



Apply for 2023

# MICHAEL VAUGHAN "SPIRIT OF SPORT" SCHOLARSHIP

Michael Vaughan was the consummate advocate for the highest level of ethical behavior in sport and in life, including excellent sportsmanship and enthusiasm for sport, which he orchestrated from his home/school in Three Hills, AB. In his various roles of South Central Zone secretary, ASAA Executive Committee member, ASAA Championship host, CIAAA instructor, ASAA iMPACT workshop author and leader, teacher, coach and official, Michael walked the talk, setting high standards for himself and those around him, but also being prepared to hold others responsible for stepping over the line between right and wrong. The Spirit of Sport that Michael modeled made him stand out from others. Michael passed away in March 2021 after a courageous battle with cancer. In 2021, he was inducted into the ASAA's Sports Hall of Fame as an Athletic Administrator along with his wife Shauna.

## Criteria for Scholarship:

**Applicants for the Michael Vaughan Spirit of Sport Scholarship must:**

1. Be a Grade 12 student at an ASAA member school
2. Participate in multiple activities as an athlete (one sport must be an ASAA sport)
3. Have applied and been accepted to a qualified post-secondary institution for the upcoming school year.
4. Exhibit outstanding character, be a total team player by exhibiting behaviour that demonstrates putting their teammates before themselves, demonstrate the highest level of sportsmanship during their athletic career and serve as a role model for all students at their high school.  
Display evidence in enhancing culture, building community, and providing leadership through their actions with sport.

## Application Requirements:

1. Submission of Application Form which includes:
  - a) Outline of involvement in athletics
  - b) Outline how servant leadership has played a role in your athletic career
  - c) Written submission on three questions:
    1. What impact has your involvement in school sport had on you and on the school community?
    2. Reflecting on what you have learned throughout your athletic career in school sport, what impact do you hope to have in the future as you move into adulthood?
    3. How have you demonstrated the "Spirit of Sport" through your ASAA athletic career?
2. Letter of Reference/Support (Maximum 2)
  - a) at least one from a teacher/coach directly involved in your sport, and another as a character reference.

\*More information on application requirements can be found at  
[www.asaa.ca/recognition/scholarships](http://www.asaa.ca/recognition/scholarships)

Applications Due: June 30 annually