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**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 (Deadline is April 20th!)**

This application form needs to be mailed to the Little Miss Kickball address shown on page 4.  It must be postmarked by **April 20th** 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 Fall semester of your senior year.**  **GPA and class rank should be on the transcript.**

 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 13).

**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) 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.

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| **NOTE:** IT IS VERY IMPORTANT TO ANSWER **ALL** QUESTIONS FULLY. BLANK ANSWERS MAY HAVE A NEGATIVE EFFECT ON YOUR SCORE. |
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| 1. | Name: |  |
|  |  Last First Middle |
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| 2. | Home Address: |  | , TX |  |
|  |  Street City Zip |
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| 3. | Phone: | ( ) - | Date of Birth: |  | (Age as of April 20) |
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|  | Social Security #: | * -
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| 4. | High School you attended: |  | City: |  |
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|  | Graduation Date: |  | Class Rank: |  | of |  |  |
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|  | GPA |  | GPA Scale (4.0, 5.0, etc.) |  | SAT/ACT Scores: |  |
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| 5. | If you have attended or are now attending a college give: |
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|  | Name of College: |  |
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|  | Terms Completed: |  | Dates: |  |
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|  | Major field of study: |  | GPA: |  | Scale: |  |
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| 6. | If you have attended any other schools, give details and send transcripts if possible: |
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| 7. | If you have been accepted by a college, give: |
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|  | Name of College: |  |
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|  | When do you plan to enroll: |  | Major field of study: |  |
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| 8. | If you have submitted applications to one or more colleges, but have not yet been accepted,  |
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|  | list them here: |  |
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| 9. | List any academic honors you have received in high school or college: |
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| 10. | List any areas of participation. Include ALL sports, records, or awards for skill or leadership at school or in the community (i.e. volunteer work) other than academic honors listed above. Please note how many hours a week and for how long you participate(d) in *each activity.* (Example: member of Basketball-2 years-12 hrs/wk; church choir-6 yrs-3 hrs/wk; offices held, hobby awards, athletic awards, etc.) **Use extra sheet of paper if necessary.** |
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| 11. | Give a brief description of your work experience, part-time or full-time. |
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|  | **Employer** | **Position/****Type of Work** | **Dates****(From-To)** | **HRS/WK** | **Income** |
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|  | **Name and Phone Number****of Most Recent Employer:** |  |
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| 12. | 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: |
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| 13. | 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.) |
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|  | A. | LMKII Board reference (Name, league, title, address): |  |
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|  | B. | LMKII Coach reference (Name, league, address): |  |
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|  | C. | General reference (Name, title, address): |  |
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| 14. | “I have requested References A, B, & C to write a letter of recommendation on: |
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|  | Date (A): |  | or Letter enclosed |  |  |
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|  | Date (B): |  | or Letter enclosed |  |  |
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|  | Date (C): |  | or Letter enclosed |  |  |
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| 15. | 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**. |
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| 16. | 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**. |
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| 17. | If you are self-supporting, complete the following information for the coming school year. |
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|  | **Employer** | **Position/Type of Work** | **Income** |
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| 18. | If you are supported by parents, guardians, or others, complete the following information for the coming school year. |
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|  | **Relationship** | **Employer** | **Title/Type of Work** |
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| 19. | Give the names, ages, and work status of brothers and sisters. If any are now in college, give sources of their support. |
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|  | **Name** | **Age** | **Title/Type of Work** |
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| 20. | Estimate your total cost of one year of college. | $ |  |  |
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| 21. | How will you pay for college? |
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|  | **Source** | **% of Cost** |
|  | Parents |   |
|  | Work |  |
|  | Loans |   |
|  | Scholarships |  |
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| 22. | Please list any other information related to finances which you would like the judges to consider. |
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| 23. | **APPLICANT MUST SIGN THIS STATEMENT:** “To the best of my ability, the information on this form is correct.” |
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|  | Signature: |  | Date: |  |
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| **This scholarship application must be POSTMARKED BY APRIL 20th.** **All references 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 COMMITTEELITTLE MISS KICKBALL INTERNATIONAL, INC.P.O. BOX 8046CORPUS CHRISTI, TEXAS 78468-8046**(HAND DELIVERIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.)** |
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| **COMPLETE CHECKLIST BEFORE MAILING** |
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|  |  | **Application (All Areas Completed)** |
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|  |  | **Official Transcript from Fall Semester of your senior year in a**  |
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|  | **Sealed Envelope or Sent by School\*\*** |
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|  |  | **Letter of Reference: Board Member** |
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|  |  | **Letter of Reference: Coach** |
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|  |  | **Letter of Reference: General** |
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|  |  | **Attachment A – Essay: Future Goals** |
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|  |  | **Attachment B – Essay: What Kickball Means to You** |
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| **\*\*APPLICATIONS WITHOUT A TRANSCRIPT WILL BE DISGARDED!** |