



Joe & Sue Moore Memorial PTC Scholarship Graduating Class of 2026

The **Joe & Sue Moore Memorial PTC Scholarship** is a one-year scholarship offered by the **Peninsula Track Club** to graduating high school seniors accepted to and entering a regionally accredited college or university in a full-time program leading to an associate or baccalaureate degree. To be eligible the student *must* be a member or the dependent of a member of the **Peninsula Track Club** in the year of application *and* for the year of the award.

Scholarships are awarded based upon the scholar-athlete's achievements in high school including the following areas:

- Academics
- Extracurricular Activities
- Running
- Club Participation (Races & Volunteerism)

Achievement in the above activities will be measured by individual athletic accomplishments as well as contributions made and the degree of leadership demonstrated on a track/cross-country team and in other extracurricular activities. The Committee will place some emphasis on accomplishments and leadership activities connected with participation in running and with volunteerism and participation in PTC activities. Weighting of these accomplishments with academics will be determined at the sole discretionary judgment of the **PTC Scholarship Committee**, whose decision will be final. All submitted information will become the property of the **Peninsula Track Club** and may be used or destroyed at the discretion of the Scholarship Committee.

Awards are in an amount of *up to two-thousand dollars* (\$2,000) dependent on club fundraising and may be used for tuition, books, fees, or assessments. The award will be made payable to the institution to which the applicant will attend.

A recipient is ineligible to receive the award for any successive years.

The completed application form and supplemental documents must be *postmarked by May 26, 2026*.

These documents are:

1. Completed application form (see next page or visit www.peninsulatrackclub.com to download form).
2. High school transcript to date of submittal.
3. Two letters of recommendation:
 - One from a track/cross country coach or other athletic coach
 - One from a person of the applicant's choice
4. An essay relating the applicant's running experience to applicant's educational aspirations and his/her outlook for the future. Length – 500 to 750 words (two to three double-spaced typewritten pages).
5. Any other information the applicant feels is pertinent to the selection process.

All documents are to be assembled by the applicant and mailed under one cover to:

**Peninsula Track Club
Scholarship Committee
P.O. Box 11116
Newport News, VA 23601-9116**

Applicants will be notified by June 26, 2026 regarding the final selection. Requests for application forms, this announcement letter, or inquiries concerning the clarification of the specifications addressed herein should be sent to the Scholarship Committee Chairperson at the address provided.