

## Waverly High School – Eligible Scholarships

Each year, the Community Foundation of Elmira-Corning and the Finger Lakes give out over 115 scholarships to local students. Below are the detailed scholarship descriptions of those available specific to **Waverly High School Students**. Please see our website [www.communityfund.org](http://www.communityfund.org) for all available scholarships.

### ***General Scholarship – Due February 15, 2018***

*Submitting an application to the General Scholarship is one application for over 25 scholarships. **Waverly High School Students are eligible for at least 3 of these scholarships.** Below are the names of the scholarships Waverly High School Students may be eligible for. There is no need to specify which scholarship you are applying for using this application. Please see the detailed descriptions of these scholarships on our website under the link: “General Scholarship Descriptions.”*

### ***A Hope 4 Lyme Scholarship***

*Amount: 2 at \$500 each - One for a high school senior and one for a non-traditional student. The high school student must use our General Application to apply. There is a separate application for the non-traditional student.*

- You must be a resident of Chemung, Schuyler, Steuben, Tioga NY, Bradford PA, or Tioga PA, counties and demonstrate financial need. Only candidates from one of the following groups are eligible:
- Anyone that has been diagnosed or treated for Lyme Disease
- Anyone that has been affected by Lyme thru the illness of an immediate family member
- Anyone that is pursuing a career in the medical field

**Preference will be given to those that are affected by Lyme disease.**

### ***Chemung Canal Trust Company Scholarship***

*Amount \$8000*

- Evidence of outstanding citizenship and leadership ability.
- Evidence of a strong desire for a college education.
- CCTC Employees and immediate family members are eligible.
- Demonstrate financial need.
- Not necessarily highest grades.
- The high school senior must be graduating from a high school in a community where **a Chemung Canal Trust Company is located.**

### ***George Douglas/LPGA Corning Classic Scholarship***

*Amount \$5450*

- High School Senior in Counties: **Chemung, Steuben, Schuyler, Tioga, Tompkins, Allegany NY, & Bradford, PA**
  - A four-year college, but will consider a two-year with the intent of transferring.
  - Demonstrated an appreciation of the benefits of post high school education.
  - A scholastic record to reasonably predict completion of a four-year college education.
  - Diligent student, a good, responsible and concerned citizen with financial need.
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**The following scholarships have their own application and are available to apply to online:**

***Carolyn Matthews Memorial Scholarship – Due February 15***

*Amount \$1250*

The Carolyn Matthews Memorial Scholarship is a scholarship awarded to a student based on his or her involvement with school and community service activities, character and academic record.

- Students must be **nominated by school guidance counselors from the Twin Tiers** where the Star Gazette is distributed with letter included with application– **ONE NOMINEE PER SCHOOL.**
- Nominees should be students who might not be the top scholar in the senior class but who have made a difference in their school, family and community.

***Kappa Men of Corning-Elmira Alumni Scholarship – Due March 7***

*Amount Varies*

The Kappa Men Scholarship shall be awarded to a graduating senior from the following school districts: Bath, Corning-Painted Post, Odessa-Montour, Spencer-VanEtten, Watkins Glen, Owego, Waverly, Elmira, Elmira Heights, and Horseheads, New York.

- Demonstrate desire, interest, and leadership
  - Financial need
  - **Preference will be given to people of color, with a preference for African American men.**
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**The following scholarships are only available by paper applications because of the special needs of the scholarship requirements. Please check with your guidance counselor or contact the Foundation for any of the following applications:**

***Twin Tiers Youth for Christ Scholarship – Due March 7***

*Amount \$4000 (1 male and 1 female)*

The candidate must be a **Christian whose high school is located in or they have been a resident of Chemung County or an adjacent county for over six months.** The student must be enrolled or will be enrolled in an accredited four-year college or university and must obtain a recommendation from a pastor of a “Christian Church”. Candidate must complete the Twin Tiers Youth for Christ Scholarship Application.

If you have any questions, please contact Katie McConville at [cmm@communityfund.org](mailto:cmm@communityfund.org) or 607-739-3900.