

## SIOUX FALLS WOMEN RUN SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

## **INSTRUCTIONS FOR APPLICATION – Spring 2022**

**Sioux Falls Women Run (SFWR)** is Sioux Falls' first women's-only training team. SFWR will award college scholarships to female Sioux Falls seniors that will graduate in May or June of 2022 who have demonstrated a love for running and a commitment to the sport of running and the running community.

Criteria for SFWR's awarding of the scholarships are:

- Expected graduation in May or June from Sioux Falls metro area high schools
- Strong academic performance (GPA>3.5)
- Current good standing on her school's track or cross country team or community running club involvement.
- Evidence of past commitment to running and commitment to future running involvement.
- Active participation in extracurricular activities, volunteer work, and/or community service.
- Expected to enroll as a full-time 2 or 4-year college or university student in the fall.

The deadline for the 2021-2022 application: <u>May 1. 2022.</u> Applications received after this date will not be considered.

- Only completed applications will be considered. Do not leave items blank.
- Attach a current copy of your high school transcripts.
- Two signed letters of recommendation must be attached to this application. One letter of
  recommendation must be from a high school track or cross country coach or mentor who can
  attest to your commitment to running. The second letter of recommendation may be from a
  teacher, counselor, boss, etc. Letters of recommendation from family members will not be
  accepted.
- Consideration for any scholarship award is based on a point system including GPA, participation in extra-curricular activities, school organizations and community service. This will be a one-time award.

Please mail completed and signed application, 2 signed letters of recommendation, and a sealed current copy of your high school transcript to be received on or before May 1, 2022 in one envelope:

Jacqui Meadors ATTN: SFWR Director 5235 S Sweetbriar Court Sioux Falls, SD 57108

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Please print or clearly type your answers. Do not leave any questions blank.					
If you need extra space, write "See Attached" and attach answer to questions.					
APPLICANTINFORMATION					
Name:					
Date of Birth:	E-mail:	Phone:			
Current address:	I				
City:	State:	ZIP Code:			
Additional Contact (i.e. Parent) Name, Relationship and Phone:					
SCHOOLINFORMATION					
Current High School:					
Previous High School (if applicable):					
Current GPA:	College you plan to attend:				
Proposed College Major:					
Acceptance Status (Circle One)	Accepted	Not Yet Accepted			
HIGH SCHOOL OR CLUB TRACK/CROSS COUNTRY PARTICIPATION					
Organization or schoo	bl:				
Events competed:		Years:			
Awards, if any:					
Do you plan to particip independently)	pate in any sports after graduation or at the o	collegiate level? (Collegiate level, club,			

OTHER EXTRACURRICULARS (HIGH SCHOOL, VOLUNTEER AND COMMUNITY EVENTS)					
ORGANIZATION OR			DATES		
SCHOOL					
		HIGH SCHOOL ONLY)			
EMPLOYER	POSITION		DATES WORKED		
REFERENCES (ATTACH 2 LETTERS)					
NAME	RELATIONSHIP TO	TIME KNOWN	CONTACT INFO (PHONE		
	APPLICANT		CONTACT INFO (PHONE AND E-MAIL)		

## SCHOLARSHIP QUESTIONS:

(Additional sheets may be attached to complete answer)

1. Describe how you began running, what challenges you have faced in your running career so far, and how you have overcome those challenges.

2. How has running personally benefitted you?

3. Describe your plans to continue running after graduation.

4. How will receiving this scholarship help you?