

VIOLET BAUMGARDNER AWARD CRITERIA

The Pennsylvania State Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance (PSAHPERD) each year offers scholarships of \$700, \$500 and \$300 to Junior and Senior student members in any of the sub disciplines of Health, Physical Education, Recreation and/or Dance who best qualify based on applicant responses to the following criteria:

- Financial Need (Special or Exceptional Circumstances)
- Academic Record
- Professional service and potential
- Contributions to the Department/College/University
- Contributions to the Community and/or Community Service

Each professional preparation institution may forward ONE candidate for these awards. The Scholarship Committee will select three (3) finalists who will receive room and board expenses to attend the PSAHPERD Convention at the _____ (place and date). Final interviews will be held on Saturday morning, _____ (date), during the convention with the scholarship awards being presented at the Elmer B. Cottrell Banquet that same evening.

Candidates must prepare written accounts (maximum two pages) of their qualifications based on the criteria stated above and submit the same to the faculty members in charge of the selection process on the respective campuses. **After institutions have chosen their respective candidates, institutions must submit cover forms (enclosed), one letter of support, and the candidates' written accounts addressing the criteria above.** Please send all the required information by **October 5, year**, to:

PSAHPERD Violet Baumgardner Scholarship
Institutional Nomination Form

Student's Information:

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

E-Mail Address: _____

Institution's Information:

Name: _____

Contact Person: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

E-Mail Address: _____

Please submit:

- A) 100 word (+/- 10) maximum qualification abstract for Journal Publication
- B) A photo [clear head shot] for display at the Convention on a poster
- C) An electronic photo for display in the Journal at a presentation at the E.B. Cottrell banquet. **Send your electronic photo to _____ (Immediate Past President)**