

2027 MERCER COUNTY TRACK AND FIELD HALL OF FAME

George Wah



Scholarship

The Mercer County Track and Field Hall of Fame Committee will present the George Wah Memorial Scholarship, in the amount of \$1,000, to one **female** student athlete. This award will be presented at the annual Mercer County Track and Field Hall of Fame induction ceremony, which will be held at Mercer Oaks, 725 Village Rd W, West Windsor Township, NJ 08550, on Sunday, May 16, 2027. **Each head coach may nominate one senior female member of their team for consideration.**

George Wah had a very long and successful career in the Trenton public schools as a teacher, coach, supervisor, and administrator. He retired in 1994. George was a strong believer in the value of athletics in molding well-rounded youngsters. George always understood how scholarship and athletics blended together. In 1962 he led the Trenton All Star team to win the Babe Ruth League World Championship, which earned him a spot in the Baseball Hall of Fame in Cooperstown, NY. He began his career as an official in 1958. He officiated basketball, swimming, baseball, and football. He was also a member of the Eastern Association of Intercollegiate Football officials from 1967 to 1984, officiating college ball at various colleges including over 100 games at the Division I level. From 1979 to 2011 he was a track and field official and served as the assigner for the Capital Track Officials Association. In 2003, he was honored as New Jersey Boys Track-Field Official of the Year by the New Jersey Scholastic Coaches Association. He was honored again in 2009 as Football Official of the Year.

The committee is looking for candidates who demonstrate the values that George Wah possessed.

In order to be considered, all applicants must meet the following criteria:

- The applicant must be a current female senior enrolled in a Mercer County High School. The nominee must have earned a varsity letter in one or more of the following sports: Cross Country, Winter Track, or Spring Track.
- Each head coach may nominate **one** female member of their team for consideration.
- The head coach will fill out the attached form and submit it no later than **Friday, April 16, 2027.**
- The head coach may provide comments as to why their nominee is worthy of this award.

NOMINATION ~ Female
2027 GEORGE WAH MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Student Athlete Name_____

School: _____

Varsity Letter(s) Earned in: Check (X) one or more

Cross Country_____ Winter Track_____ Spring Track_____

Coach Comments (Optional):

Submit to:

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