

2018 New England Pop Warner All-American Scholar Tribute Weekend Frequently Asked Questions

General Information

Question: What is the difference between First Team, Second Team, and Honorable Mention New England Pop Warner All- American scholar?

Answer: A First Team All-American consists of the top 35 football players and top 35 cheerleaders for his/her grade in New England Pop Warner that have the highest score of 100 or above based on the combined total score of Grade Point Average (GPA) and Addendum. A Second Team New England Pop Warner All-American consists of the next group of participants that score 100 or above for the combined total score of GPA and Addendum. The participants that achieve the All American Scholar criteria and fall between a total combined total score GPA and Addendum score of 96 and under 100 are awarded Honorable Mention.

Question: Who is eligible to attend the New England Pop Warner Scholar Tribute Weekend?

Answer: Every Scholar is invited to attend, whether they are First Team, Second Team or Honorable Mention.

Question: How big of a deal is it to be named as a New England Pop Warner All-American Scholar?

Answer: An extremely big deal! If your son/daughter is recognized as a New England Pop Warner All-American Scholar, then he/she is amongst the top 5% of all Pop Warner participants in New England Pop Warner. In addition, if they are selected as a National Pop Warner All American they are also eligible to attend a National Awards recognition weekend held annually, this 2018 year during Memorial Day weekend in Disneyworld, Orlando, FL, which commemorates their achievements on the field, in the classroom and in the community.

Scholar Tribute Information

Question: What is the New England All-American Tribute like?

Answer: The Tribute sessions are held on Friday night and Saturday morning depending on the scholars' grade level. This event can be compared to a graduation ceremony as each scholar will be called up onto the stage and recognized for their scholastic efforts and have their picture taken. The tribute also features a special master of ceremonies and special guest speaker. Refreshments (food and drink) will be served during the registration/reception. The New England All-American Scholar will receive a scholar achievement certificate at the Tribute.

The highest ranked football and cheer/dance scholars in the 5th, 6th, 7th, and 8th grade will be awarded a special gift at the Tributes.

Question: What is the dress code for the Tributes and Senior Scholar awards presentations?

Answer: The dress code is business casual. However, please no t-shirts, tank tops or flip- flops.

Senior Scholar First Team Awards Presentation Information

Question: What is the New England All-American Senior Scholar First Team Awards Presentation?

Answer: It is an awards presentation wherein the New England Pop Warner community comes together to honor our First Team Senior Scholars (**grades 8 and above, includes Coach Trainees and Student Demonstrators**) and to award college/university scholarships to selected individuals.

Question: When is the First Team Senior Scholar Awards Presentation held?

Answer: The First Team Senior Scholar Awards Presentation will be held at Gillette Stadium in the Putnam Suite Lounge **immediately following the Saturday Morning Scholar Tribute.**

Question: What is a New England All-American First Team Senior Scholar and are they the only ones eligible for college/university scholarships?

Answer: A New England All-American Senior Scholar is an announced First Team scholar **in grades 8 and above (includes Coach Trainees and Student Demonstrators)**. First Team Senior Scholars are the only individuals eligible for college/University scholarships.

Question: Will every New England All-American First Team Senior Scholar be awarded college/university scholarships?

Answer: Not every New England All-American First Team Senior Scholar will receive a college/university scholarship. In addition, we will award one scholarship to a Coach Trainee/Student Demonstrator. Every New England All-American First Team Senior Scholar will receive a commemorative plaque for their outstanding accomplishment.

Registration Information

Question: What are the Tribute registration start and closure dates?

Answer:

Registration start date is February 10, 2018

Registration closure date is March 3, 2018

No registrations will be accepted after **March 3, 2018**

Question: How do I register for the Scholar Tributes and First Team Senior Scholar Awards presentation?

Answer: Postcards are mailed to each Scholar notifying them how and when to register **BUT you do not need the post card to register**. Each Scholar and guest must register on-line to attend. On line registration is hosted at www.newenglandpopwarner.com.

Please make your selections at the on line registration site for the tributes and optional tours you would like to attend. We encourage you make your reservations early.

All registrations will be processed on-line on a first come first serve basis; registrations will not be accepted through mailings, email, or by phone.

We have limited tickets for the optional Stadium and Hall of Fame tours and it is possible that the tribute events will sell out too!

Question: When registering, how do I know which tribute to attend?

Answer: The scholar grade as of the current 2017-18 school year should be used as the registration event selection. For example, if your scholar is currently in the 5th grade, you should register for the Friday night 5th and 7th grade Tribute.

Question: How do I register IF I have more than one scholar in the family and their tribute, based on grade, is scheduled for different events (i.e. 5th grader on Friday, 8th grader on Saturday)?

Answer: We recommend that you attend only one Scholar Tribute, whichever fits your schedule better. You will be able to do this during the on-line registration process. This will save you money since you don't have to pay to attend two tributes. Now, it may be important to you and your scholar to attend the tribute with their respective grades; just be aware that you will pay for each tribute you attend.

Question: Will the scholar tribute tickets, and optional tour tickets if purchased, be mailed to me prior to the event?

Answer: No, the scholar tribute tickets will not be mailed; the scholar tribute tickets will be available for pickup at the registration area on the day of the event.

Question: Should you bring the receipt of the registration information to the tribute?

Answer: Although we will have your registration information at the event, it is a good plan to bring your registration receipt to the tribute.

Question: How do I register for the First Team Senior Scholar Awards Presentation?

Answer:

First Team Senior Scholars (grade 8 and above including Coach Trainee and Student Demonstrators) should register for the Saturday Morning Tribute.

The cost of registering for the Saturday Morning Tribute includes the First Team Senior Scholar Awards Presentation.

Only First Team Senior Scholars (**grade 8 and above**) are invited to the First Team Senior Scholar Awards Presentation event. Postcards are mailed to First Team Senior Scholars with instructions on how and when to register **BUT you do not need the post card to register**. Each Scholar and guest must register on-line at to attend. On line registration is hosted at www.newenglandpopwarner.com.

The Senior Scholar Awards Presentation will be held at Gillette Stadium in the Putnam Suite West Lounge **immediately following the Saturday morning tribute**.

Hotel Information

Question: Should I reserve a hotel room for the tributes?

Answer: If you plan to travel a long distance, it is recommended to reserve a hotel room. You can enjoy all the activities that Patriot Place has to offer.

Question: How many hotels are available for room reservations?

Answer: There are two hotels located at Patriot Place available for reservations, the Renaissance Hotel and Hilton Garden Inn Hotel. Both hotels are offering room reservations for the same price reserved for Pop Warner; therefore your preference of hotels is yours to choose.

Question: What is the last date I can make hotel reservations?

Answer: The last day that both hotels will allow reservations at the special Pop Warner price is **February 23, 2018**

Question: What if I have additional questions?

Answer: The New England Pop Warner Staff is available to answer your questions. You may contact us by email: nerpopwarner@gmail.com.