

The LeeAnn Miele and Nicholas J. Migliaccio
Scholarship Award

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ USFS Number: _____

High School Attending: _____

Grade: _____ Age: _____

Anticipated College: _____

Test(s) Passed: _____

Competition(s) participated in: _____

Requirements:

1. Candidate must be a Full Member in good standing with the PPFSC, and have been a member for at least 2 full years.
2. Candidate must be a graduating senior moving on to higher education.
3. Candidate will be selected on the basis of academic achievement, sportsmanship and a personal essay.
4. Candidate must supply an official high school transcript (which will account for 50% of the criteria)
5. Candidate must show good sportsmanship – as determined by and the sole discretion of the Board of Governors of the PPFSC including but not limited to tests taken and competitions entered. (which will account for 25% of the criteria)
6. The Candidate must write an essay about, like LeeAnn Miele, what ethics, character building traits and life skills skating has taught them, and how this has taught you to be a better skater and person. (which will account for 25% of the criteria)
7. Announcement of the Scholarship Recipient will be made at the Annual Banquet.

LeeAnn Miele is rightfully remembered for her timeless dedication to the sport of skating, not only for her involvement in Synchronized Skating, but in all aspects of the sport. She was a National Dance, Singles & Pairs Judge, and a National Referee in all disciplines in the sport of Figure Skating. Her commitments to the Board of PPFSC, USFS, and the NBICC, as well as her commitments to club events large and small, were her hallmark. She tirelessly strived to help all she could regardless of the cost to herself. This included being at the rink at 5:00 a.m. or midnight, staying late after a test session or competition to talk to skaters that she judged, or being just a good sounding board for parents or coaches. She gave to the sport that she felt gave to her. There is a saying that many people, as they move up in anything, forget about the people who helped to get them there; however, LeeAnn did not. She constantly helped out the new and upcoming judges and skaters. Her legacy is not only that Synchronized Skating became recognized as a world sport, but also that she helped foster two generations of skaters and judges, and her impact with those people will be long lasting.

Nicholas J. Migliaccio was a Novice Competition and Gold Test Judge. He was past president of the PPFSC, Chief of Dental Surgery at Rhode Island Hospital, Founder of the Samuels Clinic, and a member and past president of the American Dental Association. He worked tirelessly for the betterment of the club in its early years. He, like his daughter, gave his time to a sport that he came to love and enjoy.

**Applications should be received by: Gerald Miele, 31 Randall Street,
Greenville, RI 02828 no later than April 30, 2008.**