



## EAGLE CROSS COUNTRY BOOSTER CLUB SENIOR STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION GUIDELINES

**Senior Students are eligible based on their participation in the AHS Cross Country Program.**

- Applicant must apply by submitting a completed Scholarship Application to the Cross Country Coach. Applications must be submitted at least (10) days prior to the banquet.
- Applicant must be a current member of the Cross Country Program.
- Applicant's parent(s) must be a member of the Cross Country Booster Club. Please note: Parents can achieve membership through payment of dues or volunteer hours in the Booster Club and Cross Country activities.
- Applicant must volunteer at least (10) hours of service supporting the Cross Country Booster Club Program during their senior year, prior to graduation. Please submit documentation of completed and scheduled hours with scholarship application\*\*.
- Applicant must volunteer at least (10) hours of service supporting the community during their senior year. Please submit documentation of completed and scheduled hours with scholarship application\*\*.
- Applicant's parent(s) must volunteer as a member of a Cross Country banquet committee or other Cross Country related service (i.e. tent crew) for a minimum of 4 hours. \*\*
- Applicant must have a minimum GPA of 2.75 (on a 4.0 scale).
- Applicant must submit two letters of recommendation: One must be from the community and the other must be from an Allen High School Faculty member.
- Applicant must write an essay of between 200 and 750 words, explaining what the AHS Cross Country Program has meant to him/her. Applicant must include memories showing how s/he has contributed to the program and how s/he will use in the future.
- The current minimum scholarship fund is \$1,000. These monies will be divided as follows: \$500 each to two qualifying seniors (1 male/ 1 female) per season.
- Two recipients from the Cross Country team will be selected by a committee of (3) non-senior Cross Country Booster Club parents. The recipients will be comprised of one male from the Boy's Cross Country team, one female from the Girl's Cross Country team in the fall. An applicant must meet all of the application criteria and the committee may consider the applicant's character and behavior as a team member.

\*\*Volunteer hours are those completed and scheduled at the time of application submission. Scholarship award is dependent upon completing required hours.