

Guidelines for FAST ACT Scholarship

AMOUNT: \$1,000 to male and female graduating senior(s). Note: there can be multiple scholarship winners in from each gender.

Qualifying Criteria (Student(s) must meet these criteria to be considered):

- a) Student(s) must have participated in at least one season of cross country or winter or spring track during senior year of high school (unless student did not participate because of injury or illness);
- b) Student(s) must have participated in at least three seasons of cross country or winter or spring track throughout high school years;
- c) Student(s) must be planning to attend college or university the fall after high school graduation; and
- d) Student(s) must submit scholarship application.

For the purposes of scholarship criteria, "participation" means being an athlete or manager with the team.

Evaluative Criteria (Factors to be weighted in selecting scholarship recipients):

There are six factors to be weighed:

- a) Contribution to cross country, winter track and/ or spring track teams with respect to:
 1. Enthusiasm/ support for the team
 2. Individual or team accomplishments
 3. Dedication and commitment
 4. Leadership
- b) Future plans to continue with commitment to cross country and/ or track and field.
- c) Quality of application

Selection process:

Cross country and track coaches will jointly select male and female graduating senior(s) for the scholarship based on the above criteria.

History to original guidelines:

1. The original guidelines were put in place and approved on February 21, 2012. The criteria above comes directly from the original language of the guidelines put in place in 2012.
2. At some point prior to 2017-18, the scholarship was amended from \$1000 (\$500 per male and female student) to \$2000 to be split equally between a male and female student.
3. Precedence was established in 2017 by selected two male and two female scholarship recipients.
4. At some point prior between February 2012 and the fiscal years 2017-18, the FAST ACT Scholarship was renamed The Ken Keebler FAST ACT Scholarship.