



## Hartford Union High School District

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Dear Potential Sponsor:

We are writing on behalf of the Hartford Union High School H-Club. The H-Club consists of student-athletes who have earned a varsity letter in one or more HUHS sports. While you are a valuable and vital part of this community, the H-Club also plays an important role. Every year our student-athletes work very hard to give back to the greater Hartford community. We have formed partnerships with the elementary and middle schools in the area; speaking at assemblies, facilitating events, and reading in the classrooms. At Thanksgiving, we sponsored a food drive and as a result were able to donate 3 van loads of food along with \$1500 to the Hartford Food Pantry. In December, we held a toy drive and collected 15 boxes of toys along with \$5000 to give to the Hartford Christmas Committee. Between Thanksgiving and Christmas our athletes spent a combined total of 90 hours ringing bells for the Salvation Army. Our H-Club members participate in these community outreach projects all while balancing the time demands of competing in a varsity sport, exceling in the classroom, and upholding the co-curricular code. The purpose of this letter is to ask for your help in rewarding these self-less student-athletes.

Each year we offer graduating seniors who have actively participated in H-Club activities, the opportunity to apply for 8 different post-secondary scholarships. On Saturday, March 16, we will be hosting the 10th Annual Shamrock Shuffle. The event consists of a 5K run/walk or a 1 mile run/walk. All proceeds from the event go directly toward the H-Club scholarship fund. This scholarship fundraiser is what allows us to reward our top student-athletes for high achievement in athletics, academics, community service, and sportsmanship. Your contribution as a sponsor for this event will ensure that we can continue to award scholarships of this kind and perhaps even offer more.

We are currently seeking race day sponsors. For \$100, we will print your name or logo on the t-shirts as well as all signs that will be displayed at registration and in the post-race hospitality room. For \$50, we will print your name or logo on the signs only. If you are willing to support our scholarship campaign by sponsoring this event, please make your donation check out to Hartford H-Club. The deadline for sponsorship is Wednesday, March 6.

Thank you for considering this request. If you have any questions, need further information, or would like to request the help of our H-Club at an upcoming event, please feel free to contact any of the people listed below. Go Orioles!

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