

The Patrick W. Stauffer Memorial Scholarship Award

This scholarship award is in loving memory of Patrick W. Stauffer. Patrick was a 1991 graduate of Muncy High School where he saw success as a member of the first Odyssey of the Mind team to go to World's Competition at the University of Iowa. He was a member of the National Honor Society, Spanish Honor Society, Baseball Team, Yearbook Staff, and Theatre Club. His performance in "South Pacific" as an officer gave insight into his well-rounded capability. He was always willing to help others throughout his lifetime and was remembered by his patients for his extensive care of them as a Physical Therapist.

Patrick attended the University of Delaware where he was initially accepted into the Chemical Engineering Program but during his sophomore year suffered an injury that changed the course of his interest to physical therapy. He graduated in 1995 with a degree in Biology and then pursued his degree in Physical Therapy. He graduated from the University of Delaware in 1998 with that degree.

His career as a Physical Therapist kept him in the Newark, Delaware area where he was employed by the Dynamic Physical Therapy Group for 11 years. His wife Elizabeth, a native of Delaware, and he had been married 9 years at his passing.

Patrick Stauffer valued his family and friends in the Muncy area. His younger brother Brent and he shared many friends and great memories of their days growing up in the Muncy community. Visits back to the area consisted of valued time with friends and family. Muncy continued to be a place of solace for him.

A trusted friend, bright and caring man was laid to rest April 2010. This scholarship award will help a graduating senior extend the memory and purpose of Patrick W. Stauffer.

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The Patrick W. Stauffer scholarship was established by Patrick's family to honor a man who exemplified hard work, selflessness, and genuine concern for the welfare of others. It is their desire to reward a Muncy High School senior who embodies these same characteristics with a scholarship to assist with higher education and to perpetuate the memory of Patrick and the commitment he held to his family, community and the field of Health Sciences.

Eligibility Criteria

To be eligible for this award the following criteria must be met:

1. A graduating senior from Muncy Jr./Sr. High School who will be attending a college to further his/her education in the field of Health Sciences.
2. A good citizen whose spirit exemplifies a concern for others, good moral character, and a proven commitment to helping others.
3. Have need of financial assistance to attend college of choice.

Support Documentation

1. This completed Application Form
2. One page essay addressing why the candidate believes he/she is deserving of this award.
3. Statement of financial need

Submission of Candidates

Candidates must submit all materials by **April 10, 2026** to senior counselor in the Muncy High School Guidance Office.

Name _____

College/University Attending _____

Approximate Percentage of Tuition Not Already Covered _____

Please attach a one page essay to this form discussing why you believe, based on the eligibility criteria for this award, you are a deserving recipient. Please do not put your name anywhere on the attached essay.