

Colorado Beautillion-Cotillion, Inc.
BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Pursuing academic distinction, developing character, service to community and journey to adulthood are the four major objectives of the Colorado Beautillion-Cotillion, Inc. (CBI/CCI). This program was established in June 2010, by ACW Marketing & Event Planning and implemented with the assistance of Bouknight & Associates to provide a multi-cultural all-inclusive program designed to provide personal development experiences and recognition for high school juniors and seniors in Colorado. Students are eligible to join the program in their junior year; culminating with a formal presentation for graduating seniors.

The CBI/CCI program is a vehicle to help support the educational dreams of youth **in various Colorado Communities**. In addition, CBI/CCI will showcase some of Colorado's most ambitious high school juniors and seniors who have demonstrated a desire to excel in life.

Participation and service points will be awarded over a six-month period for various activities such as: Ad Sales, Community Service Projects, Oratory/Debate Contest and other projects.

Financial awards may be presented to graduating seniors at the cumulating Gala to be held on the second Sunday in June. In addition, one outstanding male participant will be named "Beau of the Year" and female will be "Belle of the Ball", receiving a plaque and a monetary reward; the amount will be announced at the ceremony.

OFFICIAL APPLICANT PARTICIPATION REQUIREMENTS

Note: All nominees must be a high school junior or senior who plans to attend a college, university, military or vocational/technical school immediately upon graduation and have a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.5 on a 4.00 scale.*

All official application forms, letters of recommendation, and participation agreement sheets **must be submitted as one package postmarked by October 31st of every year** and mailed to: Colorado Beautillion-Cotillion, Inc.: 911 S. Rifle Street, Aurora, CO 80017. **All information must be printed or typed.**

OFFICIAL BEAUTILLION-COTILLION CONTACTS

Cheryl Williams-Carter
Founder/Chief Operating Officer
720-217-8291

Dr. Thomas Bouknight, Esq.
Chief Executive Officer
832-651-5130

*Consideration for those with the recommendation of a counselor, community leader, clergy, etc.

OFFICIAL APPLICATION SHEET

Please type or print clearly:

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Home Phone: () _____ Cell Phone: () _____

Email: _____

Grade Level: _____ Current Grade Point Average: _____ Cumulative Grade Point Average: _____

Age: _____ Ethnicity: _____ High School Attending: _____

Favorite Subject: _____ Career/ Job Interest: _____

College/ University/ Post Secondary School Interest:

1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____

Parent(s)/ Guardian(s): _____

Name

Relationship

Name

Relationship

Extracurricular Activities/ Sports/ Clubs, etc.:

Hobbies/ Interests:

Community Involvement:

Student Signature _____ Date _____

Parent Signature _____ Date _____

****All private contact and information from the applicant will be confidential and used only by the Beautillion-Cotillion Staff for the express purpose of promoting the Annual Beautillion-Cotillion Gala. *****

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OFFICIAL LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION SHEET

(USE THIS SHEET AS A COVER PAGE FOR EACH LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION)

This form may be duplicated as many times as needed. Each candidate must have a minimum of two, letters of recommendations. Teachers, parents, administrators, students, community agency representatives, and business/industry partners may submit letters of recommendations.

The letter **must not exceed one double spaced, type-written page.**

Name of Student Being Recommended: _____

High School of Student Being Recommended: _____

The most effective letters of recommendation will specifically address the questions to be considered by the selection committee. Those questions are listed below. Make sure you include the name of the applicant and your name and position in the letter. **Attach this form** as a cover to your letter.

The selection committee will consider the following questions:

1. How has the applicant promoted positive self-esteem for himself/herself and served as a role model for others **beyond what is generally expected**?
2. How has the applicant demonstrated **academic potential** and achievement?
3. Has the applicant demonstrated a **pursuit in post secondary education**, and if so, what has he/she done that demonstrates that he will successfully complete a post secondary school program?
4. What about the applicant's **character** distinguishes him as a young gentleman/lady?
5. How has the applicant been a **force of constructive change** in his school, church, home or community?

Recommended by: (Please type or print clearly)

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip Code: _____

Phone Number _____

Relationship: _____ Parent _____ Peer _____ Administrator _____ Teacher _____ Community Agency

Representative _____ Other (Specify) _____

Signature _____ Date _____

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PHOTO PAGE

PLEASE ATTACH A PHOTOGRAPH OF YOURSELF ON THIS PAGE

(Wallet size or larger is appropriate)
Digital photos can be emailed to
cobeautillion@aol.com

Photo Release

In consideration of my Beautillion-Cotillion participation, upon the terms herewith stated, I hereby give to Colorado Beautillion-Cotillion, Inc (CBI/CCI) or his/her, legal representatives and assigns, those for whom the photographer is acting, and those acting with his/her authority and permission:

a) the unrestricted right and permission to copyright and use, re-use, publish, and republish photographic portraits or pictures of me or in which I may be included intact or in part, composite or distorted in character or form, without restriction as to changes or transformations in conjunction with my own or a fictitious name, or reproduction hereof in color or otherwise, made through any and all media now or hereafter known for illustration, art, promotion, advertising, trade, or any other purpose whatsoever.

b) I also permit the use of any printed material in connection therewith.

c) I hereby relinquish any right that I may have to examine or approve the completed product or products or the advertising copy or printed matter that may be used in conjunction therewith or the use to which it may be applied.

d) I hereby release, discharge and agree to save harmless CBI/CCI his/her, legal representatives or assigns, and all persons functioning under his/her permission or authority, or those for whom he/she is functioning, from any liability by virtue of any blurring, distortion, alteration, optical illusion, or use in composite form whether intentional or otherwise, that may occur or be produced in the taking of said picture or in any subsequent processing thereof, as well as any publication thereof, including without limitation any claims for libel or invasion of privacy.

e) I have read the above authorization, release and agreement, prior to its execution; I fully understand the contents thereof. This agreement shall be binding upon me and my heirs, legal representatives and assigns.

Beau/Belle Name: _____

Parent Signature : _____

Dated: _____

Parent Signature : _____

Dated: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

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NOMINATION COVER PAGE

All nominations forms, letters of recommendations and Nominee Information packets must be submitted as one package postmarked by October 31st and mailed to Cheryl William-Carter, ~ Colorado Beautillion-Cotillion, Inc. 911 S. Rifle Street, Aurora, CO 80017. All information must be printed or typed.

All nominees must be a Colorado high school junior of senior who plans to attend a college, university or vocational/technical school immediately upon graduation and have a minimum Cumulative grade point average of 2.50* on a 4.00 scale.

Nominee: Last Name First Name Middle Initial

Current School/Grade:

Home Information: Address Home Phone City State Zip Code Cell Phone

Parents/ Guardians: Name Relationship Name Relationship

Nominated by: Name Self Parent Peer Administrator Teacher Community Agency

Representative Address City State Zip Code Other (Specify)

Signature Date

Nominee Understanding: I am a high school junior or senior and I have applied be a Colorado Beautillion-Cotillion, Inc. I understand that my attendance is required at Beautillion-Cotillion events from October to June.

Nominee Signature Date

Parent/ Guardian Signature Date

Date Received by Colorado Beautillion-Cotillion, Inc:

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