



Hello Wildcats & Grizzlies, my name is Amy Noland. Stacie Northrop and I are coordinating for the Scholarship Athlete Program for the Santa Clarita Youth Sports Association. This is an exciting program where your child will be able to earn a patch at the end of the season if they have a 3.3, or higher, GPA or equivalent.

One of the great things about Wildcat and Grizzly football/cheer is the organization encourages our children to think beyond football to their school work and families. I have often heard, “football is a privilege, not a right” and it is stressed to do good in school and to respect parents and siblings.

I will be handing out Scholarship Athlete Submission Forms through your team manager or cheer advisor the beginning of October. Forms will need to be returned to me by October 22nd. The player/cheerleader just needs to take it to their teacher and have them fill it out. For older players, a signature by a counselor will do rather than getting multiple teachers to sign the form. Return it to your team manager/cheer advisor and I will collect them. Scholarship patches are handed out at the end of the season during the awards banquets.

If you have any questions, please feel free to email or call us.

Thank you,

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Santa Clarita Youth Sports Association Scholar Athlete Submission Form

Dear Teacher/Counselor,

The Santa Clarita Youth Sports Association provides tackle football and cheer activity for children 6-14 throughout the Santa Clarita Valley. We are in our third year of operation and have over 300 families participating.

A key component of our organization is to promote strong academics among our players and cheerleaders. Each participant is required to maintain a 2.0 GPA or equivalent during the football season. An emphasis on Sportsmanship, Character and Family is reinforced throughout the organization and instilling leadership skills is a top priority.

Each participant who achieves a 3.3 (or equivalent) G.P.A. will be recognized as a Scholar Athlete at the end of the season. We respectfully request you review the individuals' academic performance so far this year.

As schools utilize varying grading systems, please use your best judgment in determining the individual's eligibility. In general, a child's academic performance should well exceed that of the class norm to be eligible for this award.

Participant Name: _____ Team/Coach or Cheer: _____

Avg. 3.3 GPA (equivalent) or better: _____ Yes _____ No

Teacher/Counselor Name (Please Print): _____

Signature (required): _____ Date: _____

Comments: _____

Thank you for your time in completing this process.

Sincerely,

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Parents - please turn in the completed form to your Team Manager and/or Cheer Advisor no later than 10/22.