



2024 SENIOR ATHLETIC AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIPS

The Oviedo High School Athletic Booster Club offers six senior athletic awards that each come with a \$500 scholarship. All nominations are due to the Athletics Office by Friday, March 29th, 2024 at 2:30pm. All awards will be presented at Senior Awards Night on, tentatively Tuesday, April 9, 2024.

The six awards with description and how to nominate are as follows:

- 1. MALE ATHLETE OF THE YEAR & FEMALE ATHLETE OF THE YEAR The full nomination criteria for this award along with the nomination form is included in this packet. Nominations for this award may only be submitted by the head coach and must include a letter of recommendation. No student self-nominations for this award will be considered.
- JACK BLANTON AWARD & ANITA CARLSON AWARD These two awards represent senior athletes that 2 demonstrate outstanding team leadership, sportsmanship, character, teamwork and contributed greatly to the success of the team on and off the field. The Jack Blanton Award winner must be a male and the Anita Carlson Award winner must be a female. Nominations for this award can be completed by the coach or student-athlete.
- 3. MIKLER-NORTON AWARD This award is given to two student-athletes, either male or female, based upon the recipient's knowledge of their sport, athletic success, leadership skills and ability to mentor teammates. The award is named after the former Oviedo Coach Paul Mikler and co-shared by Coach Mickey Norton. Nominations for this award can be completed by the coach or student-athlete.

Please select the award and scholarship in which you are nominating or applying for:

JACK BLANTON AWARD (MALE)	ANITA CARLSON AWARD (FEMALE)	MIKLER-NORTON AWARD

Student-Athlete:

Sport:

For a <u>coach</u> completed nomination, please include a coach's letter of recommendation. For a <u>student-athlete</u> completed nomination, please include your response to the essay below. **Coach Nominations -** based on the description of the award you are nominating for **(Athlete of the Year, Jack Blanton, Anita Carlson or Mikler-Norton),** please explain why you feel the athlete best encompasses the characteristics to make them the most deserving candidate for that award. You may use the space below or attach a separate piece of paper.

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Self-Nominations - based on the description of the award you are applying for (Jack Blanton, Anita Carlson or Mikler-Norton), please explain why you feel you best encompass the characteristics to make you the most deserving candidate for that award. You may use the space below or attach a separate piece of paper.

MALE AND FEMALE ATHLETE OF THE YEAR INFORMATION

This nomination can only be submitted by Head Coaches at Oviedo High School. All nominations are due to the Athletics Office by Friday, March 29, 2024 at 2:30pm.

The following guidelines shall be used in the nomination and selection process:

- 1. The athlete must have participated in an FHSAA sanctioned Varsity sport at Oviedo High School in their senior year. Participation is defined as an eligible individual on the team's roster.
- 2. The athlete must have demonstrated outstanding athletic ability. This may be evidenced through award recognition and statistics.
- 3. The athlete must have demonstrated leadership both in and out of competition.
- 4. The athlete must be in good academic standing. The Athletic Director shall verify all GPAs and Class Ranks.
- 5. The athlete must have demonstrated good citizenship. Extracurricular activities, both on and off campus, will be considered.
- 6. Nominations for Male & Female Athlete of the Year may only be submitted by the Head Coach and include a letter of recommendation from the Head Coach completing the nomination.

The nominating and selection process shall be as follows:

- 1. The Athletic Director shall begin the nomination process by identifying those athletes that meet the academic requirements. If there are less than three (3) candidates in each category, the Athletic Director may go to the top third of the class. If there are still not enough candidates, the AD may go to the top half of the class providing that the candidates selected have a minimum unweighted 2.5 GPA. The Athletic Director shall also indicate any other extracurricular activities of the students.
- 2. The Athletic Director shall give the names of the candidates to their respective coaches for recommendation and verification of athletic and leadership qualities. The AD may at his/her discretion convene a meeting of the coaches to finalize the list of nominations.
- 3. The list of nominations shall be given to the Oviedo High School Athletic Booster Club President. The Oviedo High School Athletic Booster Club Executive Board shall review all nominations and select the athletes to receive the awards. To be selected, an athlete must receive a majority of the votes of the eligible committee members. No committee member may vote on a scholarship award for which their child has been nominated. The committee member can, however, vote for any other award. For example, if the member's son was nominated for the male athlete of the year, that member can still vote for the female athlete of the year.

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SCHOLARSHIP NOMINATION/APPLICATION FORM

(Please Complete for All Awards)

Student-Athlete:			Male:	Female:
Student-Athlete Em	ail:	Student-Athlete Phone	2:	
Head Coach Comple	eting Nomination (if applicable):			
Sports Participated	In By Year Including Level:			
Freshmen Year				
Sophomore Year				
Junior Year				
Senior Year				

Athletic Awards & Year Received: _____

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Leadership Roles & Abilities: _____

School Clubs & Extracurricular Activities: _____

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Unweighted GPA:	Weighted GPA:	Class Rank:

Academic Achievements: _	
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