

Howard County Striders Worley Humanitarian Award

The Howard County Striders Worley Humanitarian Award was established in memory of Aaron Worley, an avid Howard County high school runner and wrestler. Aaron also was active in coaching youth sports. When Aaron's life was claimed by leukemia in 1999 at the age of 18, this award was established to celebrate his spirit.

This annual (non-renewable) grant will be awarded to a graduating high school senior who is a resident of Howard County. Applicants should demonstrate personal participation in running activities in both high school and in extracurricular activities (clubs, road races, etc.). In addition, an applicant should be involved in community youth athletic programs, especially those involving volunteer leadership (coaching, helping, for example). Ideally, an applicant will provide a paragraph on each of the above categories of participation or involvement, plus up to two letters of recommendation (coaches or teachers, but not parents).

The selection process will be administered by the Howard County Striders, and the grant presentation will be made at the annual awards ceremony at the winning student's school.

The application must be received no later than **Thursday, April 12, 2012**.

Please send all applications to:
Howard County Striders c/o David Tripp
6175 Campfire
Columbia, MD 21045