



Teton County Scholarship Program

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Teton County Scholarship Program Celebrates Class of 2021 with more than \$700,000 in Scholarships

Jackson, Wyoming—The Teton County Scholarship Program (TCSP) is pleased to announce its 2021 winners. This year, 125 students from across Teton County applied for 219 scholarships sponsored by generous local donors. A total of \$704,300 is being awarded to Teton County high school seniors.

Dr. Gillian Chapman, Superintendent of Teton County School District #1, said, “Thanks to the generosity of our community, students can take the next steps knowing that we are all supporting them each step of the way. These scholarships make a difference for our students being able to dream big and go far. Thank you to our generous community for believing in the futures of these scholars!”

The Teton County Scholarship Program is administered by the Fund for Public Education and the Community Foundation of Jackson Hole in partnership with TCSD#1. It is open to all graduating seniors in Teton County, including home-schooled students.

“The Teton County Scholarship Program continues to grow, and we're so very proud of the way its donors and partners have stepped up to ensure that every child in our community has the best possible chance of funding for a bright future,” remarked Jennifer Jellen, Fund for Public Education Executive Director. “Whether a student is attending a two-year college, a trade school, or a four-year university, TCSP awards change lives for the better. Huge thanks to everyone who makes this program possible, and to the students who inspire us all.”

Sixty-six donors came together to provide the funding for these scholarships, which range from money for books and travel, to full coverage of tuition and housing. The scholarships also recognize the many different achievements of local students, ensuring that everyone has a chance for funding. “We want every student to have the support needed to reach their goals,” Jellen said. The 2021 scholarship awards celebrate achievements ranging from athletics and academics to volunteerism, community service, and students’ ability to overcome life’s biggest challenges.

“The Community Foundation of Jackson Hole is so grateful for this effective and important partnership and is committed to the bright futures of the graduates of the Class of 2021. We believe in the power of support at the right time,” said Laurie Andrews, President of the Community Foundation of Jackson Hole. “We applaud all that these seniors have accomplished over the past four years and wish them the best as they spread their wings.”

With COVID-19 concerns still at the forefront, the annual Scholarship Night event at Jackson Hole High School was cancelled, but the award winners will still be celebrated. A full list of Teton County scholarship winners will be featured in the May 5th edition of the Jackson Hole News & Guide.

To learn more about Teton County Scholarship Program please visit:
fundforpubliceducation.org/scholarships or call 307-732-9414.

2021 Teton County Scholarship Program Awards

Allan D. Owens Memorial Scholarship (sponsored by Owens Orthodontics and Owens Family Dentistry)
Jack Henderson

Alpine Community Scholarship (sponsored by the Alpine Jubilee and the Town of Alpine)
Madison Doering

Alvis Forbes Memorial Scholarship (sponsored by the family of Dr. Alvis Forbes)
John Brown
Melany Perez Pluma

American Legion Post of Jackson Hole Scholarship (sponsored by American Legion Post 43)
John Brown
Kinzie Castagno
Zoe Crisp
Faye Kudar
Melissa Kussy
Skyler LaRosa
Brooke McGough
Braidyn McGough

Archie and Lois (Kemper) Jurich Family Scholarship (sponsored by the Kemper Jurich Family)
Melissa Kussy

Bank of Jackson Hole Arts Scholarship (sponsored by Bank of Jackson Hole)
1st Place: Tilli Rossetti
2nd Place: Parker Smith
3rd Place: Selah Hunter

Bill Holda Memorial Scholarship (sponsored by the Moran Volunteer Firefighters Association)

Kinzie Castagno

Skyler LaRosa

Billy Frank Memorial Scholarship (sponsored by the Frank Family)

Leo Harland

Lillian Lonneker

Kristina MacLeod

Chloe Stines

Emma Watkins

Sara White

Billy Frank Memorial Speech and Debate Award (sponsored by an Anonymous Donor)

Joshua Hansen

Preston Harmon

Buffalo Valley Scholarship (sponsored by Buffalo Valley Scholarship Fund)

Kinzie Castagno

Charles Reid Schouboe Memorial Scholarship (sponsored by the Schouboe Family)

Jacob Bentlage

The Club at 3 Creek Scholarship (sponsored by The Club at 3 Creek)

Lezly Diaz Morillon

Trey Dykeman

Ashlyn Funk

Aleimi Garcia-Briones

Emma Genzer

Joshua Hansen

Leo Harland

Ally Hubbs

Selah Hunter

Skyler LaRosa

Joshua Machuca-Gonzalez

Olivia McCandless

Martha Olson

Olivia Roberts

Parker Smith

Madeline Webb

The Club at 3 Creek Employee Scholarship (sponsored by The Club at 3 Creek)

Thomas Berner

Rowan Bruno

Jueliet Menolascino

Melany Perez Pluma

Crimestoppers Scholarship (sponsored by Jackson Hole Crimestoppers)

Brooke McGough

Jan Brian Stone

Davey Jackson Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution Scholarship (sponsored by The Davey Jackson Chapter of DAR)

1st Place: John Brown

2nd Place: Tilli Rossetti

3rd Place: Chloe Stines

4th place: Brooklyn McCooey

Citizenship Award: Annika Peacock (please verify space between colon and Annika in ad)

Delta Kappa Gamma - Chi Chapter Scholarship (sponsored by the Chi Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma)

Kinzie Castagno

Annika Peacock

EAA Young Eagles Flight Scholarship (sponsored by the Experimental Aviation Association Teton Chapter 1049)

Perrin Hunt

Matthew McGrath

Erin's Fund Scholarship (sponsored by Christine Goodman & Richard Muzzy)

Jonathan Bedolla-Jensen

Guadalupe de Jesus Ramos

Kara Rubio

First in Family Jackson Hole Scholarship (sponsored by First in Family Jackson Hole Scholarship Fund)

Madisen Dunne

Estrella Galicia-Flores

Joshua Machuca-Gonzalez

Alexander Perez-Leon

Rafael Silva Magana

Frank Johnson Memorial National History Day Fund (sponsored by the Jackson Hole Historical Society and the Teton County Historic Preservation Board)

Benefits the National History Day teams of Jackson Hole Middle School and Jackson Hole High School

Geologists of Jackson Hole Earth Science Scholarship (sponsored by Geologists of Jackson Hole)

Leo Harland

Girls Actively Participating (GAP!) Scholarship (sponsored by GAP!)

Cecilia Garcia

Emma Genzer

Skyler LaRosa

Kara Rubio

Grand Teton Lodge Company Conservation Scholarship (sponsored by Grand Teton Lodge Company)

Jack Henderson

Skyler LaRosa

Grand Teton Lodge Company Chef Robert Walton Memorial Scholarship (sponsored by Grand Teton Lodge Company)

Andrea Segura

Grand Teton Lodge Company GTNP, Moran, and Buffalo Valley Scholarship (sponsored by Grand Teton Lodge Company)

Kinzie Castagno

Hawtin Jorgensen Architects Scholarship (sponsored by Hawtin Jorgensen)

Alexandra Mellado

Jackson Hole Breakfast Rotary Club Scholarships (sponsored by Jackson Hole Breakfast Rotary Club)

Jacob Bentlage
Madison Doering
Karla Gutierrez
Jacob Martinez
Alexandra Mellado
Yahir Perez Garcia

Jackson District Boy Scout Scholarship (sponsored by the Jackson District of Boy Scouts of America)

Pete Cook
Thomas Salerno

Jackson Firefighters Association Scholarship (sponsored by the Jackson Firefighters Association)

Leo Harland
Rory Sullivan

Jackson Hole Performing Arts Scholarship (sponsored by the Jackson Hole Performing Arts Scholarship Fund)

Annika Peacock

Jackson Hole Jewish Community “Tikkun Olam” Scholarship (sponsored by the Jackson Hole Jewish Community)

Olivia Roberts

Jackson Hole Mountain Resort Scholarship (sponsored by Jackson Hole Mountain Resort)

Maxwell Dunlop
Skye Eddy
Ashley Hovinga
Benjamin Kohler
Kristina MacLeod
Yael Sangros

Jackson Hole Ski Patrol Memorial Scholarship (sponsored by the Jackson Hole Ski Patrol Memorial Scholarship Fund)

Yostin Delgado
Skye Eddy
Wyley Menolascino
Martha Olson
Annika Peacock
Dorothy Sinclair
Chloe Stines
Riggs Turner

Jackson PFLAG Scholarship (sponsored by PFLAG of Jackson Hole)

Aleimi Garcia-Briones

James W. Edwards Memorial Scholarship (sponsored by Owens Orthodontics and Owens Family Dentistry)

Faye Kudar

John Bernadyn Memorial Scholarship (sponsored by the estate of John Bernadyn)

Jonathan Bedolla-Jensen
Leo Harland
Benjamin Kohler

Kristina MacLeod

Joint Effort Physical Therapy Scholarship (sponsored by Joint Effort Physical Therapy)

Madisen Dunne

Latina Leadership Scholarship (sponsored by the Fund for Public Education)

Lezly Diaz Morillon

Britney Maldonado

Melanie Tenopala-Mejia

Levi Dowell Memorial Scholarship (sponsored by Anonymous Donors)

Connor Weekes

Mariana Batson Augé Memorial Scholarship (sponsored by the Batson and Wheeler Families)

Melanie Tenopala-Mejia

Maysie Reach Memorial Scholarship (sponsored by the Jackson Hole Chamber of Commerce)

Lezly Diaz Morillon

NMWA Art Leadership Scholarship in Honor of the Memory of Dick Jennings (sponsored by the National Museum of Wildlife Art)

Lucinda Harger

Nelson Engineering Scholarship (sponsored by Nelson Engineering)

Rafael Silva Magana

Order of the Eastern Star Chapter 50 Youth Scholarship (sponsored by Order of the Eastern Star Chapter #50)

Valerie Stevenson

Patricia Boda Memorial Scholarship (sponsored by St. John's Health Foundation)

Ashlyn Funk

Julia Mahood

Peer Advocate Scholarship (sponsored by Community Safety Network)

Martha Olson

Rotary Club of Jackson Hole Foundation Scholarships (sponsored by the Rotary Lunch Club)

Jonathan Bedolla-Jensen

Jeremiah Bressler

John Brown

Kinzie Castagno

Hyla Chatham

Pete Cook

Zoe Crisp

Lezly Diaz Morillon

Madisen Dunne

Ashlyn Fadala

Ashlyn Funk

Aleimi Garcia-Briones

Emma Genzer

Brielle Griggs

Lucinda Harger

Leo Harland

Preston Harmon

Ashley Hovinga
Melissa Kussy
Luke Landino
Skyler LaRosa
Kristina MacLeod
Matthew McGrath
Alexandra Mellado
Martha Olson
Annika Peacock
Yahir Perez Garcia
Olivia Roberts
Tilli Rossetti
Kara Rubio
Thomas Salerno
Ally Smith
Parker Smith
Chloe Stines
Madeline Webb
Sara White

Soroptimist International of Jackson Hole Scholarship (sponsored by Soroptimist International of Jackson Hole)

Kinzie Castagno
Madisen Dunne
Chloe Stines

Summit Innovations School Scholarship (sponsored by the Fund for Public Education)

Jonathan Bedolla-Jensen
Nimcy Delgado-Ramos
Kara Rubio

Ted Jonke Memorial Soccer Scholarship (sponsored by the Jonke Family)

Zoe Crisp
Leo Harland

Teton Board of Realtors®/Multiple Listing Service Scholarships (sponsored by the Teton Board of Realtors®/Multiple Listing Service)

Kinzie Castagno
Skyler LaRosa

Teton County Commissioners State Funded Scholarships (sponsored by the State of Wyoming and the Teton County Board of Commissioners)

Jonathan Bedolla-Jensen
Kinzie Castagno
Emma Genzer

Teton County Commissioners Continuing Education Scholarships (sponsored by Teton County and the Teton County Board of Commissioners)

Lezly Diaz Morillon
Ashlyn Fadala
Ally Smith

Teton County Commissioners State Funded Scholarship Renewal Award (sponsored by the State of Wyoming and the Teton County Board of Commissioners)

Heather Budge

Teton County Scholarship Program Achievement Award (sponsored by the Fund for Public Education, Community Foundation of Jackson Hole and Buffalo Valley Scholarship Fund)

Max Anselmi
Ellie Armstrong
Abrianna Bardman
Melany Bedolla
John Branca
Gavin Brunner
Natali Campillo
Mitchell Carter
Jacob Coosaia
Jacob Crabtree
Kyle Cranston
Bennett Delaney
Neo Emery
Cooper Eva
Estrella Galicia-Flores
Daniela Garcia
Andy Garcia
Eduardo Garcia Ramos
Nevin Griber
Mia Haws
Henry Hershock
Elizabeth Jensen
Jacob Johnson
Daniel Kim
Matthew Lamb
Charlotte Lee
Nohemi Lopez
John Love
Luka Mendes
Sophie Morgan
Gibson Moseley
Naomy Munguia
Emma Nielsen
Kevin Padilla Chapeton
Alexander Perez-Leon
Sophie Porter
Jorge Rivera
Shane Roehrig
Kendall Seaton
Dillon Smith
Joanna Smits
Maria Belen Sosa Perez
Stevie Taylor

Teton County Social Services Scholarship (sponsored by Curran-Seeley Foundation, Jackson Hole Community Counseling Center, and Teton Youth and Family Services)

Lucinda Harger
Faye Kudar

Teton Pines Employee Scholarship (sponsored by Teton Pines Country Club)

John Brown
Luke Kitchen
Benjamin Kohler

Sofia Nolan
Melany Perez Pluma

Teton Trail Runners TZ Memorial Scholarship (sponsored by Teton Trail Runners)
Parker Smith

Von Gontard Memorial Scholarship (sponsored by the Von Gontard Family)
Emmit Ross

Y2 Consultants STEM Scholarship (sponsored by Y2 Consultants)
Skyler LaRosa
Kristina MacLeod

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