



HERITAGE VALLEY BLAZERS INC



For Heritage Valley Blazers Youth Track & Field and Fillmore Condors Cross Country Youth Athletic Scholarship Application Guidelines For 2024

The Purpose of This Application

To allow every Heritage Valley resident youth athlete aged 18 and under the opportunity to participate in Heritage Valley Blazers Track & Field and Fillmore Condors Cross Country programs, regardless of household financial conditions. The Youth Athletic Scholarship program was developed to lower or eliminate the cost of athletic opportunities for children whose families have demonstrated need of financial assistance.

Scholarship Requirements

- Families that are granted a scholarship are required to participate in Heritage Valley Blazers Inc. (HVB) fireworks fundraiser in June and July.
- Parents/Guardians are expected, to participate in additional volunteer activities than those required for home track meets to help offset the cost of this scholarship.
- Athletes are **required to attend a minimum of 80% of scheduled practices and 80% of meets**. HVB Board members and coaches volunteer time for dedicated athletes; failure to meet attendance requirements will result in the loss of scholarship(s) for your household and be required to pay scholarship funding up to the registration and issued uniform costs. Applicant's household and athlete(s) may be denied future scholarships and/or participation in the HVB track and field and Fillmore Condors cross country programs.

Application Process

1. Complete the Youth Athletic Scholarship Application Form, which must be signed by a parent/guardian.
2. Required are copies of the following where applicable: two most current consecutive pay stubs, most current W-2 Form, most current Unemployment Statements, and/or all 1099 forms.
3. Attach a complete Heritage Valley Blazers Inc. Youth Track Membership Application Form or register online at hvblazers.org by submitting your child athlete information.
4. Scholarship application approval will be based on verification for need of financial assistance and availability of scholarship funds; submitting a scholarship application does not guarantee a scholarship will be awarded.

Other Important Information

- Scholarships will be provided on a first-come first-serve, funding basis.
- Deadline to submit scholarship applications, with all required information, is:
 - For Heritage Valley Blazers track and field **Wednesday, February 28th, 2024**
 - For Fillmore Condors cross country **Thursday, August 31st, 2024**
- There are full and partial scholarships available.

Confidentiality:

The Heritage Valley Blazers Inc. will use the information on the application only to decide if your child qualifies to receive a scholarship. Confidentiality will be maintained at all times. Applicants are guaranteed that personal finances will not be discussed outside of the Board of Directors and Scholarship Committee. Coaches will not be informed of a participant's financial or scholarship status.



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Heritage Valley Blazers Youth Track & Field

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Fillmore Condors Cross Country

Youth Athletic Scholarship Application Form For 2024

Please return this completed application with all applicable required information to the HVB President or Treasurer by:

Track & Field – Wednesday, February 28th, 2024

Cross Country – Sunday, August 31st, 2024

To be completed by Parent or Guardian- *please print neatly.*

Complete ALL the following information and attach required documents, incomplete forms may be denied.

One application form per household.

Completing this scholarship application **does not** register a child for a program.

Parent/Guardian Name: _____
First Middle Last

Address: _____
Street Address Apt. # City State Zip Code

Telephone: (Cell) _____ (Other) _____

Name of Athlete(s): _____

Age(s): _____ School Athlete Attends: _____ Grade: _____

Please report total family income, including wages, salaries, tips, unemployment and worker's compensation, net income from self-owned business/farm, welfare, child support, alimony, pensions, Social Security and any other income:

Total family yearly income \$ _____ Number of family members residing at above address: _____

Documentation to substantiate income shall include the most recent of two of the following that are applicable:

- 2 current consecutive pay stubs
- W-2 Form
- Unemployment Statements
- All 1099 Forms

I, _____, hereby confirm the filled information above is true to the best of my knowledge, and that if any is not true, then this application may be denied. And, my athlete(s) and I will adhere to the Scholarship Requirements set forth on page 1.

Signature of parent/guardian: _____ Date: _____

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

Resident of Heritage Valley (Fillmore, Piru, Santa Paula) _____ Registered Online _____ Documents Attached _____

Witnessed by _____

Scholarship Accepted _____ Full _____ Partial _____ Denied _____

HVB Official Signature _____ Date _____