

## Bill Booth Track & Field Scholarship

This \$500.00 scholarship is given in honor of Bill Booth, a 1952 graduate of Apex High School. Bill was a letterman in basketball and baseball at Apex High. He attended UNC-Chapel Hill and ran both indoor and outdoor track and field. He ran on the ACC champion mile relay team in 1955. After graduating from UNC-Chapel Hill, he served 2 years in the US Navy and returned to Apex to help run the Apex Lumber Company and raise his family. His love of Apex High stayed strong and he became the first president of the Apex Cougar Club and also served as the chairman of the first Apex Lions' Relays, which has grown into one of the largest high school track and field meets in the state.

Bill has had 3 children as well as 4 grandchildren graduate from Apex High School. He continues to attend many sporting events and in 2017 was inducted into the Apex High School/Apex Consolidated High School Hall of Fame.

The recipient of this scholarship needs to have the following requirements:

- plan to attend either a 2 or a 4 year college or university
- at least a 2 year member of the Apex High Track and Field team
- in good standing academically and athletically
- has worked hard on the track to improve and do their best
- shows a love for their community, family and friends

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

DOB: \_\_\_\_\_

GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

Years on Apex High Track Team: \_\_\_\_\_

List your track and field events: \_\_\_\_\_

List other community service activities: \_\_\_\_\_

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Write a short essay stating what your plans are after graduation and why you feel you should be awarded this scholarship. Please attach the essay to this form.

Deadline: April 12, 2019

