinguish them as an exemplary student/athlete that is most deserving of the FIAAA Chris Hixon Exemplary Sportsmanship Award. (Additional information may be attached - **NO STATS**)

This student, school, and or team has distinguished themselves above all others with regard to the promotion of Sportsmanship and the Spirit of Fair-Play and carries my recommendation.

Signature of Principal **OR** School Designee