



## **Jones Ambassadors 2009**

### *Application*

**Deadline: Wednesday, September 9, 2009**  
*JCJC Alumni & Foundation Office*  
*C. L. Neill Student Center Building*

**(No later than 3:00 p.m.)**

A completed Jones Ambassadors 2009 application includes the following:

1. Online application completed and submitted in printed format.
2. Two completed recommendation forms from a JCJC faculty, staff, or administrator. If you are a **freshman**, you may choose a faculty, staff, or administrator from your High School.
3. A copy of your High School (freshman) or JCJC (sophomore) transcript.
4. A 4 x 6 photo of yourself.



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Name (First) \_\_\_\_\_ (Middle) \_\_\_\_\_ (Last) \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Name on Nametag: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Dorm & Room Number \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Other Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

School E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Student ID Number \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

High School Attended \_\_\_\_\_

Will you be employed during the school year? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, list the amount of hours per week and where you are employed. \_\_\_\_\_

Projected number of semester hours for the fall \_\_\_\_\_

The recommendation forms should be included with your application. These forms must come from a JCJC faculty, staff, or administrator if you are a sophomore. If you are a freshman, your recommendation will come from a High School faculty, staff, or administrator. Please indicate who will be completing the recommendations for you: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Please type your responses to the following questions and attach them to this application. Be sure to include your name at the top of your response page(s).**

1. List the clubs/organizations (both on and off campus) that you have been involved in while at JCJC, if you are a sophomore. If you are a freshman, please include clubs and organizations while at High School. Also, indicate any leadership positions you have held or hold presently within these clubs/organizations.
2. Please list any honors or awards you have received during your college career, including academic.
3. Why are you interested in becoming a Jones Ambassador?
4. What qualifications do you possess that would help you work effectively with (a) new students, parents and alumni? (b) The Jones Ambassadors Team?

### **Ambassador Responsibilities:**

(please initial beside each one after reading)

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. Enroll in a fall Leadership class worth 1 hour of academic credit. The class will meet Tuesday @ 5:30 in the C L Neill Student Center Room 217.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Attend a Retreat on Friday, October 2, 2009 (mandatory)
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Must attend one of the 3 Homecoming Activities
  - a. Friday, October 16<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 pm
  - b. Saturday, October 17<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 am
  - c. Saturday, October 17<sup>th</sup> at 12:00 pm
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. Bobcat Blast Thursday, September 24<sup>th</sup> at 4:30 pm
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Meet and Greet at the Alumni Tent for Home games
  - a. Thursday, September 24<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 pm
  - b. Saturday, October 24<sup>th</sup> at 12:00 pm

## **Jones Ambassadors Mission Statement and Qualifications**

The Jones Ambassadors will consist of diverse student leaders that are selected to be the hosts and hostesses for Jones County Junior College. Their duties will consist of Foundation, College, and Presidential events.

- 1. You must possess a 2.50 cumulative grade point average at Jones County Junior College (sophomore) or High School (freshman) to apply. You must maintain a 2.50 grade point average during the year as a Jones Ambassador.**
- 2. You must be a full-time enrolled student for both the fall and spring of 2009– 2010.**

Listed below you will find the explanation of the tryout process:

**Round 1** – This round will take place on September 10 at 5:30 p.m. in room 217 C. L. Neill Student Center Building. This will be a night full of Jones spirit. You are asked to wear your favorite “Jones” t-shirt.

**Round 2** – This round will take place on September 16 at 5:30 p.m. in room 217 C. L. Neill Student Center Building. This will be a mix and mingle session where you will be given an icebreaker and an impromptu speech opportunity.

**Round 3** – This round will take place on September 22 starting at 3:00 p.m. You will sign up for an interview time in the JCJC Alumni & Foundation Office. (C. L. Neill Student Center Building)

***You will be contacted per e-mail upon your selection to each round.***



**\*\*Please return in a sealed envelope**

**Jones Ambassadors 2009 Application Recommendation Form**

**To the Applicant:** Please arrange for two references to provide the sponsors with these evaluation tools that address your commitment to Jones Ambassadors, engagement in the Jones County Junior College community, demonstrated work ethic, leadership and interpersonal abilities. Your reference should complete this form, seal it in an envelope, sign his or her name across the seal on the outside of the envelope, and return it to you to be included in your completed application packet.

**To the Reference:** The Jones Ambassadors Program seeks Jones County Junior College members who are exemplary campus leaders, good citizens, strong communicators and are committed to excellence at Jones County Junior College. Please answer the following questions in regard to the applicant's ability to contribute and succeed as a member of the Jones Ambassadors.

Name of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Reference: \_\_\_\_\_

Title/Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Department/School: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

How long have you known the applicant?

In what capacity have you known the applicant?

How would you rate the applicant's ability in the following areas? NS = Not Sure, 1=Low, 5=High (1 indicates needs improvement, 3 indicates average, and 5 indicates exceptional) **Circle one.**

<b>Communication Skills</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>NS</b>
<b>Organizational Skills</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>NS</b>
<b>Ability to cope with stress</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>NS</b>
<b>Ability to manage time</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>NS</b>
<b>Punctuality</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>NS</b>
<b>Respect for authority</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>NS</b>
<b>Ability to work with a diverse population</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>NS</b>
<b>Relationships with Peers</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>NS</b>

<b>Predisposition for teamwork</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>NS</b>
<b>Leadership abilities</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>NS</b>
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<b>JCJC pride</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>NS</b>

**On the previous question if you circled 1 or 2 in any area please elaborate below:**

**If you circled a 5 in any area please elaborate below:**

**Overall recommendation and additional comments:**

**Please Check One:**

- I recommend the applicant without reservations as an excellent candidate as a Jones Ambassador.
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