



Marshall Community
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Marshall Community Credit Union Awards \$8000 in Scholarships!

Marshall Community Credit Union recently awarded eight scholarships of \$1,000 each to college-bound credit union members. MCCU's scholarships are awarded to students in recognition of their academic performance, extracurricular activities, community service and leadership. Recipients of the scholarship for the 2017-2018 school year are: **Gabriel Avery** (Homer High School), **Alyssa Crandall** (Harper Creek High School), **Andrew Coates** (Marshall High School), **Wade Foster** (Marshall High School), **Ariana Johnson** (Marshall High School), **Mark Lang** (Marshall High School), **Stephanie Leugers** (Pennfield High School), and **William Rayner** (Marshall High School).

"On behalf of the scholarship committee, congratulations to the recipients of this year's scholarship! It is so important to acknowledge students not only for their academic merits, but also for their community involvement and leadership skills. I am proud to be a part of an organization that continuously supports the educational goals of students within our communities," said Andrea Tucker, MCCU Financial Education Coordinator and Scholarship Committee member.

Recipients and their families were recognized during the credit union's Annual Meeting that was held at the Battle Creek office on Friday, April 20th. In addition to recognizing the students, MCCU's COO, Corrie Rozell, prepared a short speech where she explained how the scholarship program came to be and why offering the program was important to the credit union. "Teaching people about money and helping them better manage it is at the heart of what we do as a credit union. Through our CU In School program, we offer student run credit union branches at ten area schools, along with financial classroom presentations, credit union tours, Dollar's for A's program, teacher assistance and most recently, scholarships for graduating seniors." Rozell went on to say, "Awarding scholarships to deserving young men and women, who are the future leaders of our communities, is an extension of our core mission and one of the wisest investments we can make."

2018 marked the fifth year that MCCU offered the scholarships, and plans are already underway to again offer scholarship for graduating 2019 seniors.

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