

GREEVER CROUSE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

The Greevor Crouse Memorial Scholarship was established in 1993 by the Appalachian Officials Association (AOA) to honor the memory of Greever Crouse, former Commissioner of the AOA. The AOA provides officials for sporting events for 37 high schools in Southwest Virginia.

Mr. Crouse was a basketball official for 40 years and a football official for 35 years. He organized and served as the first Commissioner of the AOA. In honor of his record of service and achievement, Mr. Crouse was inducted into the High School Sports Hall of Fame and is a member of the Virginia High School Hall of Fame.

The Greever Crouse Memorial Scholarship is awarded annually to a male and a female high school seniors that will pursue a post-secondary degree. This year's recipients will receive a one-time award of \$500 for his/her freshman year to the institution of his/her choice. Recipients of the Scholarship must possess the qualities of leadership, citizenship, sportsmanship, and scholarship. All of these traits were evident in the life and profession of Mr. Greever Crouse. Additionally, recipients must show academic promise. The recipients must also participate in a VHSL event to be eligible. Each school may nominate **one female and one male student athlete** for this award.

Please complete the attached application and return to:

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Treasurer AOA
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Bristol, VA 24202

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS: April 21, 2017

GREEVER CROUSE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Student Name: _____

High School: _____

Gender: _____

Person Submitting Application: _____

GPA: _____

Class Rank: _____

Activities:

Academic Honors:

Comments on citizenship, sportsmanship, and scholarship:

Please attach the following on separate sheets of paper:

1. A teacher recommendation letter
2. A one page student essay describing future goals and how attending college will help to achieve these goals.

The members of the AOA Board encourage all schools served by the AOA to nominate one male and one female student athlete for this award.