



NOMINATION FORM FOR STUDENT ATHLETE HONOREES

We offer multiple scholarships for Jewish scholar-athletes. We provide NCJSHOF scholar athlete scholarships as well as the following named scholarships: (A) The Peter E. Sills Family Foundation Scholarship; (B) the Stuart and Gaye Seiler Family Scholarship; and (C) the Cheryl Arenson Memorial Scholarship. We also offer an annual award for a non-Jewish student.

CRITERIA FOR AWARDS

- Must be a member of the graduating class of 2027.
- Must identify as Jewish, or acknowledge one's Jewish heritage.
- Non- Jewish students are eligible to apply for the **Dennis Brown Mensch Award**. The Mensch Scholarship is awarded to a student, not of the Jewish faith, with an outstanding academic, athletic and community service record who epitomizes the Jewish concept of 'Tikkun Olam', repairing the world through generosity and charitable service to the community at large.

APPLICATION PROCESS AND APPLICATION MATERIAL

Applicants may be nominated by themselves or by others who know the student well. Applicants or people nominating a student shall include the following along with the nomination:

- A letter from the student who is applying for a scholarship (not to exceed 150 words).
- A letter from a person who is familiar with the student (not to exceed 150 words).
- A list of athletic participation signed by a coach or counselor.
- Transcript of grades up to date of application or nomination (must include verification stamp).
- A complete list of community service and extracurricular activities.
- Additional letters of recommendation (not to exceed three) from administrators, counselors, teachers, coaches, clergy, parents, etc.
- Students applying for the Sills, Arenson, or Seiler awards must submit either a FAFSA, a CSS Profile, or the part of their parent/guardian's tax return that shows their adjusted gross and taxable income. Students may redact the social security number from these documents and they may provide supplemental information at their discretion.
- All Sills, Arenson, and Seiler applicants will automatically be considered for one of the general scholar athlete scholarships.
- The phone number, street address, and email address for the student and their parent/guardian.

Applications Must Be Emailed to the Scholarship Committee of the Northern California Jewish Sports Hall of Fame at ncjshofscholar@gmail.com by September 18, 2026. High school seniors from the graduating class of 2027 ONLY.

- ☐ **Please indicate if you are applying/nominating a student for an NCJSHOF Scholar Athlete award.**
- ☐ **Please indicate if you are applying/nominating a student for the Sills, Seiler, or Arenson scholarships.**
- ☐ **Please indicate if you are applying/nominating a student for the Dennis Brown Mensch Award.**

Induction Dinner and Awards Presentation: November 22, 2026 at the Olympic Club Golf Course in San Francisco (scholarship recipients must be present to receive their award). For questions, contact Donald C. Collins at ncjshofscholar@gmail.com or 415-730-3244.

(student's name)

(school)