

THE E. J. HERRMANN SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

We are now accepting applications for the 2026-2027 E. J. Herrmann Scholarships.

For 2026-2027, the Herrmann Family may award up to \$1500.00 in scholarship money in memory of Mr. E.J. Herrmann to select student-athletes who meet the following criteria:

1. Applicants must have participated in a Varsity Race in the E. J. Herrmann Invitational.
2. Applicants must be high school seniors.
3. Applicants must be good school citizens in good academic and disciplinary standing.
4. Applicants must be involved in performing community service for a non-profit agency.
5. Applicants must be "full time" distance runners. They must have competed in Cross-Country, and Indoor Track (at distances of 800m or greater), and Outdoor Track (at distances of 800m or greater). If your school does not offer Indoor Track, runners are eligible for a Herrmann Scholarship provided they meet the other criteria.
6. Applicants must submit letters of recommendation from his/her running coach, and a teacher, and a guidance counselor or school administrator.

To apply, complete the attached form and return it postmarked no later than April 19, 2027.

Please complete all fields and print or write clearly.

Name _____

Street Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Home Telephone Number (____) _____

Email address _____

Parents'/Guardians' names _____

Coaches' names _____

School _____

Year(s) in which you competed in the E. J. Herrmann Invitational _____

Year(s) in which you competed in Cross-Country _____

Year(s) in which you competed in Indoor Track _____

Year(s) in which you competed in Outdoor Track _____

You must compose an essay in which you make references to your experiences as a distance runner and as a volunteer at a not-for-profit agency.

You must also submit sealed letters of recommendation from the following people:

- one of your running coaches
- one of your teachers
- your guidance counselor or a school administrator

The East Utica Optimist Club will announce the recipients of the 2026-2027 scholarships by May 3, 2027. Scholarship recipients will be invited to attend the May 2027 meeting of the East Utica Optimist Club where they will receive their award.

For additional information, e-mail or write to:

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