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***Introducing The Amanda Cullinan Student-Athlete Resiliency Award***

On May 10, 2022, Amanda Cullinan, a devoted member of the Northern community, loving wife and mother of three, passed away at age 43 after a four-year battle with breast cancer. It was Amanda’s wish to create **The Amanda Cullinan Foundation**, a nonprofit 501(c)3 to fund an annual scholarship award for an exemplary college-bound student athlete at Northern Guilford High School, where two of her three children attend school and where she was a beloved lacrosse coach.

Amanda wanted the award to be given to a student athlete who has demonstrated great resiliency in the face of adversity, whether that be in the classroom, on the playing field or in life. Someone who has faced obstacles big or small and not given up, a person who has struggled but kept fighting. No one was more resilient than Amanda. This foundation and these scholarships will be a huge part of her legacy and will give all of those who love her a way to honor her inspiring life.

True to her wishes, this one-time $2,500 award will be given to one college-bound student-athlete from Northern Guilford High School who has inspired others on or off the field. To be considered for this award, you must meet the following criteria:

* Be a graduating senior at NGHS who will be attending a 4-year college in the fall.
* Play a sport at NGHS (you do *not* need to be playing a sport in college).
* Fill out and submit the application form by our deadline (May 1, 2025). It must be signed by a coach or teacher.

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**APPLICATION: THE AMANDA CULLINAN STUDENT-ATHLETE RESILIENCY AWARD**

**DEADLINE: May 1, 2025**

Student name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Student’s email address and cell phone number: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Parent’s name, email address and cell phone number: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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

Sport/s played or playing in high school: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

College attending (if still undecided, put undecided): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

List any academic, athletic or other recognitions or honors you have received: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  
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Please describe how you have shown resiliency, on or off the field, in 300 words or less (please type this portion and attach to the application):

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Nominating coach/teacher: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Signature of nominating coach/teacher: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_