

# FACT SHEET Jim Dunn Memorial Scholarship



Jim Dunn in 2006

### **About the Fund**

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The Friends of Track and Field Fund, which awards the Jim Dunn Memorial Scholarship, was created to provide scholarship assistance to support running sports in West Virginia. Its long-term goal is to see collegiate men's running teams reinstated at West Virginia University. The annual Twilight 5-Miler, usually held in July, brings a great group of family, friends and fellow runners together to remember and honor former WVU runner Jim

Jim Dunn, who passed away in May 2007, was well known to the local Morgantown community as manager of Pizza Inn, Special Olympics coach and volunteer with many youth sports activities.

A 1972 West Virginia University graduate, Jim spent four years on WVU's storied Men's Track and Field Team under the leadership of Coach Stan Romanowski.

## **Eligibility Guidelines**

The Jim Dunn Memorial Scholarship provides two \$1,000 scholarships to West Virginia high school graduates who are regularly enrolled as undergraduate students in a four-year accredited college or university. The recipients shall have demonstrated (a) a desire to further their track and field or cross-country discipline at the college level, (b) excellence, commitment and leadership through involvement in school and community organizations and (c) high academic promise.

#### **How Can I Donate?**

The scholarship will be managed by Your Community Foundation, which will invest the funds to maximize their value. The net annual income from those investments shall constitute the amount of the scholarship award. Any individual, organization or business can make a tax-deductible contribution to the fund.

To make a donation, or to get more information, contact Your Community Foundation, P.O. Box 409, Morgantown, WV 26507. Call us at (304) 296-3433 or visit our web site at www.ycfwy.org.