

RRR SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM APPLICATION

The Rockland Road Runners will award a \$1,500 scholarship, or more depending on results of fund raisers throughout the year, to one male and one female student attending Rockland high schools that sponsor track/cross country programs or are active members of the Rockland Road Runners and live in Rockland County. Scholarships will be granted in early June 2017. To be eligible, students must:

- ___ Be seniors in the 2016-2017 academic year
- ___ Participate for their school's track and/or cross country programs
- ___ Volunteer for at least one Rockland Road Runner event May 2016 – April 2017
- ___ Excel academically and plan to attend college
- ___ Demonstrate strong character and leadership qualities
- ___ Write an essay of 300 words or less stating how you would use the scholarship, what skills and qualities have you developed in high school that will benefit you in college, provide at least two examples of how you have demonstrated leadership and/or offered services to others.
- ___ Provide at least 1 letter of recommendation from a non-relative adult who interacts regularly with the student, such as a guidance counselor, teacher, coach or other authority figure.

In May 2017, the committee will invite students to an interview to determine the winner of the scholarship. Only students who fulfill the above will be considered for the interview.

NAME _____ SCHOOL _____

ADDRESS _____

PHONE # _____ E-MAIL _____

CUMULATIVE AVERAGE _____ CLASS RANK _____

TRACK/XC EVENTS CONTESTED _____

COACH/GUIDANCE COUNSELOR _____

COACH/G.C. PHONE # _____ E-MAIL _____

RRR RACES VOLUNTEERED FOR (CHECK ALL THAT APPLY):

WOMEN'S DISTANCE FESTIVAL 5K, JULY 2016

SOUTH NYACK 10-MILE RUN, SEPTEMBER 2016

THANKSGIVING DAY TURKEY TROT, NOVEMBER 2016

BILL FORTUNE 10K/5K, MARCH 2017

HOOK MOUNTAIN HALF MARATHON & 5K, APRIL 2017

As part of the selection process, you will be invited to attend an **interview session** during which we can evaluate your character and assess your qualifications for the award. The interview session, for all applicants, will take place in May 2017 at a time, date and location to be determined. To obtain updated information visit our website at www.rocklandroadrunners.org or contact us at scholarship@rocklandroadrunners.org

Please submit your completed application, essay and letter of recommendation to:

RRR Scholarship Program
P.O. Box 132
Congers, N.Y. 10920

Or Email to: scholarship@rocklandroadrunners.org

Applications must be submitted no later than **May 12, 2017**