

Matthew Stuper Scholarship

The Freehold Area Running Club (FARC) awards scholarships to deserving members who will be continuing their education at college, vocational/technical, or graduate school. Each scholarship is a one-time award. An applicant may apply during any year in which he or she is enrolled full-time in school, beginning with the senior year of high school. The deadline for submitting applications is March 30th. The Scholarship Committee reviews applications and reach a decision at the end of April each year.

Please note these guidelines:

1. The applicant must be a member of FARC for at least the last 3 consecutive years.
2. The applicant will be evaluated based on criteria established by the FARC Scholarship Committee, as approved by the Board of Trustees.

Criteria include

1. Participation in cross-country and track in high school, college, and /or club races. (This includes being part of a team as manager, etc.)
2. Participation in other school or community sports and activities.
3. Academic achievements.
4. The applicant's and family's support/assistance in FARC events.
5. Letters of reference.
6. The quality of your essay.

FREEHOLD AREA RUNNING CLUB

MATTHEW STUPER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

NAME: _____ PARENT(S) NAME(S): _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____ HIGH SCHOOL: _____

Do you plan on attending college, vocational/technical school, or graduate school ?

How many years have you been a member of the Freehold Area Running Club?

1. List sports in which you participated in high school. State the level of your participation and if you earned a letter.

2. List school and community activities with the approximate number of hours/week of your involvement. Include time spent at a job.

3. List your academic accomplishments, e.g. honor roll, National Honor Society, honors, advanced placement courses, etc. in which you were involved.

4. List up to 5 FARC events for which you volunteered.

5. List FARC races you ran in the past 4 years. If you ran the winter or summer series, be specific as to how many weeks you participated.

6. Describe your family's involvement in FARC.

8. References: Include two letters of recommendation with your application. Include a letter from your guidance office stating your GPA and class rank.

9. Please describe how running or your involvement with FARC, has influenced your life to date and how you expect it to influence your life in the future. Use extra paper or the reverse of this form.

All the information I have provided is truthful and accurate.

Signature _____ Date _____

Send completed application and letters of recommendation to:

FARC Scholarship Committee

c/o Avram Shapiro

P.O. Box 4

Manalapan, NJ 07726