

Name: _____

League: _____



Little Miss Kickball Scholarship Application Form

READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE COMPLETING FORM!

INFORMATION

Little Miss Kickball is pleased to offer Scholarships to selected candidates. Through the efforts of many volunteers (coaches, umpires, concession stand workers and board members), funds are available to young women to continue their education.

Candidates must have graduated from high school or its equivalent before July 1st of the year in which they will use the scholarship. They must have sufficient academic credit to be accepted by an accredited college, junior or community college, or a technical institute. Students already enrolled are also eligible to apply. **Only players with at least four seasons of Little Miss Kickball League play (they do not have to be consecutive) are eligible for an award.**

Judges will evaluate academic success, interests, special abilities, financial need, and other factors in arriving at their choice of scholarship recipients.

INSTRUCTIONS (2017 Deadline is April 18th!)

This application form needs to be mailed to the Little Miss Kickball address shown on page 4. It must be postmarked by **April 15th** of the year of the award. (**EXCEPTION: If April 15th falls on a Sunday, it will be postmarked by April 16th of the year of the award.**) Applications received after this date will not be reviewed.

In addition to the completed application, Little Miss Kickball needs the following two items submitted **by May 15th**:

1. An official transcript of grades and credits through the first semester of your senior year. **GPA, class rank, and SAT/ACT scores should be on the transcript. HOWEVER, provide a copy of your SAT/ACT results anyway (see question 11).**
2. Letters of recommendation from a Little Miss Kickball board member, coach, and a general reference letter from a teacher, family friend, or employer are required (see question 14).

ALL OF THESE ITEMS MUST BE POSTMARKED BY THE SPECIFIED DATE BY THE U.S. POST OFFICE (NOT AN INDIVIDUAL METER POSTMARK). HAND DELIVERIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

Please use a typewriter or a ballpoint pen. If you need more space to answer a question, use a blank piece of paper. Make sure your name appears on all attachments and extra pages. Staple (not paper clip) pages together and mail in a large manila envelope. Anything mailed separately to LMKII (transcripts/reference letters, ACT/SAT results) must include your name and address. Incomplete or blank answers may hurt your evaluation.

After selection and notification, the awardee will need to provide LMKI registration information from their selected college. LMKII will disburse scholarship funds directly to the college.

Awardees are eligible for support for up to four years, depending on the availability of funds. After being initially selected, returning awardees need to supply LMKI with a copy of their most recent semester transcript showing progress towards graduation. Again, LMKII will disburse funds to the educational institution.

11. Ask your high school (or college, if applicable) to send a transcript of credits, GPA with scale, rank in class, and **SAT/ACT scores** including the first semester grades of your senior year. Transcript should be sent to LMKII and **MUST** be postmarked by **May 15th** of the year in which the award will be made. I requested transcript on _____." (Date)

NOTE: PROVIDE a copy of the notice from the testing center, a printed screenshot of the scores or a print out from the testing website will be accepted, **BUT MUST BE SUBMITTED OR YOUR APPLICATION WILL BE DISGARDED!**

12. Give a brief description of your work experience, part-time or full-time.

Employer	Position/ Type of Work	Dates (From-To)	HRS/WK	Income
Name and Phone Number of Most Recent Employer:				

13. Scholarships are awarded to girls who have participated in a Little Miss Kickball League for a period of at least four years. List league, team(s), and years played:

14. Give the names of three persons as references. **Reference A** must be connected with the Little Miss Kickball Board (either corporate, district or local). **Reference B** is a former or current LMKII coach. **Reference C** can be a close family friend, co-worker, relative, etc. All three letters of recommendation must be sent to Little Miss Kickball Corporation and be postmarked by **May 15th**. (Letters may also be included with this application.)

A. LMKII Board reference (Name, league, title, address): _____

B. LMKII Coach reference (Name, league, address): _____

C. General reference (Name, title, address): _____

15. "I have requested References A, B, & C to write a letter of recommendation on:

Date (A): _____ or Letter enclosed

Date (B): _____ or Letter enclosed

Date (C): _____ or Letter enclosed

16. Please write a short essay (250 words or less) on your future goals. Feel free to elaborate on your education, experience, achievements, or past goals which you would like the judges to consider. Attach your essay to this application as **Attachment A**.

17. Please write a short essay (250 words or less) on what participating in kickball has meant to you. Attach your essay to this application as **Attachment B**.

18. If you are self-supporting, complete the following information for the coming school year.

Employer	Position/Type of Work	Income

19. If you are supported by parents, guardians, or others, complete the following information for the coming school year.

Relationship	Employer	Title/Type of Work

20. Give the names, ages, and work status of brothers and sisters. If any are now in college, give sources of their support.

Name	Age	Title/Type of Work

21. Estimate your total cost of one year of college. \$ _____

22. How will you pay for college?

Source	% of Cost
Parents	
Work	
Loans	
Scholarships	
Other (Explain: _____)	

23. Please list any other information related to finances which you would like the judges to consider.

24. **APPLICANT MUST SIGN THIS STATEMENT:** "To the best of my ability, the information on this form is correct."

Signature: _____ Date: _____

This scholarship application must be **POSTMARKED BY April 15th**. *(EXCEPTION: If April 15th falls on a Sunday, it will be postmarked by April 16th of the year of the award.)* All reference letters and transcripts must be **POSTMARKED BY May 15th**. Scholarship, reference letters and transcripts must be postmarked by the U.S. Postal Service and mailed to:

SCHOLARSHIPS COMMITTEE
LITTLE MISS KICKBALL INTERNATIONAL, INC.
P.O. BOX 8046
CORPUS CHRISTI, TEXAS 78468-8046

(HAND DELIVERIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.)

COMPLETE CHECKLIST BEFORE MAILING

- Application (All Areas Completed)
- Official Transcript in Sealed Envelope or Sent by School**
- Copy of SAT/ACT Scores (see #11 for details)**
- Letter of Reference: Board Member
- Letter of Reference: Coach
- Letter of Reference: General
- Attachment A – Essay: Future Goals
- Attachment B – Essay: What Kickball Means to You

****APPLICATIONS WITHOUT A TRANSCRIPT OR COPY OF SAT/ACT SCORES WILL BE DISGARDED!**