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Lilly Endowment Community Scholarship

The Clinton County Community Foundation is pleased to honor the recipient of the 2016 Lilly Endowment Community Scholarship. Due to the generosity of Lilly Endowment, one Clinton County student will receive a full-tuition scholarship, required fees and a special allocation of up to \$900 per year for required books and equipment for four years of undergraduate study at any Indiana public or private nonprofit college or university. This year's recipient is **Javier Aguirre**, son of Alvaro and Gloria Aguirre.

Javier, a Frankfort High School student, was a member of National Honor Society, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, student council and HOSA, an organization that promotes careers in the medical field. He was a four-year member of the soccer team.

Javier's volunteer activities include Strides for Stacy 5K. He also volunteers to set-up and serve at community Thanksgiving and Christmas dinners, St. Mary's fish fry and FFA cookouts. As a Humane Society volunteer, he cleaned the animal cages and walked dogs. Javier's honors and awards include the all A honor roll, Superintendent's Award and Scholar Athlete Award.

He plans to attend Purdue University to study pharmacy.

For 18 years Lilly Endowment has funded the Community Scholars program for outstanding students in Indiana. The Community Foundation defined the criteria based on the Endowment's stated goal to "raise the level of educational attainment in Indiana." The criteria identified by the Foundation and used in the selection process were: scholastic achievements; school, community, and work activities; essay; financial need; potential for success; and an interview.

There were 30 qualified and eligible Clinton County students who applied for the scholarship. A committee of volunteers evaluated the applications and selected four finalists who were interviewed by the Clinton County Community Foundation Board and Scholarship Committee.

The Clinton County Community Foundation has awarded 62 scholarships and renewals from 17 funds for the 2016-17 school year. The total value of the scholarships awarded is approximately \$263,600, including the Lilly Endowment Community Scholarship.



Javier Aguirre, Clinton County's Lilly Endowment Community Scholar

Clinton County Scholarship



2016 Clinton County Scholarship Reception

Front row: Whitney Ridenour, Colten Mennen, Miranda Robertson, Jessie Blackwell, Ana Garcia, Isabel Ward, Bailey Suhre
Second row: Austin Perlee, Ashley Ferrel, Katie Crawford, Molly Newell, Javier Aguirre, David Miller
Third row: Bradley Lohsl, Mackenzie Padgett, Randall Weaver, Mallorie Humrickhouse, Judith Perez Castro, Alex Rockhold
Back row: Jaden Cornell, Haley Niemann, Jeremiah Herin, Lauren Bright, Avree Barrett



Colten Mennen, A.J. Archibald Memorial Scholarship recipient, with Jan and Tom Archibald

The **A. J. Archibald Memorial Scholarship Fund** was established by Jan and Tom Archibald, parents of A. J. Archibald, a former student at Clinton Central High School, who demonstrated good citizenship, above-average character and the ability to make his best effort to reach his potential in academics and athletic events. This fund provides scholarships for graduating seniors from Clinton Central High School who demonstrate such characteristics. The recipient is **Colten Mennen**, son of Matthew and Rita Mennen. He plans to attend Purdue University to become a wildlife biologist.



Bradley Lohsl, Bailey Trucking Company Scholarship recipient, and Karen Bogue

The **Bailey Trucking Company Scholarship Fund** provides scholarships to students who will be or are currently enrolled in a two-year, four-year or graduate degree program. The scholarship recipient is **Bradley Lohsl**. He is a 2013 graduate of Indiana University and will be pursuing a law degree.

The **Robert Brinson Scholarship Fund** provides scholarships to Clinton Central High School students attending Purdue University and are members of FFA. The recipient is **Whitney Ridenour**, daughter of Bryan and Michelle Ridenour. She plans to study wildlife biology.



Whitney Ridenour, Robert Brinson Scholarship recipient, and John Milholland

The **Jenny Butler Scholarship Fund** was established by Ralph and Mary Butler in memory of their granddaughter. This fund provides scholarships to Clinton Central High School students pursuing a career in nursing, ministry or Christian education. The recipient is **Ashley Ferrel**, daughter of Jon and Naomi Ferrel. Ashley will attend the Saint Elizabeth School of Nursing/Saint Joseph's College.

Recipients Announced



Ashley Ferrel, Jenny Butler Scholarship recipient, and John Milholland

The **Clinton Central High School Vision Scholarship Fund** provides scholarships for students graduating from Clinton Central High School. The recipients are: **Avree Barrett** is the daughter of Blaine and Lorenna Barrett. She will attend Indiana University Purdue University Indianapolis to study dental hygiene. **Lauren McDaniel** is the daughter of Delores McDaniel and Matthew McDaniel. She will attend Purdue University to study psychology. **Haley Niemann** is the daughter of Samuel and Evelyn Niemann. She will attend Butler University to study education.



Avree Barrett and Haley Niemann, Clinton Central High School Vision Scholarship recipients, and Bob Thorley

The **Clinton County Community Foundation Scholars** are the finalists in the competition for the Lilly Endowment Community Scholarship. The following are the recipients for 2016: **Jaden Cornell**, son of Phillip and Ann Cornell, is from Clinton Prairie High School. With his degree in actuarial science, Jaden plans to enter into politics. **Angelina Koliy**, daughter of Luda Koors and Igor Koliy, is from Clinton Prairie High School. She will attend Purdue University to study English. **David Miller**, son of Raymond and Teresa Miller, will be attending Purdue University to study actuarial science.



Mackenzie Padgett, Clarence Cochran Agricultural Scholarship recipient, and Pat Robertson

The **Clarence Cochran Agricultural Scholarship Fund** was established by Pat Robertson and her children in honor of her father and their grandfather. The fund provides scholarships for Clinton Central High School students who are pursuing an education in agriculture. The recipient of this award is **Mackenzie Padgett**, daughter of Lance and Juanita Padgett. She plans to attend Lincoln Land Community College to earn a degree in science. Mackenzie plans to transfer to Kansas State University to study agriculture economics.



David Miller and Jaden Cornell, Clinton County Community Foundation Scholarship recipients, and John Milholland

The **Vincent and Lois Dowden Scholarship** is awarded to Clinton Central High School graduates attending a public or private university in Indiana. The recipient is **Austin Perlee**, son of Ryan and Shelley Perlee. He will attend Ball State University to study business.

The **Anna Fudge Field and Mary S. Field Endowment Scholarship** is awarded to a Clinton County senior. The recipient is **Miranda Robertson**, daughter of Bennie and Donna Robertson, from Clinton Prairie High School. She plans to attend Indiana University to study psychology.



Austin Perlee, Vincent and Lois Dowden Scholarship recipient, and Bob Thorley

The **Louise and Robert A. Hedgcock History Essay Scholarship** recognizes student history essays written during the student's junior year at Frankfort High School. The recipients are: **Judith Perez Castro**, daughter of José Perez and Maria Castro. She will attend Wingate University to study cyber security/criminal justice. **Alex Rockhold**, son of John and Amy Rockhold. He will attend Purdue University to study engineering. **Isabel Ward**, daughter of Brenda Ward and Kevin Ward. She will attend Purdue University to study athletic training.

The **Michigantown High School Alumni Association Scholarship Fund** provides scholarships to students residing in Michigan or Warren townships. This year's recipient is **Molly Newell**, daughter of Todd and Janice Newell. She is a Clinton Central High School graduate and plans to attend Indiana University Purdue University Fort Wayne to study education.

Scholarship Recipients



Miranda Robertson, Anna Fudge Field and Mary S. Field Endowment Scholarship recipient, and Jean Beard



Isabel Ward, Alex Rockhold and Judith Perez Castro, Louise and Robert A. Hedgcock History Essay Scholarship recipients, and Lisa McGuire



Molly Newell, Michigantown High School Alumni Association Scholarship recipients, with Dixie Huffer and Pat Newton



*2016 William and Doris Mohr Scholarship Recipients
Left to right: Katie Crawford, Isabel Ward, Alex Rockhold, Jessie Blackwell, David Miller, Jaden Cornell, Lauren Bright, Ana Garcia, Mallorie Humrickhouse, Bailey Suhre and Bill Beard*

The **William and Doris Mohr Scholarship Fund** was established through the generosity of the late William and Doris Mohr. This four-year renewable scholarship is awarded to students graduating from Clinton County high schools.

Clinton Central High School recipients: **Katie Crawford**, is the daughter of John and Amy Jo Crawford. She will be attending Ball State University to study nutrition and fitness. **Bailey Suhre** is the daughter of Carolyn Suhre and the late Roger Suhre. She will be attending Ball State University to study business.

Clinton Prairie High School recipients: **Jaden Cornell** is the son of Phillip and Ann Cornell. He will be attending Purdue University to study actuarial science. **Mallorie Humrickhouse** is the daughter of Jay and Elaina Humrickhouse. She will be attending Purdue University to study actuarial science.

Frankfort High School recipients: **Ana Garcia** is the daughter of Jaime and Leticia Garcia. She will be attending Indiana University Kokomo to study nursing. **David Miller** is the son of Raymond and Teresa Miller. He will be attending Purdue University to study actuarial science. **Alex Rockhold** is the son of John and Amy Rockhold and he plans to become an electrical engineer. **Isabel Ward** is the daughter of Brenda Ward and Kevin Ward and she plans to become an occupational therapist.

Rossville High School recipients: **Jessie Blackwell** is the daughter of Ronald and Jill Blackwell. She will be attending Purdue University to study medical laboratory science. **Lauren Bright** is the daughter of Brendon and Carrie Bright. She will attend Purdue University to study pre-medicine.

NEW MEMORIALS

MEMORIAL GIFTS
July 1, 2015 - June 30, 2016

IN MEMORY OF

A. J. Archibald

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Mr. & Mrs. Max A. Avery
Mr. & Mrs. Jerry L. Barnett
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Andrew & Family, & Bobby Hurt

& Family

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Amy Mennen

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Robert T. McKinney

Ms. Nancy K. Merrill

Mr. Michael McKinney

Scholarship Recipients



Randall Weaver and Haley Niemann, Wilbur T. Rule Team Player Scholarship recipients, and Mark Rule

The **Mulberry High School Alumni Association Scholarship Fund** provides scholarships to students in Mulberry/Madison Township in Clinton County. The 2015 recipients are: **Kelsey Dunham**, daughter of Deborah Dunham. Kelsey attends Purdue University and is studying elementary education. **Kenton Little**, son of Tina Little. Kenton attends Ball State University and is studying telecommunications.



Katie Crawford, Greg A. Scofield Scholarship recipient, and Denise Scofield

The **Wilbur T. Rule Team Player Scholarship** is awarded to a Clinton Central student athlete nominated by his or her coach. The recipients are: **Haley Niemann**, daughter of Samuel and Evelyn Niemann, will be attending Butler University. **Randall Weaver**, son of Randy and Lisa Weaver, will be attending Vincennes University.



Jeremiah Herin, Barbara K. Siegfried Scholarship recipient, with Barbara and Jim Siegfried

The **Greg A. Scofield Scholarship** provides scholarships for Clinton Central High School students with preference given to students who participated in track and field sports. The recipient is **Katie Crawford**, daughter of John and Amy Jo Crawford. She plans to become a registered dietitian.



Whitney Ridenour, Strange Family Scholarship recipient, and Bob Thorley

The **Barbara K. Siegfried Scholarship** provides scholarships to Clinton Central High School graduates who will be attending Purdue University. The recipient is **Jeremiah Herin**, son of Dwight and Lydia Herin. He will study engineering.



Jeremiah Herin, J. Allen Wyrick Memorial Scholarship recipient, and Marjorie Wyrick

The **Strange Family Scholarship** provides scholarships for Clinton Central High School graduates who will be attending Purdue University and pursuing an education in agriculture or technology. The recipient is **Whitney Ridenour**, daughter of Bryan and Michelle Ridenour. She plans to become a wildlife biologist.

The **J. Allen Wyrick Memorial Scholarship Fund** was established by Mrs. Marjorie Wyrick in memory of her husband. The scholarship provides tuition assistance to Clinton Central High School students majoring in agriculture, engineering or technology at Purdue University. The recipient is **Jeremiah Herin**, son of Dwight and Lydia Herin. He would like own his own construction firm.

NEW MEMORIALS

Karen Miller

Anonymous
Mr. & Mrs. Lester Bergum Jr.
Hilda & Kevin Burns
Mr. & Mrs. Joe C. Doan
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The Farmers Bank
Ms. Dorothy T. Pilley
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Joseph Kendrick Ransom

Mr. & Mrs. Tom Ransom
Mr. & Mrs. Rawl Ransom
Mr. & Mrs. Jack W. Ransom

Greg Scofield

Ms. Ramona M. Skertich

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Mr. & Mrs. Gary Kersey

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Mr. & Mrs. Steve Neal
Mr. & Mrs. Harold Robinson
Ms. Kalyn Rose
Ms. Karen Stegemiller
Ms. Marjorie A. Stein
Ronald & Jane Yohe & Bruce & Pam Black

Jean Stonehill

Mr. & Mrs. Tom Ransom

Nancy Swem

Mr. & Mrs. Greg A. McQuinn

John Webb

Ms. Selma Ridenour

Joanne Weston

Mr. & Mrs. Robert C. Sharp

Scholarship Program Gifting

Scholarship programs need your support.

Invest in the youth of our county through a gift to a scholarship fund.

While there are many scholarships listed in this newsletter, each year we have to say no to many worthy students who need assistance, simply because we do not have enough money in our scholarship funds. In addition to increasing the number of scholarships available, we have a critical need to be able to increase the

monetary value to keep up with the inflation of college costs. Many students have a need for financial support beyond the freshman year, but most of our awards are not renewable. Your help is needed!

To make a tax deductible contribution to one of the scholarship funds listed in this brochure or to the Community Foundation

Scholarship Fund, please clip the form below and return it with your check to: Clinton County Community Foundation, 215 W. Sycamore St., Kokomo, IN 46901. To make a gift of stock, real estate, life insurance, gift annuities, and charitable trusts, call us at (800) 964-0508 or e-mail info@cfclinton.org.



Name: _____ Name of Scholarship Fund: _____

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If you would like to make your gift in honor or in memory of a special person or event, we will send a gift card to the person you designate to acknowledge the tribute.

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