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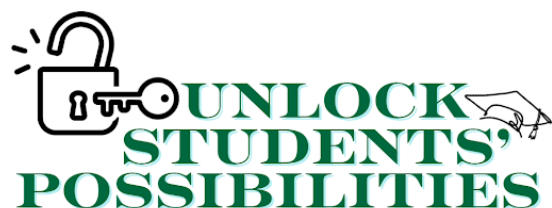


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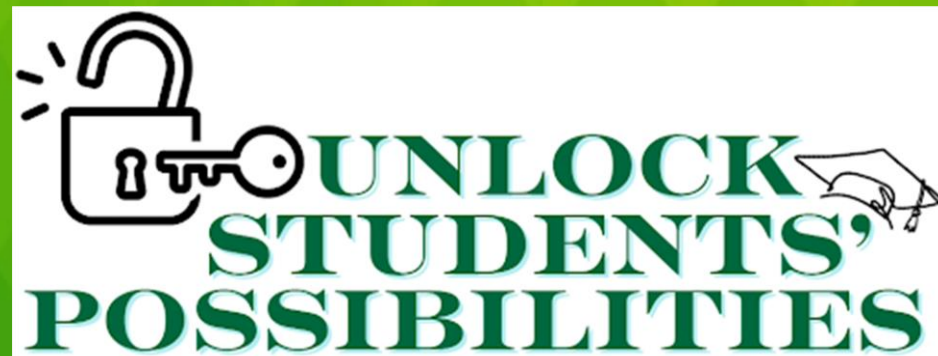
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2025 Scholarship Reception

Thursday, April 10, 2025
Founder's Hall – Sauder Village



2025 NSCC Foundation Scholarship Awards Reception

Thursday, April 10, 2025

Welcome.....	Dr. Todd Hernandez, NSCC President
Introduction & Donor Perspective.....	Jackie Schlachter-Flores, 1995 Alumni HR Director, Wieland Chase
Award Presentation.....	Mike Jacobs, Career Services & Activities Coordinator
Student Perspective.....	Tiffany Kern

Scholarship Awards

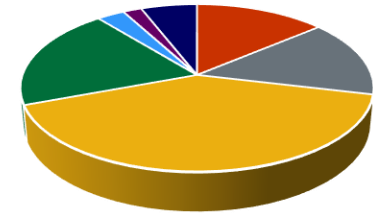
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Allan Ohlrich Scholarship	Brayden Barrett, Heather King		
<i>Donor Representatives</i>			
Allied Moulded Products, Inc. Scholarship	Ryelee Collins, Carissa Stuber		
<i>Donor Representative, Sandie Baker</i>			
Archbold Rotary Club Scholarship	Brielle Baker		
<i>Donor Representative, Troy Armstrong</i>			
Arrow Tru-Line, Inc. President's Scholarship	Emma Barraco, Calib Brashear		
<i>Donor Representatives, Lisa Barraco & Justin Brashear</i>			
Blue Harvest Solar Scholarship	Jeremy Durdal, Morghin Walters		
<i>Donor Representative, Todd Hernandez</i>			
Francis O. Fackler Scholarship (Part I)			
<i>Donor Representatives, Renee Bostelman, Ty Otto, Cassie Rickenberg, Jason Rickenberg</i>			
Izack Badenhop	Sophia Cohrs	Stacey Faler	Taylor Harman
Mona Bejarano	Macy Creps	Jasmine Fulton	Chelsea Harper
Brock Bockelman	Danielle Cummins	Zach Gerken	Gregorio Hernandez
Brylee Bressler	Shane Deblin	Roy Glass	Sophia Herndon
Hannah Brubaker	Ryan Delgado	Connor Glisson	Jacob Herold
John Bustos	Johnny Edwards	Kassandra Granados	Taylyn Herschberg
Ava Carrizales	Abigail Elders	Rose Greenlaw	Kishwa Jenkins
Susy Castro Martinez	Joann Elston	Derek Gribler	Madeline King
Carol L. Engel Scholarship	Brandi Galbraith, Melinda McClure, Kacie Wolf		
<i>Donor Representatives, Tim & Roz Kline</i>			
Clapp Family Scholarship	Kassandra Granados		
<i>Donors, Dennis & Mary Clapp</i>			
County North Foundation Scholarship	Dylan Buck, Shawna Coon, Michael Firestone,		
<i>Donor Representative, Doug Bernath</i>		Macy Miller, Tehya Mills, Gwen Oxender	
F&M State Bank Scholarship	Erika Fetterman		
<i>Donor Representatives, Lars Eller & Katrina DeGroff</i>			
Mike Faber Family Scholarship	Derek Guerra		
<i>Donor Representative, Darline Clemens</i>			
David R. Rand Memorial Scholarship	Levi Tilse		
<i>Donor</i>			

Scholarship Statistics 2025 - 26

Number of Foundation scholarships awarded	440
Percentage of students who applied & received a scholarship	54%
Full-time students receiving a scholarship	243
Part-time students receiving a scholarship	123
Receiving a Scholarship:	
Males: 30%	Females: 70%

County Breakdown of Awarded Students

Defiance	22%
Fulton	23%
Henry	20%
Williams	23%
Paulding	6%
Van Wert	2%
Other	4%



Defiance
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Paulding
Van Wert
Other

In 2024

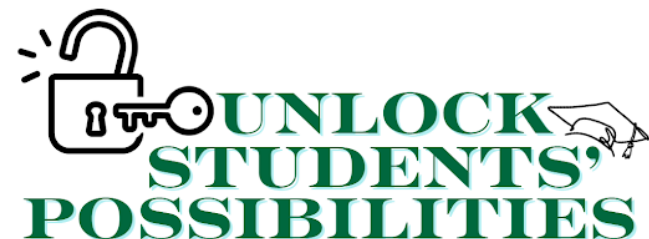
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Philip R. McCartney Memorial Scholarship.....Anahi Alcantar

Donor Representative, Suzanne McCartney Bever

Ricky Roell Nursing Scholarship..... Brandy Porter, Kassidy Rush,

Donor Representative, Emily Riegsecker Summer Strawser

Rufenacht Family Scholarship.....Lily Wiemken

Donor Representatives, Jim & Linda Rufenacht

Ruth Camp & Joann Ohman LPN Scholarship.....Amanda Brock, Jaycea Craven

Donor Representative, Melanie Hicks Lilly McMillen, Dena Moor

NSCC Changing Lives Scholarship (Part IV)

Donor Representatives, Doug Bernath, Adam Freels, Lynn Kinsman, Kim Kinsman

Logan Seibert	Deeanna Snider	Marah Torres	Kenzie Wirth
Emily Serrano	Chloe Spisak	Brooke Trowbridge	Gracie Wolf
Kallie Shadbolt	Dusti Stafford	Clare Tussing	Amanda Wolfrum
Aysha Shade	Kasandra Steele	Kristin Wannemacher	Krista Wright
Caydence Shull	Marin Steele	Colleen Ward	Sauna Wright
Scarlette Slattman	Chasity Stone	Paige Weber	Laynee Wright
Samantha Smith	Mason Thomas	Olivia Whitlock	Taylor Zehr
Jocelynn Smith	Rylee Tietje	Heaven Whitlock	

Santiago Family Scholarship.....Brandi Freestone

Donor, Shelia Santiago-Leschinski

Spangler Candy Company Scholarship.....Laney Ridgway

Donor

NW Ohio Territory Chapter SAR Book Scholarship..... Amanda Brock

Donor Representative, David Lupien

Steven Walker Family Scholarship.....Kaila Green, Machel VanDusen

Donor Representative, Jacob Pignartaro

Swanton American Legion Scholarship.....Jacob Eisel

Donor, John Schmidt

Weeks Family Pilgrim Scholarship.....Lucas Jones

Donors, Nathan & Lori Weeks

Timber Road Solar Scholarship.....Ryelee Collins, Ryan Walker

Donor Representative, Todd Hernandez

Toledo Edison Company Academic Scholarship..... Jennifer Garcia, Austin Tomaszewski

Donor Representative, Jackie Schlachter-Flores

Troy Richey Scholarship.....Amanda Fleetwood, Nanci Waterson,

Donor Representatives, Ken & Claudia Schneider Christopher Yagel

Van Poppel Family Scholarship..... Zach Gerken, Chelsea Harper, Maryah Haskins,

Donors, Patty Luther, Angela Van Poppel Konrad Hawkins, Marah Mason, Haley Stephens

Van Wert & Paulding Scholarship

Donor Representatives, Scott Mull & Jon Tomlinson

Julieana Biliti	Mckenzie Bohner	Dakota Diaz	Noah Doctor	Makaya Dunning
Kelsey Guyton	Destiny Icenhower	Clayton Proffitt	Sarah Vogt	Julio Yates

Williams County 40 & 8 Nursing Scholarship..... Lindsey Hoffman

Donor Representatives, Marvin & Kay Gearhart

NSCC Changing Lives Scholarship (Part I)

Donor Representatives, Doug Bernath, Adam Freels, Lynn Kinsman, Kim Kinsman

Brianna Allen	Tayler Bleikamp	Mckayla Chapman	Mary Dinius
Emma Annshensley	Kylerr Bronson	Madison Chastain	Brad Drew
Jessica Ashbaugh-Carnahan	Krystina Bryant	Brady Clark	Alyssa Dysinger
Sierra Bair	Chase Budd	Andrea Clay	Isabelle Eckhart
Avery Baldwin	Kameron Burkhart	Raina Cox	Madison Eicher
Madison Barnhart	Sonia Campos	Adilyn Crawford	Tyler Fejes
Dalton Bauer	Corinne Cape	Nashville Darden	Jacob Fisher
Aubree Benschoter	Aiden Casterline	Jamie Davis	Kennedy Fitzenreiter
Lucy Bernal	Isabelle Castillo		

Defiance Rotary Club Foundation Scholarship.....Dakwon Brooks, Jack Kost

Donor Representatives, Darline Clemens, Bill Duerk, Kandace Potts-Salaz Lindsay Stumbo

Entrepreneur Scholarship.....Tirzah Rupp, Machel Vandusen

Donor Representative, Albert Lewis Jr.

Futures Scholarship.....Jenna Frisby, Matthew Nichols

Donor Representative, Albert Lewis Jr

Frederick & Ileen Strobel Scholarship..... Ashton Dick, Melissa French

Donor Representatives, Laurie & Terry Rohlf Payton Mauk

William L. Beck Scholarship..... Madisyn Felix, Lacey Felix

Donor Representative, Nathan Weeks

Scholarship Profile

Marie & Troy Richey Scholarship's

Marie Richey was a Certified Professional Secretary and was a member of the National Secretaries Association. In a speech she gave when she was awarded her CPS rating she stated that: "Success is having the courage to meet failure without being defeated. It is refusing to let present loss interfere with your long-range goal. Success is accepting the challenge of the difficult."

Marie was the executive secretary for many years to the plant manager of Campbell Soup company. The Marie Richey CPS Scholarship was started in 1999 by her husband Troy Richey.

Troy Richey was a graduate of the University of Toledo in 1958 with a Bachelor's of Science degree in Chemistry. He was a U.S. Army Veteran of WWII. In his retirement he spent time volunteering and in service to the Napoleon community. He was a great friend to Northwest State Foundation and was a faithful donor to the Marie Richey Scholarship which he established in the memory of his beloved wife. The Troy Richey Scholarship was started in 2016 by his family.

Troy & Marie were married for 47 years. Troy's only claim to fame he states: "Was the day he married Marie."



Marie & Troy Richey



NSCC Changing Lives Scholarship – Fulton County

Donor Representatives, Troy Armstrong, Tim & Suzanne Dennis, Kevin Whitlock, Larry Zimmerman

Jane Pearl Buckenmeyer	Hailie Hahn	Jael Michelson	Natalie Stevens
Grace Calvin	Britney Jones	Marisa Morris	Spencer Taynor-Goodsite
Charles Coffelt	Kyra Kreiner	Rebecca Sanchez	Madison Tilley
Mary Daugherty	Lola Lavinder	Kylie Siler	Haylee Valentine
Troy DeCant	Hunter Linton	Esmeralda Silva Barron	Emily Vandenberghe
Jacob Eisel	Jeremiah Mermer	Arturo Solis	Carson Wyse

Lois E. Koch Nursing Scholarship..... Karena Stahl

Donor Representative, Jon Tomlinson

Ida Mae Geiger Scholarship..... Haley Stephens, Violet Thomas

Donor Representative, Tammy Meyer

Gene Haas Scholarship..... Jacob Baker, Josiah Burks, Sebastian Chavez,

Donor Representative, Lana Snider Cody Hammersmith, Bryan Kyger, Bryce Tressler

Francis O. Fackler Scholarship (Part II)

Donor Representatives, Renee Bostelman, Ty Otto, Cassie Rickenberg, Jason Rickenberg

Kristi Leaders	Espn Paxton	Justin Schwable	Miya Weber
Alana Leone-Bryan	Catherine Paxton	Destiny Shanks	Owen Weirich
Leah Menzie	Tabetha Pedraza	Abigail Smith	Maryja Westrick
Mackenzie Meyer	Tobin Pieracini	Alyssia Smith	Landin Wiechers
Nash Meyer	Christopher Queisser	Karleigh Sonnenberg	Trey Woods
Kathryn Mohler	Allison Salmi	Pamela Stephey	Lydia Wyse
Douglas Nienberg	Danelle Sassaman	Mark Vajen	Zair Zachrich
Barbra Parker	Addison Schwab	Nikole Vold	

George Isaac Business Scholarship.....Dawn Davis, Tiffany Kern

Donor Representative, Adam Freels

Marion Isaac Scholarship..... Alexa Garcia, Tirzah Rupp

Donor Representative, Adam Freels

Jack & Vivian Taylor Scholarship..... Chastity Brehm, Jody Henshaw,

Donor Representative, Adam Freels Ingrid Hoffman

Jean Cox Nursing Scholarship..... Elayne Dunno, Kendra Shafer

Donor Representative, Melanie Hicks

Moe & Judy Brubaker Scholarship.....Brianna Casiano, Marisa Morris

Donor Representative, Darline Clemens

Marolyn Jones Memorial/APICS Scholarship..... Laura Arquette

Donor Representative, Todd Hernandez

NSCC Alumni Association Legacy Scholarship..... Vanessa Graber, Abigail Wonderly

Donor Representative, Ron Coles

Laurie Storrer Memorial Scholarship..... Caleb Null

Donor Representatives, Steve Storrer, Tim & Roz Kline

Lynn & Nancy Elston Family Scholarship..... Gwen Oxender, Ava Van Auken

Donors, Lynn & Nancy Elston

NSCC Changing Lives Scholarship (Part II)

Donor Representatives, Doug Bernath, Adam Freels, Lynn Kinsman, Kim Kinsman

Shyla Flynn	Haley Guy	Quinn Horn	William Kompanowski
Laura Fox	Shelby Hahn	Alyssa Houser	Rebecca Krueger
Felisha Freeman	Cheryl Harrow	Emma Hunt	Ciara Krutz
Avery Fruchey	Adriel Harvey	Akacia Hunt	Garrett Leininger
Misty Fultz	Chelsey Haury	Sharon Jacobs	Kennedy Lloyd
Santiago Garcia	Konnor Hawkins	Marcus Jones Jr.	Cierra Long
Sarina Gottwald	Jarren Heinemann	Jordan Keller	Jaley Lowe
Laura Gowing	Grace Herman	Nicholas King	Kayleigh Lucas
Sarah Gray	Georgia Hines	Piper Kochel	

Marie Richey CPS Memorial Scholarship

Donor Representatives, Ken & Claudia Schneider

Brandi Freestone	Jacob Krill	Marcella Kuhlman
Dawn McCrory	Rachel Perkey	Heather Shadbolt
Danielle Shortt	Adelina Solano	Kadence Thomas

Maumee Valley Vending Co. Scholarship..... Esther Cantu, Amelia Coy,

Donor Representative, Ron Coles Rachel Dinius, Brionna Navarre, Max Russell

Max F. & Joyce Covert Scholarship..... Jeremy Durdal

Donor Representative, John Wilson

McDoogle ADN Nursing Scholarship..... Zoe Appel, Madison Prince

Donor Representative, John Wilson

James O. & Mary C. Miller RN Scholarship.....Ella Giesige, Jordan Michalkiewicz

Donor Representative, John Wilson

NSCC Changing Lives Scholarship (Part III)

Donor Representatives, Doug Bernath, Adam Freels, Lynn Kinsman, Kim Kinsman

Katie Lynch	Kiya Mcneil	Dean Nichols	Elisha Ramey
Logan Maassel	Ethan Mendez	Cohen Nies	Michael Ramey
Eden Mahlman	Erika Mendoza	Stanley Nihart	Kyondra Redeemer
Stephen Manning	Kayla Menningen	Sammantha Paynter	Sarah Richardson
Juliah Manz	Kenzie Merritt	Michelle Peio	Alex Robison
Layla Martinez	Lee Meyers	Joseph Perez	Madalyn Rose
Alexander Martz	Claire Miller	Mason Pinkham	Jeanatte Rude
Olivia Mcdougale	Melanie Mills	Kaylee Poorman	Jordan Samples
Rose McMullen	Rachel Mowel	Ashlyn Price	

Nightingale Nursing Scholarship..... Symantha Barrera, Leah Bunke,

Donor Representative, Tammy Meyer Katrina Horvath, Emily Keeran, Gabriel Maldonado

NSCC STEM Scholarship..... Christopher Aldrich, Skyler Anderson,

Donor Representative, Colin Doolittle Aydyn King, Spencer Taynor-Goodsite

NSCC Changing Lives Scholarship – Van Wert/PauldingSecret Crump, Ryan Walker

Donor Representatives, Scott Mull & Jon Tomlinson

Parkview Physicians Group Scholarship.....Norma Ambriz, Ella Giesige, Augusta Martin,

Donor Representatives, Jennifer Dye & Dr. Sharrock-Dorsten Vanessa Peralez, Brooklyn Wright

Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society Endowed Scholarship..... Kimberly Seeman, Tyler Seibel

Donor Representative, Lana Snider