



Student-Athlete Excellence Scholarship Application Form

Name: Matt Mandarino DOB: 9/17/1991
Address: [Redacted]
City: Madison Heights Telephone: [Redacted]
Name of Parent(s) or Guardian(s): Mike & Cathy
High School: Lamphere Graduating Class of: 2009
Cumulative high school GPA: 2.5

- 1. What post-high school institution are you planning on attending? Macomb Community College
2. What aspect of study within this institution is of most interest to you? Media
3. When do you plan on applying to this institution? Summer / fall '09
4. How many years did you play within the Madison Heights Youth Soccer Association? Who were your coaches? Doug Kilbourn & Mike Mandarino
5. Have you ever participated in officiating official soccer matches? If so, when and where? Yes Liberty Park winter & spring Royal Oak
6. Have you had any other type of involvement within the community? If so, explain. family coalition helped with the 5k run
7. Are you a member of any school clubs (e.g. SADD, Drama, Earthsmart)? NO
8. Have you ever participated in intramural activities? If so, which of the activities? NO
9. Please list high school sports you have participated in, the year of involvement and letters earned. Tennis - 2007 varsity Swim 2006-2009 varsity Soccer 2006-2009 vs 2007-2008
10. Have you ever held a class officer position? If so, when and which position? Golf varsity 2008-2009 NO
11. List any other accomplishments you are proud of. Macall academic team Soccer MVP - first team all league & district & county Golf honorable mention swim - 2nd team
12. Please write or type, on a separate sheet of paper, a 100 word essay on a favorite soccer coach and how they had a positive influence in your life.

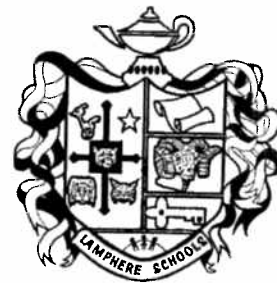
Favorite Coach

I would have to think that that my favorite soccer coach is Mark Fournier, the assistant coach of my Carpathia Kickers team. He makes it so it is fun to play and he just makes everyone laugh. He has had a positive influence on me because when I was younger, I wasn't doing well in school, and he made me care about my grades. Now I have done much better school wise, and he has made me a better player. He knows how I can play and what all my abilities are, and he makes sure I use them to the fullest. He does everything to make us believe in ourselves and make us a much more unified team. We play much and get along much better because of his actions and I think that affects us in the real world. He affects everyone he talks to in a positive way and that is why he is my favorite coach.

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Russell McKenzie

Athletic Director/Student Activities Director

June 4, 2009

To MHYSA:

I am often asked to write letters of recommendations for people that I have only known for a very short time and my opinions are based on a very brief observation; however, Matt Mandarino is a young man I have known for a long period time. I have known Matt as a motivated student, soccer player, swimmer and golfer. Matt's positive attitude, character and puritan work ethic have helped lead others to my vision of a successful soccer, swimming and golf program. Matt has always put forth great effort and has been highly successful in reaching his goals.

During the time I have known Matt I have seen him grow into a mature, dedicated, and caring individual. He has tried very hard to overcome any shortcomings and does not dwell on his strong assets. Matt has worked very hard to improve his academic skills so he will be able to take on the rigors of college. I have witnessed him grow from a carefree freshmen to a conscientious student as a senior. I believe Matt is a very strong minded and will always reach his goals if he puts his mind to it.

Matt Mandarino is a young man that I can readily recommend for the Student-Athlete Excellence Scholarship.

Sincerely,

Russell McKenzie
Lamphere High School
Athletic Director

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Margie Alexander
Coop Director

June 5th 2009

To Whom It May Concern:

It is with great pleasure that I recommend Matt Mandarino. I have known Mr. Mandarino for the past two years as a teacher and a coach. Matt is the highest caliber of student and athlete in regard to character and work ethic.

Matt's enthusiasm and love for learning are displayed in his excellent rapport with the entire Lamphere teaching and coaching staff. Mr. Mandarino has always been willing to go the extra mile in the classroom and on the field of play. I feel two of the best characteristics that Matt possesses are his reliability and his motivation. These characteristics are demonstrated everyday in the classroom and in his sports endeavors. Mr. Mandarino's ability to exhibit integrity and honesty has made him a natural leader and role model for other students. The numerous outstanding accolades in academia and extra-curricular activities are a true testament to his strong spirit and his desire to succeed.

It is not often that I would recommend someone so highly, but I view Mr. Mandarino as the exception. He should be given full consideration for the Scholarship.

Sincerely,

Art Maisano