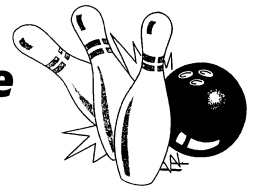


# **Ted Geiersbach Scholarship Committee** **of the Suburban Windy City USBC Association**



Dear Parent,

The Ted Geiersbach Scholarship Committee is excited to offer opportunities for scholarship monies to youth bowlers.

To be considered for these scholarship opportunities, applicants must be:

- members in good standing of the Suburban Windy City USBC Youth Division,
- bowl in a certified youth league at a center within the SWC USBC Association boundaries,
- be in compliance with all rules and regulations of the USBC Youth Division,

There are TWO events for youth bowlers to earn scholarship monies from the Ted Geiersbach Scholarship Fund. The first is a tournament which is open to all 2016-17 high school students and age eligible HS graduates with a "C" average or better. Tournament entry forms are included with this mailing.

The second opportunity is a competitive scholarship open to high school juniors and above, a total of four scholarships; 2 each for boys and girls

1<sup>st</sup> Place - \$1,000.00 - 2<sup>nd</sup> Place - \$500.00 - Previous first place winners are not eligible to reapply

Enclosed is the scholarship application and related forms.

A committee of local association leaders reviews the competitive scholarship recipients. Applicants are judged on bowling participation and achievements, academic accomplishments, and community service. Applicants should provide **at least** one letter of recommendation in their submission

These scholarships can be used for four-year colleges and universities, two-year colleges and trade schools. Scholarship funds are deposited with SMART and disbursement will be made following the SMART guidelines. Scholarship recipients will be provided with instructions from SMART regarding disbursement.

Please encourage your young adult to complete the scholarship application. Mail the application package to the Scholarship Selection Committee at the mailing address on the application form. The application package must be postmarked no later than **December 2, 2016**. Envelopes containing evaluation forms must remain sealed.

The selection committee will reject any application that is missing required information or forms, not signed by the Youth coordinator or not postmarked by the required date.

Please check to be sure all required documents are included with your scholarship application

- The completed and signed application form.
- The completed and *signed* Coach's and Coordinator's Evaluation and Data Sheet in a sealed envelope.
- The completed and *signed* School Official's Evaluation and Data Sheet together with a copy of the applicant's transcript from the end of the previous school year in a sealed envelope .
- A minimum of one letter of recommendation from teachers, community organization leaders, bowling coaches or program director.

If you need additional information or additional forms, please contact the Suburban Windy City USBC office at 847-741-7120 or [office@swcbowl.com](mailto:office@swcbowl.com).

Sincerely,

Ted Geiersbach Scholarship Committee

# The TED GEIERSBACH Scholarship Award

The Ted Geiersbach Scholarship Award, named in honor of a former President of the Elgin Association Y.A.B.A. and an active board member for more than 25 years, is sponsored by the Suburban Windy City USBC. The award is designed for male and female high school juniors and seniors bowling in a certified youth league at center within the SWC USBC Association boundaries and who have displayed solid scholastic aptitude and school involvement in addition to bowling participation, volunteer and community service.

Please print all information **clearly**:

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth date: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Male  Female      Email Address of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Youth Program and Center where applicant is certified: \_\_\_\_\_

Youth Program Coordinator Name (please print): \_\_\_\_\_

Youth Program Coordinator Signature _____ <b>(Void without coordinator signature )</b>
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G.P.A. \_\_\_\_\_ Based on 4.0 or 5.0 (circle one) Use transcript from end of previous school year.

If not currently in school, what was your ending G.P.A. \_\_\_\_\_ Based on 4.0 or 5.0 **(circle one)**

Scholastic Honors and Extracurricular Activities: (explain in detail)

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**(Note: if additional space is needed, attach additional pages)**

What are your educational plans for the future: (Be Specific)

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**This area to be used by a SWCUSBC official only**    \*\*Male \_\_\_\_\_ \*\*Female \_\_\_\_\_ Serial # \_\_\_\_\_

**Employment History (hours per week, time at job, job description, etc.)**

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- **Number of years as a certified USBC youth member:** \_\_\_\_\_
- **Highest ending USBC certified average:** \_\_\_\_\_
- **I Do or Do not (circle one) bowl in certified Travel Leagues and/or tournaments**
- **Highest certified game** \_\_\_\_\_ **Highest certified three game series** \_\_\_\_\_
- **How many times have you participated in the SWC Youth Team Tournament?** \_\_\_\_; **Doubles Tournament** \_\_\_\_; **Trio Tournament** \_\_\_\_\_
- **How many times have you participated in the Pepsi Y.B.C. zone level tournament?** \_\_\_\_\_
- **How many times have you advanced to the Pepsi State Level Tournament?** \_\_

**List other certified tournaments that you have participated in during the past three years:**

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**List other bowling involvement (high school team, student coach, league officer, etc.)**

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**Please detail volunteer community service:**

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Please attach any letters of recommendation from your Clergy, school counselors or teachers, employers, etc. to the back of this form. Also attach the sealed envelopes containing the required information from the counselor and coach. **DO NOT OPEN THESE ENVELOPES!**

All information in the application is subject to verification. The awards will be presented at the Suburban Windy City USBC Hall of Fame Banquet to be held in March 2017.

**Please mail this form and all attachments to:**

**Scholarship Selection Committee c/o Suburban Windy City USBC 545 Illini Drive, Carol Stream, Illinois 60188**

***Entries must be postmarked by December 2, 2016***

Ted Geiersbach Scholarship Fund  
Coach's and Coordinator's Evaluation  
and Data Sheet

Please complete this form and place it in a **sealed** envelope. Please return the **sealed** envelope to the applicant by December 2, 2016 so that it may be included with the scholarship application.

**Coach's Signature is required.**

Applicant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Coach's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Why is this bowler a good candidate for the Ted Geiersbach Scholarship?

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Coach's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**YOUTH PROGRAM COORDINATOR SIGNATURE REQUIRED ON FIRST PAGE OF APPLICATION**

# Ted Geiersbach Scholarship Fund School Official or Counselor Evaluation and Data Sheet

School Official: Please complete this sheet to enable this student to apply for a scholarship from the Ted Geiersbach Scholarship Fund. Signature is required. Please place the completed sheet together with a copy of the student's transcript from the end of the previous academic year in a **sealed** envelope. Please return the **sealed** envelope to the applicant by December 2, 2016 so that it may be included with the application for scholarship.

Applicant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of School Official: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of School \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone # \_\_\_\_\_

Class Rank: \_\_\_\_\_ Attendance Record: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please add any additional comments you think would be helpful in evaluating this student for this scholarship opportunity.**

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Name of School Official

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Signature of School Official

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Date