The Florida Striders Track Club

2025 College Scholarship Application

Five - $1,000 Scholarships will be awarded

**Eligibility Requirements:**

* Must be a resident of Northeast Florida for the past two years.
* Must be a graduating high school senior.
* Must be a runner or active in track and field events.
* ENTRY DEADLINE: Applications must be postmarked by **March 31, 2025.**
* Please be advised that NCAA regulations may prohibit you from accepting this scholarship if you attend college/university on an athletic scholarship.

# **Personal Information**

Applicant’s Name: Click or tap here to enter text.

Address: Click or tap here to enter text.

City: Click or tap here to enter text. State: Click or tap here to enter text.

Zip:Click or tap here to enter text.

Phone: Click or tap here to enter text. E-MailClick or tap here to enter text.

High School attending: Click or tap here to enter text.

# **II. Signature**

I certify that the information on this form and provided with this application is correct. If awarded a Florida Striders Scholarship, I agree to be photographed for publication in the club’s monthly newsletter, the Clay Today, and the Florida-Times Union. I agree to return all funds awarded to me if I withdraw from school prior to completion of the next academic semester or quarter.

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Signature Date

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Signature of parent (only required if under 18 years of age) Date

# **Personal Reference**

Ask for a personal recommendation from a professional person, e.g. teacher, coach, minister, scout leader, employer, etc. **who is not related to you**. Include the recommendation letter with this application.

1. **College Information**

List all colleges to which you have applied. **Accepted**  **Attending**

 Yes No Unknown Yes No Unknown

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# **Academics**

Have your ***school counselor*** fill in the following information.

A transcript may be included with your application but is not required.

Grade Point Average: Weighted:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Unweighted: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Class Rank/Standing: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (e.g. 5th of 355)

 **Test Scores:** **SAT** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (total)

 Reading \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Math \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 **ACT**  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (composite score)

**School Counselor’s Signature** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**School Counselor’s Email** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. **Are you a member of the Florida Striders?** Yes \_\_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_\_

#  **Leadership**

 List all leadership positions you have held for school teams, clubs, scout troops, church youth groups, etc.

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7. Click or tap here to enter text. 8. Click or tap here to enter text.

9. Click or tap here to enter text. 10. Click or tap here to enter text.

 **VIII.** **Running**

List all running teams, clubs, track & field teams you have been on, letters earned, significant achievements, distances competed in, best times, road races completed, or other running related information. Please select male or female division

**Male** [ ]  **Female:** [ ]

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#  **Extracurricular Activities**

 List all activities (excluding running which should be listed in part 6) in which you have participated during high school, e.g. clubs, band, 4H, church groups, scouts, debate team, French club, etc. Include any part-time jobs & volunteer work.

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1. **Need**

Please describe how this scholarship, if awarded, would benefit you and your family.

Click or tap here to enter text.

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## **Essay**

 On a separate sheet of paper, write a 300 to 500 word essay on an aspect of your running (or track & field event) that has influenced your life, i.e. **“What Does Running Mean to Me?”**

The completed application needs to be postmarked by March 31, 2025 and includes:

 1 - FSTC College Scholarship Application (4 pages, items I through XI)

 2 – Personal Reference (Item III)

 3 – Essay about your running (Item XI)

 4 - High school transcript (desired, not required)

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 **7276 San Carlos Road**

###  Jacksonville, Fl 32217

The recipients of the 2025 FSTC College Scholarship will be announced at the beginning of May 2025.

No e-mailed applications will be accepted.

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