



# STEPHEN "PEANUT" BARCUS MEMORIAL SHOE SCHOLARSHIP

FAIRFIELD ATHLETE'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT OR GUARDIAN NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ATHLETE'S GRADE IN SCHOOL: \_\_\_\_\_ ATHLETE'S AGE: \_\_\_\_\_

ATHLETE'S ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

PARENT PHONE NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

DOES THE ATHLETE ATTEND FAIRFIELD SCHOOL DISTRICT: \_\_\_\_\_

NUMBER OF DEPENDENTS: \_\_\_\_\_

FOR WHAT REASON ARE YOU REQUESTING ASSISTANCE:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

PARENT SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_

## SCHOLARSHIP PROCESS

\*Complete the above application and return it to the athletic director, Denise Vilvens (Athletic director will contact parent with a decision).

\*IF APPROVED, the athlete will be given a voucher to take to Qual-I-Tee Sporting Goods in Washington Court House for a pair of soccer cleats or basketball shoes. The maximum reimbursement amount per pair of shoes is \$100.

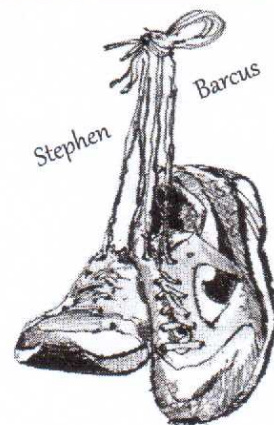
APPLICATION DEADLINE EACH YEAR FOR SOCCER CLEATS IS  
**SEPTEMBER 1ST & NOVEMBER 10TH** FOR BASKETBALL SHOES.

**THIS SCHOLARSHIP IS AWARDED BASED ON FINANCIAL NEED.**

This section to be completed by the athletic director

Application Approved: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Free or reduced lunch: \_\_\_\_\_



Shoes are a very important part of sports. Many people have preferences on what shoe is the best based on performance, comfort, and many other qualities. However, shoes can be very expensive, especially good ones. The Stephen "Peanut" Barcus fund was established to assist with the price of shoes for basketball and soccer players who can not afford them.

This scholarship fund is in memory of Stephen Anthony Barcus (Peanut). Peanut, more than anyone knew how important looking good and having the right shoes was to an athlete's overall success in sports. Stephen was very particular with his choice of attire. His shoe preferences included white Nike soccer cleats and Nike high top basketball shoes. Only July 2, 2011, Peanut, along with his friend, Austin, went shopping for their senior soccer cleats. On their way home they were involved in a car accident which resulted in Peanut's death three days later.

In receiving this scholarship we hope that it will relieve financial pressure some families may feel and help us remember what a tremendous classmate, friend, brother, child and person that Stephen "Peanut" Barcus was during his time here with us. Put the shoes to good use and put your heart into everything you do!