

SCHOLAR-CHESSPLAYER OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT AWARD 2010 APPLICATION

ELIGIBILITY: High School Juniors and Seniors in the Americas who excel in academics, chess play, and sportsmanship. (Must be a *current* USCF member)

Name:		
USCF ID#:	_USCF Rating:	Graduation Date://
Address:		
City, State, ZIP:		
Telephone Number: ()	_ Date of Birth://
High School:		City:
GPA: of	Class Rank: of	SAT/ACT:

Specific Academic Achievements (attach additional sheets if necessary):

Specific Chess Achievements (attach additional sheets if necessary):

Specific Chess Service Examples (attach additional sheets if necessary):

Specific Leadership Examples (attach additional sheets if necessary):

College or University most likely to attend:

I certify that the data provided is accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Signature

2010 SCHOLAR CHESSPLAYER AWARD QUALIFICATIONS

If you are a high school junior or senior looking for scholarship money, read on! If you are also a current USCF member and have shown outstanding merit in academics, sportsmanship, and chess, you are eligible to apply for a 2010 National Scholar-Chessplayer Award. A total of five scholarships are available of \$1,500.00 each for a total of \$7,500.00 in scholarship money.

These annual scholarships awarded by the USCF and the US Chess Trust, are intended to recognize and encourage high school students who promote a positive image of chess. Applications are available online. Call the Scholastic Department of the USCF Office at (931) 787-1234 x148 or email clovingood@uschess.org with any questions.

Applicants: Submit FIVE copies of each of the following - OR ONE copy if sent as an email attachment in Word, PDF, or jpeg formats (email submission is preferred):

1. Completed application form

2. High School Transcript showing all courses and grades

- 3. Letter of recommendation from a teacher
- 4. Letter of recommendation from a chess coach

5. An essay of no more than 500 words describing the positive influence that chess has had on your life

6. A recent photograph of yourself – submit ONLY as a high quality jpeg photo.

Your application must be postmarked no later than March 1st, 2010. Incomplete applications will not be accepted. Send **completed** applications to:

U.S. Chess Federation Attn: Scholastic Department - SCA P.O. Box 3967 Crossville, TN 38557-3967

OR Email - <u>clovingood@uschess.org</u>