The Talon Club's Julie Fukui Memorial Scholarship

Background:
Julie Fukui was a committed, involved parent at Vista del Lago High School and Folsom High School, where her children participated in athletics. She passed away in the fall of 2009. Vista staff and students, along with family and members of the Folsom community, mourned her passing. Although we cannot replace her energy and kindness, the Talon Club wishes to honor her memory with two annual athletic scholarships. We wish to thank Mark Fukui, Julie's husband, for giving us permission to present these awards.

About the Scholarships:
- Two $500 scholarships — applied to post-secondary education.
- Application period—Now until **April 23, 2019**. Complete applications with all attachments must be complete by the deadline.
- There is no financial need required – these are merit based scholarships.
- Applicant must have participated in athletics at Vista for a minimum of two years (one year at varsity level). Student sport trainers are eligible.
- The minimum GPA is 3.0 (weighted, UC/CSU weighting).
- Checks will be issued upon proof of enrollment in a post-secondary school or training program.
- Applicant must be a senior at Vista del Lago High School during the 2018-19 academic year.

Application packet will include:
- Resume—including sections for academics, sports, positions held at school, work experience and community service.
- Official high school transcript.
- Essay, 250 words answering the prompt "I believe I should be considered for this award because…"
- Two letters of recommendation
  - one faculty member/supervisor
  - one coach
- Completed application.

Scholarship Recipient/Winner:
The scholarship recipients will be determined by a committee selected by and comprised of the Vista Athletic Booster/ Talon Club Board members. The scholarship winner will be announced at the Vista del Lago High School Scholarship Night on May 21, 2019 at 6 p.m in the multi. There will be two scholarship winners selected, one male and one female.