

# Hamilton-Wenham Regional High School Scholarship Listing

(We have attempted to be as accurate as possible in our scholarship descriptions. However, the most complete and accurate information available is on each scholarship's application form. All scholarships listed on the HWRHS Common Scholarship Application are due no later than April 5, 2021.)

**AES Engineering Scholarship** - AES Engineering is offering \$500 scholarships to motivated students. Scholarships will be awarded on the basis of character determined by evaluating submitted essays. Scholarships are intended for our future leaders across a wide spectrum of fields of study. This award is available to high school seniors and all students attending a post-secondary educational facility. You are not required to be taking engineering courses to be eligible. For more information go to: <http://www.aesengineers.com/scholarships.htm>. Deadline: October 8, 2021

**Abbott Scholarship** - Applicants must be a resident of Rockport, Gloucester or Essex. The student must have a strong academic record, strong moral qualifications and have already made a firm commitment to the Cape Ann area. Also, at some time upon completion of their higher education, plan to return to Cape Ann insofar as is possible to reside and practice their professions, skills, businesses, or talents to benefit the Cape Ann area and respective communities. Award is usually \$3,000 or more. (Application information will be listed in Naviance when available.)

**AFSME - Local 2905 Scholarship** – \$250.00 will be awarded to a graduating high school senior who will be continuing their education and whose parent, grandparent or legal guardian is an active member of the Local 2905. (Application information will be listed in Naviance when available.)

**Patricia A. Alger Memorial Scholarship** – This scholarship, in the minimum amount of \$1,200, will be awarded to a graduating senior from HWRHS who intends to continue his/her academics in pursuit of a career in education. Major emphasis is placed on the support of other students by participation in leadership roles, tutoring, or other means that demonstrate a commitment to the school community. Selection will also include personal character, financial need and academic performance. (HWRHS Common Application)

**A.P. Gardner Post 194 - American Legion Scholarship** – Scholarships (\$1,000 and \$500) are available to any graduating senior who has been accepted to attend a college, university or higher-level technical institute for the fall semester and is a child, grandchild or great-grandchild of a current or prior, in good standing Legionnaire of A.P. Gardner Post 194, Hamilton. Candidates should have good scholastic credentials, be well rounded and not be in possession of a full tuition scholarship to their chosen school. Deadline: April 15th) (Application information is listed in Naviance.)

**Mark Bavis Leadership Foundation Scholarship** – Any high school student in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts is eligible. The Scholarship is not academically based, but is awarded on the basis of need. The committee is looking for exceptional leaders and people who have proven this leadership within their school. In addition, the committee will give more serious consideration to those students who have made efforts to make a difference in their communities. Application is available in Naviance or can be downloaded at [www.markbavisleadershipfoundation.org](http://www.markbavisleadershipfoundation.org)

**Deadline:** RECEIVED BY April 15, 2021

**Francis L. Bettencourt, Jr. Memorial Scholarship** – Frank Bettencourt, Jr. graduated from Hamilton-Wenham Regional High School in 1987. He was well liked by his peers and teachers and was kind and considerate. He loved music and people. Friends of Fine Arts are honored to manage a special scholarship in perpetual memory of Frank Bettencourt, Jr. The recipient must be a HWRHS senior planning to major in music. (HWRHS Common Application)

**Beverly Rotary Club Foundation Scholarship** – Scholarships totaling approximately \$25,000, with individual awards ranging from \$1,000 up to \$10,000 will be awarded to deserving Beverly residents. Information and application will be available on their website: <http://www.beverlyrotaryclub.com/Pages/scholarships.html>

(Application information will be listed in Naviance when available.)

**Boston North Cancer Association** - [https://bostonnorthcancer.org/scholarship\\_info/](https://bostonnorthcancer.org/scholarship_info/)

(Deadline: May 1, 2021) (Apply online at link above. Information is listed in Naviance.)

- **Herbert H. Leventhal, MD Honorary Scholarship – NEW**  
\$3,500 awarded annually to a college-bound north of Boston high school senior whose parent either passed away from cancer, survived cancer during the applicant's childhood years, or is currently undergoing treatment for cancer, and has an interest in pursuing a career in medicine. This scholarship is awarded in honor of Herbert H. Leventhal, MD.
- **David J. Solimine Sr. Honorary Scholarship** – A \$3,500 scholarship is awarded annually to one college-bound North Shore high school senior who is a cancer survivor or is currently undergoing treatment for cancer.
- **The Mary Barbuzzi Breast Cancer Memorial Scholarship**  
A \$3,500 scholarship is awarded annually to a college-bound North Shore high school senior whose parent is currently undergoing treatment for breast cancer, survived breast cancer treatment, or passed away from breast cancer.
- **Hope Begins Here Scholarship** – A \$3,500 scholarship is awarded annually to one college-bound North Shore high school senior whose parent has passed away from cancer, survived cancer during the applicant's childhood years, or is currently undergoing treatment for cancer.

**Regina Bowler Memorial Scholarship** – This \$1,000 scholarship is given by the Solstice Singers in memory of Gina Bowler, a long-time member of the Solstice Singers. Gina was the assistant conductor of the Solstice Singers, past-president of Friends of Fine Arts and a volunteer pianist for Honor Chorus. This scholarship is given to a senior member of Concert Choir who will continue to be dedicated to the choral tradition that would make Gina, the Solstice Singers and Concert Choir proud. (HWRHS Common Application)

**Anita Bruyere Nursing Scholarships** – Scholarships are available for any member of the HWRHS graduating class who plans to pursue a career in nursing. The criteria include scholarship and concern for others. (HWRHS Common Application)

**Cape Ann Sportsman Club Scholarship** - This \$500 award is for a secondary school graduate who is determined to pursue post-secondary studies at an accredited school/college in any of the following fields: Game Biology; Game Management; Fish Biology and Fish Culture Management and Propagation, either in land or marine waters; Forestry Management and Culture; Conservation of Forests and Land; Environmental Law Enforcement and other areas of interest to the Sportsman. DEADLINE: April 5, 2021 (Application information is listed in Naviance.)

**Captain John A. Chouinard Memorial Scholarship** - This \$500 scholarship is available for any HWRHS senior based on need, academic performance and positive contributions to the school community. Preference will be given to a student pursuing a career in aviation, aviation technology and/or the Air Force. (HWRHS Common Application)

**Charitable and Educational Trust (Order Sons of Italy in America) Scholarship** – A minimum of twenty scholarship at a maximum of \$1,000 each will be awarded. Some are reserved for children and grandchildren of members, but there are a number of scholarships available regardless of affiliation. See their application for complete details. DEADLINE: April 15, 2021 (Application information is listed in Naviance.)

**Citizens Bank Undergraduate Scholarships** – No essays, no report cards—just a couple easy steps and you're entered. The Citizens Scholarship is giving away \$2,500 every month to students and parents. If you don't win this month, you could win next month and you're automatically entered for the annual grand prize of \$15,000. <https://www.citizensbank.com/student-lending/scholarship.aspx>

**Choose Vermont Scholarship** – Sponsored by the Vermont Department of Economic Development - commit to attending a school in Vermont by June 1<sup>st</sup>, then visit their website and apply for this \$5,000 scholarship. Official rules and entry form can be found at: [https://www.thinkvermont.com/scholarship/?utm\\_content=February&utm\\_campaign=GuidanceNews&utm\\_source=Slate&utm\\_medium=email](https://www.thinkvermont.com/scholarship/?utm_content=February&utm_campaign=GuidanceNews&utm_source=Slate&utm_medium=email) **\*\*Information has not yet been verified for 2021.**

**Christ Church Parish Day School Alumni Scholarship** – The recipient(s) of this award must have completed at least one year of Christ Church Parish Day School, be a graduating senior from HWRHS, have a GPA of 3.0 or higher (4.0 scale), have demonstrated community service and be planning to attend a two or four year college. Deadline: April 5, 2021 (Application information is listed in Naviance.)

**Mary Anne Cunningham Burridge Memorial Scholarship** -

This \$1,500 scholarship is given in memory of Mary Anne Cunningham Burridge, a lifelong resident of Hamilton. A 1946 graduate of HWRHS, Mary Anne wanted to go to college but was unable to due to the death of both of her parents while she was in high school. Instead, she found a job at the telephone company where she worked diligently and conscientiously for 43 years. Mary Anne was passionate about the history of Hamilton, working tirelessly for the Historical Society. The recipient should be a graduating **Hamilton resident** from HWRHS with definitive financial need, shown interest/involvement in the community of Hamilton, accepted to college and has an interest in business/finance. Preference will be given to those with challenged family situations. (HWRHS Common Application)

**Delta Kappa Gamma, Epsilon Chapter Future Teacher Scholarship For Young Women** – \$500 Scholarship will be awarded to a female student who wants to

be a teacher, has good citizenship, shows concern for others through school and/or community activities and who is entering a two or four year college. (Deadline: )  
(Information and application will be available in Naviance when received.)

**Emilio A. DiFelice and Mary A. DiFelice Scholarship Trust** – Income from this trust will be used to provide a full tuition scholarship for a deserving college student(s) who attains a B or better average in the year prior at high school, prep school, or prior year of college. Providing that the grade average is maintained, the Trustees will have the right to continue the grant to the same student(s) in successive years. As this is a full tuition scholarship, consideration will be given to students receiving little or no financial aid. (Application information will be listed in Naviance when available.)

**Elevated Boston Leadership Scholarship** – The Elevated Boston team is pleased to announce their first-ever scholarship. The award will consist of two \$2,500 scholarships to students who have demonstrated exemplary leadership within their institutions and communities. Winners will be notified on June 1, 2021. Applicants must be enrolled in a Massachusetts College or University in an undergraduate or graduate program for the 2021-2022 school year. Listed in Naviance. Deadline is April 30, 2021. For complete details and to apply, visit their website:

<https://www.elevatedboston.com/home/elevated-scholarship-opportunity/> -

**Charles W. Eliot Award** – This scholarship (at least \$500) is open to any Senior in a Secondary School in the 101 cities/towns in the MAPC (Metropolitan Area Planning Council) Region who is planning to further his/her education in the fields of Land Use Planning, Open Space Protection, Land Management or Conservation & Ecological Issues. (Application information will be listed in Naviance when available.)

**Essex Agricultural Society (Topsfield Fair):** - (Deadline: RECEIVED BY - April 1, 2021) Link to applications and information: <https://www.topsfieldfair.org/education/scholarships/> (Listed in Naviance.) The Society also administers scholarships from the Essex County Farm Bureau and the Essex County Fruit Growers Association.

- **Essex Agricultural Society Scholarship** – Offered annually to well-rounded students. Recipient will be chosen based on their transcript, activities and volunteerism. There will be 25 \$1,000 awards.

- **Charles E. Lerner Family Foundation** – Multiple \$2,000 awards open to all Essex County resident high school seniors pursuing Agriculture as their area of focus in College. You must have worked on a farm or in that field for one growing season or have been involved in FFA or 4-H for 2 years to be eligible. A 250-word essay is required. See application and/or website for complete details.

**Essex County League of Sportsmen’s Clubs, Inc. Scholarship Award** – This \$500 award is for a secondary school graduate (or equivalent) who is determined to pursue post-secondary studies at an accredited school/college in any of the following fields: Game Biology; Game Management; Fish Biology and Fish Culture Management and Propagation, either in land or marine waters; Forestry Management and Culture; Conservation of forests and land; Environmental Law Enforcement and other areas of interest to the Sportsman. **Deadline – RECEIVED BY:** (Application information will be listed in Naviance when available.)

**Farm Credit East** – To apply, any individual pursuing a full-time, post high school education (this includes colleges and technical schools) during the upcoming fall semester who demonstrates, through their career plans, experience, program of study and extracurricular activities, significant progress toward and a clear intention for a career in agriculture, forestry, or commercial fishing. An associates, bachelors, or graduate degree, as well as technical school attendance, qualifies as post high school education. Check their website for updates and to apply: <https://www.farmcrediteast.com/industry-support/scholarship> For questions about the Farm Credit East Scholarship Program, please email them to [specialoffers@farmcrediteast.com](mailto:specialoffers@farmcrediteast.com). **Deadline:** April 1, 2021 at 5:00 p.m.

**Fisher Cats Foundation Scholar-Athlete Scholarships** – The New Hampshire Fisher Cats and the Fisher Cats Foundation award scholarships to two outstanding scholar athletes from Northern Massachusetts who demonstrate excellent academic performance, significant athletic achievement and active civic involvement. Each award will be \$2,500 and will include recognition at a Fisher Cats game during the 2020 season. Applicants must reside in Massachusetts, be graduating from high school in 2020, and planning to enroll in a four-year degree program or planning to attend a local community college or technical school in the fall. Link to the 2020 application: <http://www.nhscholars.org/scholarship-application/> (Deadline: ) **\*\*Not verified for 2021 yet.** (Application information will be listed in Naviance when available.)

**Friends of HWRHS** – This scholarship is available to all HWRHS graduating seniors. The Friends award two \$1,000 scholarships based on financial need, good academic standing, and service to the school community and/or the community at large. (HWRHS Common Application)

**Gerondelis Foundation Scholarships** - Scholarships of up to \$5,000 (depending on the number of qualified applicants) will be awarded to graduating seniors who reside or attend school in Essex County, rank in the top 15% of their class or have achieved a combined verbal and math score of 1200 on the SAT or a composite score of 27 on the ACT, have been officially admitted to a four year college or university; and must be at least one-half Greek lineage. (Application information will be listed in Naviance when available – usually later in spring.)

**Hamilton-Wenham Garden Club Scholarship** – This scholarship (currently \$1,000) is available to any graduating senior living in Hamilton or Wenham who plans to major in agriculture, arboriculture, botany, conservation, environmental sciences, forestry, horticulture, landscape design or another related field at an accredited two- or four-year college. (HWRHS Common Application)

**Hamilton-Wenham Little League Scholarship** – This \$2,500 scholarship is available for HWRHS graduating seniors who participated in HW Little League, either baseball or softball, as a player and/or umpire, for at least one full season, and are planning to attend a two or four-year college. The award will be based on character, determined by evaluating submitted essays of 500-750 words as well as financial need. (HWRHS Common Application)

**Hamilton-Wenham Rotary Club** – Awards scholarships for one academic year to graduating HWRHS seniors. At least one of the awards will go to seniors who have demonstrated outstanding service to their school, church or community and another scholarship will be awarded to a student who has been a member in good standing for at least one year of the Rotary Interact Club. (HWRHS Common Application)

**Captain Jennifer J. Harris Memorial Scholarship** – Five \$1,000 scholarships will be provided in Jennifer's name to students in their senior year of high school who will be attending a state or nationally accredited college or university in the fall of 2021. Awards will be made on the basis of academic merit, an original essay, awards and recognition, and extracurricular and community service activities. (Deadline: RECEIVED or emailed by March 30, 2021. (Information and application listed in Naviance.)

**Institution for Savings \$20,000 Annual Scholarship** –

Six \$20,000 scholarships will be awarded to graduating seniors from Amesbury, Beverly, Gloucester, Hamilton-Wenham Regional, Ipswich, Masconomet Regional, Pentucket Regional, Newburyport, Rockport, Salem, or Triton Regional High Schools that have applied/been accepted at an accredited college or university. The successful recipient will have demonstrated traits consistent with the Bank's vision: having a positive affect on other people or his/her community through leadership, volunteerism, innovation, service, and academic achievement. Applicants must have applied and/or been accepted for admission at an accredited college or university. Applicants must complete and submit the sponsor's application and attachments no later than March 31, 2021 to "Institution for Savings Scholarship Committee, PO Box 510, Newburyport, MA 01950. See application for complete details. Incomplete submissions will not be considered. (Application information is listed in Naviance.) (\*HWRHS does not rank and encourages any student to apply who fits the Bank's other criteria.)

**Kiwanis Scholarship** – The Kiwanis Club of Beverly awards two \$1,500 scholarships to graduating seniors based upon community service and community involvement, financial need, and academics. One award will be for a Beverly resident and one for a Hamilton-Wenham resident regardless of the school they attend. If equally qualified students deserve recognition, the committee may divide the scholarship. (HWRHS Common Application.)

**Jayson T. Kmiec Memorial Scholarship** - This \$2,000 scholarship is available to any HWRHS senior who intends to continue his or her academics in pursuing their career in the engineering field. Jayson's education from HWRHS enabled him to continue his dream for engineering which he shared with his peers to make this a better world. May the applicant for this scholarship have the same dream. (HWRHS Common Application)

**Massachusetts Broadcasters Association Student Broadcaster Scholarship Program** – Students who are permanent residents of Massachusetts and plan to or are enrolled at an accredited institution of higher learning are encouraged to apply for the MBA's Broadcaster Scholarship Program. The MBA awards scholarships annually in the amount of \$2,500 to students pursuing a career in over-the-air broadcasting. In addition, a \$5,000 is awarded in honor of the former President of the MBA, Al Sprague. Visit the website at <http://www.massbroadcasters.org> for more information or to download an application. (Deadline: April 16, 2021) (Application information is listed in Naviance.)

**Massachusetts Credit Unions College Scholarship** – The Association will be awarding (6) \$1500 scholarships. Eligibility is limited to high school seniors who will be enrolled in an undergraduate college degree program during the 2021-2022 academic year. Applicant or parent/guardian must be a member of the sponsoring credit union (St. Jean's Credit Union is a sponsor and also offers their own.) Each applicant must complete the following: - A current League scholarship application form. - A typewritten essay of at least 250 words describing what career you wish to pursue when you complete your education and why, an academic transcript of grades, and a detailed list of extracurricular/community and/or volunteer activities. If student or parent/guardian is not a member of St. Jean's Credit Union, now might be a great time to join! Applications will be evaluated on the following criteria: essay; grades, and extracurricular/community activities. See application for complete details. (Deadline – RECEIVED BY: April 1, 2021) (Application information is listed in Naviance.)

**Massachusetts Flower Growers Scholarship** – Applicant must major in a course of study in Floriculture, Horticulture or related agricultural sciences. Applicant must be a resident of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts for a minimum of one year prior to submitting an application. Completed applications must be submitted by May 15th of the year to be awarded. Payment of \$1,000 annually to be made following receipt of transcripts depending on duration of scholarship. One-year, two-year, three-year or four-year students will be awarded scholarships proportionately to the number of semesters successfully completed; that is, a one-year scholarship or two semesters equals \$1,000; a two-year scholarship equals \$2,000 etc. up to a possible maximum of \$4,000. Once updated, complete information and application can be accessed on their website: **\*\*Not verified for 2021 yet** <http://www.massflowergrowers.com/about-us/mfga-scholarship/>

**MRA Educational Foundation/NRA Educational Co-branded Scholarships** – Scholarships are available for students accepted or currently enrolled in an accredited culinary school, college, or university. Applicants must have a minimum GPA of 2.65 on a 4.0 scale (or equivalent). Culinary arts or restaurant/foodservice work experience is also required. Visit the Massachusetts Restaurant Association (MRA) web site at <http://www.themassrest.org/> for more information and to apply. **\*\*Not verified for 2021 yet** (Deadline: April 1, ) (Application information will be listed in Naviance when available.)

**Massachusetts Nursery and Landscape Association (MNLA)** - The MNLA Foundation for Educational Excellence "Scholarship Program". \$1,000 scholarship for high school and college students. Eligibility: 1. Applicant must major in a course of study in Horticulture and/or Landscape. 2. Applicant must be a resident of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts for a minimum of one year prior to submitting an application. 3. Completed applications must be submitted by March 31st. See their website for complete details and to apply: <https://www.mnla.com/mpage/MNLAFHome>

**The Shawn J. McDuff Memorial Scholarship** – One scholarship of \$1,000 and one of \$500 will be awarded to aid students accepted to an accredited institution of higher education. Eligible applicants must possess the qualities and traits that Shawn personified. Preference will be given to a student who achieves their academic goals and strives to live independently despite their disability with the intention to pursue a bachelor's degree. **(RECEIVED BY APRIL 9, 2021** -Application information is listed in Naviance.)

**Lt. June T. Murphy Scholarship** – Sponsored by the Massachusetts Association of Women in Law Enforcement (MAWLE) – Females intending to pursue a full-time undergraduate degree in law enforcement/criminal justice who also meet the guidelines and criteria set forth in the document found at: are eligible to apply and can access an application on their website. <https://mawlemembership.org/the-lieutenant-june-t-murphy-scholarship/#:~:text=The%20Massachusetts%20Association%20of%20Women,law%20enforcement%20or%20criminal%20justice.> Links are also provided in Naviance. Deadline: April 30, 2021

**Newburyport Choral Society (Betty Gillette) Scholarship** - \$1,000 award for a high school senior who is planning to major in music in college. Deadline: April 1, 2021. (Application information is listed in Naviance.)

**North Shore Players Memorial Scholarship** – \$750 Scholarship granted to a graduating senior who plans to major in the performing arts (theatre, music, dance) and is currently attending Andover, Beverly, Danvers, Georgetown, Hamilton-Wenham Regional, Lynn Classical, Lynn English, Lynnfield, Marblehead, Masconomet, North Andover, Peabody, Salem or Swampscott High School. Home Schooled students from the above communities represented above may apply. If the applicant or their parent has been a member of the North Shore Players for at least the past 2 years, then the applicant may be a senior at any accredited high school. Once updated, applications can be submitted from their website: [www.northshoreplayers.org](http://www.northshoreplayers.org). (Last year's deadline was **RECEIVED BY** **\*\*Not verified for 2021 yet**)



**Northeast Hospital Corporation Medical Staff Scholarship** – Available to local area senior high school students (within our service area), that will be entering freshman year in college to pursue education in the medical field OR if you are an employee of Northeast Hospital Corporation who is personally pursuing an education in the medical field OR if you are a child of an employee that will be pursuing education in the medical field and you are entering your freshman year in college. Deadline is RECEIVED BY April 9, 2021 (Application information is listed in Naviance.)

**NSCC Foundation Scholarships** – North Shore Community College awards scholarships each year to incoming and current students, as well as graduates pursuing further education at four-year colleges or universities. Scholarships are based on academic and non-academic criteria, as well as demonstrated need. (Once updated, applications and information will be available at:  
<https://www.northshore.edu/scholarships/index.html>)

**Stephen Phillips Memorial Scholarship Fund** – **The Fund offers renewable, 4-year scholarships to students from New England with financial need.** Successful candidates are those who display academic achievement, service to others, good character, leadership qualities, and a history of part-time employment. Applicants must have a GPA of 3.0 or higher and may attend college anywhere in the United States. Visit [www.phillips-scholarship.org](http://www.phillips-scholarship.org) for detailed information about applying. (Deadline: Due by noon on May 3, 2021 – Early Response Deadline: Due by noon on April 2, 2021) (Application information is also listed in Naviance.)

**Louis and Mary Polsonetti Memorial Scholarship** – A \$1,000 scholarship will be given in memory of Louis and Mary Polsonetti. Dr. & Mrs. Polsonetti were devoted parents and positive, beloved members of the Hamilton-Wenham community. Dr. Polsonetti loved the arts and sciences and was committed to his profession. Mary Polsonetti taught French and English and had a passion for music and painting. Applicants should be accepted at a four-year college with a major in Arts, Science or Engineering, have a cumulative GPA in the top third of the HWRHS senior class and have a definite financial need. (HWRHS Common Application)

**Rebekah Assembly of Massachusetts, Independent Order of Odd Fellows Memorial Scholarship** - \$1,000 Scholarship to qualified seniors who plan to attend two or four year college programs. Particular interest is given to the needs and goals of the applicant. Additional chance for matching grant available. (**Early DEADLINE: Postmarked by March 30, 2021.**) (Application information is listed in Naviance.)

**Red Pine Scholars Program** - For permanent residents of Massachusetts who are U.S. citizens (or eligible non-citizens) with a family AGI of \$80,000 or less and at least \$5,000 in unmet need. Must be a senior at an accredited high school in MA and enrolling as full-time freshman at a competitive 4-year college in the U.S. in the fall of 2021. Must possess a strong academic record and be involved in a balance of community, school, and work activities. For complete criteria and application information visit their website: <https://www.grantinterface.com/Home/Logon?urlkey=tpischolarship>  
**EARLY DEADLINE: Applications must be completed online by February 15, 2021 at 5:00 p.m. This is a renewable scholarship program.** (Information will be available in Naviance while active.)

**Second Congregational Church in Beverly:** (Deadline is **RECEIVED BY** April 15, 2021) Application can be found on their website: <https://www.beverlysecond.com/caring-for-each-other> (Application information is also in Naviance.)

- **Ruth M. Glines Cannon Scholarship** - This scholarship will be awarded to a student who intends on entering the teaching field and have a real financial need.
- **Robert L. Rasche Scholarship** - This will be awarded to a graduating senior regardless of religious affiliation or place of residence, whose experience and purpose is in keeping with the goals of Dr. Rasche, willingness to live for others, intends to increase their ability to serve and have a real financial need.

**Shoppes at Hamilton Crossing Scholarship** – This \$1,000 scholarship is available to any graduating HWRHS student who is planning to continue their education and is interested in pursuing a business career. This scholarship will be based on academic achievement, character, contribution to school life and financial need. (HWRHS Common Application)

**Adam Snavely M.D. Memorial Scholarship** – This \$3,000 scholarship is given in the memory of Adam Snavely, M.D., valedictorian of the class of 2001. He is remembered by his parents, brother and many other family, friends and colleagues in Hamilton-Wenham and beyond. Adam devoted his career in medicine and his personal life to helping individuals and promoting positive change in the community around him. To honor the memory of Adam, this scholarship is given to a senior who demonstrates academic achievement, financial need, and the passion to help others. If equally qualified students deserve recognition, the committee may divide the scholarship or award multiple scholarships. (HWRHS Common Application)

**St. Jean’s Credit Union Charitable Foundation Scholarship** –The Foundation will award six \$1,500 scholarships. Eligibility is limited to high school seniors who will be enrolled in an undergraduate college degree program during the 2021-2022 academic year. Applicant or parent/guardian must be a member of St. Jean’s Credit Union. Applicants must submit a typewritten essay of 250 words or less. For complete details and instructions, please refer to the information and application in Naviance. (Deadline: RECEIVED BY: April 1, 2021) (Application information is listed in Naviance.)

**The Peggy and Paul Stahlberg Memorial Scholarship Award** –This \$1,000 scholarship is given by the Solstice Singers in memory of Peggy and Paul Stahlberg, long time friends and supporters of the Solstice Singers, and late parents of Anne Walsh, a devoted Solstice Singer since 1989. This award is for a student, chosen by the HWRHS Choral teacher, who exemplifies the dedication and love of the choral tradition so cherished by Peggy, Paul, Anne, and the Solstice Singers. (HWRHS Common Application)

**Teacher.org’s Inspire Our Future Scholarship** - \$500 scholarship to help teacher candidates or experienced teachers continuing their education. See official entry rules and application at <https://www.teacher.org/scholarship-entry-rules/> Deadline: April 1, 2021. Must be 18 or older with a minimum 3.5 GPA (Many other education related scholarships and grants are also available through their website.)

**Mary Lois Thompson Memorial Scholarship** – This \$1,500 scholarship is available to any graduating HWRHS senior who is planning to continue their education and has a passion for music. Mary was the beloved daughter of Hamilton residents Nancy and Roger Thompson and sister of Ian and Brenna Thompson. This scholarship has been set up in memory of Mary, who was a fifth grader at the Cutler School at the time of her passing. During her ten years, Mary had an everlasting smile, a passion for music, and knew what it meant to live life to the fullest. (HWRHS Common Application)

**Title I Robert J. Watson Memorial Scholarship** - Provides a \$1,500 scholarship for one or more graduating seniors who have been accepted into a post-secondary undergraduate program. The eligibility requirements for this scholarship are demonstrated need and that the applicant participated in a Title I funded Targeted Assistance or Schoolwide program for at least one academic year, at any grade level. (Application information will be listed in Naviance when available.)

**Wenham Village Improvement Society, Inc.** - Students in good academic standing who are pursuing post-secondary education, who show an interest in community service and in their hometown of Wenham are encouraged to apply. Students should be entering their freshman, sophomore, junior, or senior year of study at college or equivalent in other programs. WVIS has awarded scholarships for higher education to qualified Wenham residents since 1950. It has awarded a total of \$640,000 to date. Scholarship awards have been made possible from the donations made over the years in memory of Wenham residents, membership dues, through proceeds of the annual WVIS appeal, and from WVIS events held throughout the year, both to bring the community together and to raise funds. (Deadline: April 2, 2021) (Application information is listed in Naviance.)

**Philip A. Wood Memorial Scholarship** – Awards are made annually to assist a first year student or students from Essex County who plan to enter a full time college program which will lead to a degree major in forestry, botany, conservation, wildlife management, or fire suppression and prevention in college, junior college which grants an associate or bachelors degree in one of the named fields. (Application information will be listed in Naviance when available.)

**Yawkey Scholars Program** – The Yawkey Foundation looks for promising students planning to enter private, competitive colleges in Massachusetts. Their program is designed to make college affordable for talented, motivated, low-income students from Massachusetts. It provides a four-year renewable tuition scholarship and other support. **Early Deadline:** Friday, February 12, 2021 at 5:00 p.m. More information and online applications can be accessed at <http://www.tpi.org/scholarship/yawkey-scholars-program>

## The following scholarships are awarded by committee - students do not apply:

**Soteris Apostolakos/Anna Pappas Memorial Scholarship** – Selected by the scholarship committee for contributions to the school.

**Ben Brettler Memorial Scholarship** – This scholarship is awarded to a student who has excelled in math or physical sciences.

**Hamilton-Wenham Education Association Awards** – Recipients are selected by the Association.

**Jennie Mears Memorial Scholarship** – Jennie Mears was a long-time entrepreneur who managed her own store in Hamilton for many years. Criteria used for consideration is conscientious effort that has yet to be rewarded.

**Paul Moscovitch Memorial Scholarship** – In Paul Moscovitch's memory, his friends and relatives have donated this scholarship to honor a student each year that shared Paul's interest in science, his pride in his own hard work and his caring interest in his fellow students.

**The Gabriel Pacione Memorial Scholarship** – Awarded to an accomplished Hamilton-Wenham Regional High School senior whose personal, academic, artistic or athletic success is complemented by the energy and passion with which they encourage others in the Hamilton-Wenham school community. This Scholarship will be awarded on Scholarship Night at HWRHS.

**The Gabriel Pacione Cape Ann League Scholarship** – Awarded to an accomplished Cape Ann League senior XC/Track and Field athlete who leads by example and whose outstanding performance and sportsmanship encourages and inspires others in the athletic community. This scholarship will be presented to the student athlete at the recipient's school scholarship ceremony (if applicable).

**Helene Pruszynski Scholarship** – Given in memory of Helene by her friends and classmates of the HW Class of 1976. Selected by a committee for the most valuable contribution to a music and/or drama production.

**Alfred and Sara G. Weis Memorial Scholarship** – To be awarded to a graduating senior who is a Hamilton resident based on scholastic record, excellent personal character and possible financial need.

**Arthur & Harriet Wright Memorial Scholarship** – This scholarship may be given to a resident of Essex, Gloucester or Rockport. The student must plan to continue their education after high school. The scholarship is based on character, concern for the needs of others, potential for achievement, financial need and scholarship.