



22nd Annual Roy Fujimoto Senior Scholarships (sponsored by KTA Super Stores and the BIIF)



2023 - 2024 Guidelines

About the Scholarship Awards

The Roy Fujimoto Senior Scholarships are presented to four graduating seniors in recognition of their BIIF athletic accomplishments, academic record, and community service. Each of the recipients will be selected by an independent Selection Committee and will receive a \$1500 college scholarship. The funds can be used to offset tuition, books, and room & board expenses.

Eligibility

Students/athletes attending a high school in the BIIF and participating in BIIF sports, who are completing their senior year of high school and who are attending a college/university next fall, are eligible for consideration.

Qualities Considered

- A. Athletic achievement: which shall include - contributions to the team; versatility in BIIF sports; sportsmanship and dedication; character and behavior, on & off the field.
- B. Academic record: which shall include – GPA throughout high school, HS course load, and SAT/ACT scores.
- C. Community Service: which shall include – school activities outside of athletics and involvement in the Big Island community.

Nominations

Only official BIIF Senior Scholarship Nomination Forms will be accepted for consideration. **REQUIRED** items:

- **Nomination Form** (signed by school's Principal and Athletic Director)
- **Official transcript from your high school** (along with SAT/ACT scores)
- **Personal Statement** (no more than 200 words)
- **Letters of Reference (two maximum)**
- **A photograph** (preferably a senior portrait – head & shoulder shot). Print your name on the back of the photo.

Applications **MUST** include **required** signatures from Principal and Athletic Director.

Incomplete applications will NOT be considered.

Supporting material may accompany the Nomination Form, transcript, Personal Statement, and photograph. Supporting material is limited to **SIX one-sided 8.5" x 11" sheets**.

ALL materials submitted MUST be received together along with program application. ONE PACKAGE. Materials received separately will NOT be considered.

Completed Nomination Forms must be received (mailing address on form) by no later than 3:00pm on FRIDAY, April 12, 2024

*Nomination materials may NOT be submitted via facsimile transmission.
Materials received after April 12, 2024 will NOT be considered.*

Selection Committee Meeting

The Selection Committee will meet after the application deadline and will make their final selection by May 12, 2024.

For further information

Questions regarding the BIIF Senior Scholarship Awards should be directed to Athletic Director committee members: Keith Tolentino (Honokaa HS) or Kalei Namohala (Waiakea HS).

HIGHLIGHTS of BIIF ATHLETIC ACHIEVEMENT

SPORT:

Team Honors:

League Honors:

State/National recognition:

SPORT:

Team Honors:

League Honors:

State/National recognition:

SPORT:

Team Honors:

League Honors:

State/National recognition:

EXTRACURRICULAR, COMMUNITY, and CIVIC ACTIVITIES

PERSONAL STATEMENT

Please write a statement about yourself. (no more than 200 words)

You may choose to attach a separate sheet for your Personal Statement.

Lined area for writing the personal statement.

All of the information supplied in this Nomination Form is accurate and factual.

Applicant's signature:

Date:

Final submittal should include:
Completed Nomination Form
Photograph, a senior portrait (head & shoulders) Official transcript from high school
Personal Statement (no more than 200 words)
Up to 6 pages (no more) of supporting material
All forms & materials MUST be received by April 12, 2024

Please send Nomination materials to:

Mr. Lyle Crozier
Roy Fujimoto Senior Scholarships
75 Aupuni Street, Room 203
Hilo, Hawaii 96720

Selection Committee:

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| Roy Fujimoto | Honorary Chairman |
| Stanley Costales | Sports Line |
| Lyle Crozier | BIIF Executive Director |
| Keith Tolentino | Athletic Director (Honokaa High School) |
| Kalei Namohala | Athletic Director (Ka'u High School) |
| Curtis Chong | BIIF Legal |
| Bobby Awa | Coach (Konawaena High School) |
| Craig Hamamoto | KTA Super Stores |
| Title Sponsor | KTA Super Stores |