



## **Coach Vernon N. Lee, Sr. Student-Athlete Scholarship**

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**Hampton Roads Youth Foundation**

Mr. Lee, affectionately known as “Coach Lee” was an educator and longtime coach for over thirty-five years. Coach Lee dedicated his life to coaching and mentoring student athletes on and off the field. He worked tirelessly to teach athletic skills and life lessons to youth in the Hampton Roads area.

To apply for this scholarship, please do the following:

1. Read the **Requirements** to ensure that you qualify.
2. Complete and submit the Scholarship Application form and all required supplemental materials. Applications will be available and accepted beginning May 1, 2017 and must be postmarked no later than May 27th, 2017. You will need ADOBE Reader 6.0 or greater to open, use and print the PDF fill-in-the-blank form.

Requirements:

*Each applicant must meet the following requirements to be considered for this scholarship:*

- **Be a senior athlete (member of a high school team).**
- **Have a minimum, cumulative grade point average of 2.5 on a 4.0 scale.**
- **Have demonstrated community service, leadership in school and extracurricular activities.**

Recipients of the scholarship will be recognized at the annual Pittsburgh Steelers Mike Tomlin Meet-and-Greet in July 2017. Additional details will be shared at a later time.





Have you received any scholarship or financial assistance?  YES  NO

Please list scholarships and financial amount. Do not include loans or pell grant.

Example: Heisman Scholarship - \$5,000 per year



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### Essay (Required)

On a separate sheet of paper, please respond to the following topic. Applicants who do not specifically address this topic will not be considered. Your essay should be 500 words or less. Include your name and the name of the scholarship at the top.

**The essay topic:** How has being a member of an athletic team shaped your character, development, and contributed to your growth as a positive citizen in the Hampton Roads community?

### Transcript Information

An official high school transcript of grades must be sent with this application.

### Application Checklist

The student is responsible for submitting all materials to the HRYF Scholarship Committee on time. Incomplete applications will not be evaluated. This application becomes complete and valid only when all of the following materials have been received:

- 1 Letter of Recommendation (Community Leader, teacher, or school counselor)
- Student Application
- Official high school transcript
- Essay

**Postmark deadline May 27, 2017**

**Send to:** P.O. Box 1296 Hampton, VA 23661, Email: [hryfinfo@gmail.com](mailto:hryfinfo@gmail.com), or Fax: 1-208-723-3674

### Certification

The Hampton Roads Youth Foundation Scholarship Committee have the responsibility for selecting recipients based on criteria as set forth in the program description. This application becomes the property of Hampton Roads Youth Foundation. (It is recommended you keep a copy for your files.)

*I acknowledge decisions are final. I certify I meet eligibility requirements of the program as described in the guidelines and the information provided is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. If requested, I will provide proof of information. Falsification of information may result in termination of any award granted. If selected as a finalist, I give my permission to release my application and any attachments to the Hampton Roads Youth Foundation.*

Applicant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_