

# Big Jim Youth Award

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Applications accepted:  
Jan. 1<sup>st</sup> –March 31<sup>st</sup>  
Finalists announced:  
May/June 2023

- \$1,000 Scholarship Big Jim Academic Achievement Award (Male)
- \$1,000 Scholarship Big Jim Academic Achievement Award (Female)
- \$1,000 Scholarship Big Jim Athlete of the Year (Male)
- \$1,000 Scholarship Big Jim Athlete of the Year (Female)

## **STUDENT INFORMATION**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(LAST) (FIRST) (MI)

Tribal Enrollment #: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(STREET) (CITY) (STATE) (ZIP)

Home Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

College/university/vocational institution you plan to attend after high school? \_\_\_\_\_

## **HIGH SCHOOL INFORMATION**

High School Name: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_

Advisor/Counselor: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Sport: \_\_\_\_\_ Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Coach: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Indian Education Director: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

All Absentee Shawnee High School Seniors are eligible and encouraged to apply.  
If applying for both Academic Achievement and Athlete of the year, applicant must provide two (2) separate applications and sets of supporting documents.

Documents to be included with application:

- Official High School Transcript (emailed copies sent directly from school personnel will be accepted)
- Tribal Enrollment Card (copy)
- Résumé of Accomplishments and Activities
- Letter(s) of Recommendation (Educator/Coach/Tribal/Church)
- 500-word Essay: How do you feel your accomplishments (culture/knowledge/training) as well as your being an Absentee Shawnee Tribal member will influence your future plans?
- Video (optional): no more than 10 minutes in length