

LAUREN MADISON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship is given in memory of Lauren Madison, Uniontown Area High School Class of 2004, by her family & friends.

The individual selected shall have characteristics that mirror those possessed by Lauren. Lauren was a cheerful and loving person who was swift to help others with no expectation of recognition. She had a true passion for sports and valued being a team player. She was an intelligent, capable, and methodical person who accepted many challenges throughout her young life. She was a member of the basketball, cross country, and track and field teams. She was also a member of the National Honor Society, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, and was a Silk in the band.

This scholarship will be awarded to a graduating **female athlete** from Uniontown Area High School who exhibits leadership, unselfish service, school pride, and a genuine concern for others. The individual selected shall have a positive outlook on life, an outgoing personality, and possess a kind heart. She shall be an individual with high moral principles and values. She shall have a zest for life and service to others as exhibited by her involvement in school activities, community services, and daily interaction with others.

- The amount of the scholarship awarded shall be \$1,000.
- The female student awarded the scholarship must have participated in an interscholastic sport during her senior year at Uniontown Area Senior High School.
- She must be a graduating senior with a Grade Point Average of 3.0 or above.
- The selection will be made by a three member committee comprised of a guidance counselor, teacher, and varsity coach. Members of the review committee shall be selected by the managers of the scholarship fund.
- Applicants must be enrolled in an accredited college or university no later than the fall term following high school graduation, with the intent of obtaining a bachelor's degree. Verification of enrollment must be presented to the managers of the scholarship fund prior to the award being granted.
- The award shall be paid by check made out to both the student and the college or university the student will attend.
- An additional one time award of \$500 will be awarded if the recipient maintains a 3.0 GPA upon the completion of her freshman year in college. This award is conditional upon her completing her freshman year within 12 months of enrollment.
- The bonus amount shall be paid by check directly to the student & can be used at her discretion to offset costs related to tuition, fees, or the purchase of books. Verification of the completion of her freshman year and Grade Point Average must be presented to the managers of the fund.

Announcement of the scholarship award will be made during the annual awards assembly.

****Applications must be received by Mrs. Baker no later than April 19, 2018.**