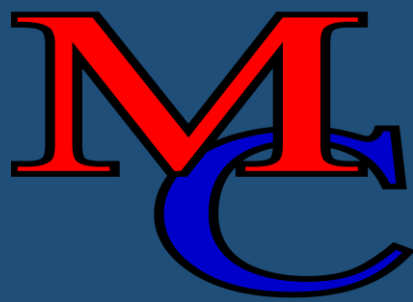


**MIDDLE COUNTRY
CENTRAL SCHOOL
DISTRICT**



SCHOLARSHIP BOOKLET

CLASS OF 2025

PTA/PTSA

BICYCLE PATH PRE-K/ KINDERGARTEN CENTER

BICYCLE PATH PTA SCHOLARSHIP

The Bicycle Path PTA is offering a \$500 scholarship to one graduating senior from Newfield High School and one from Centereach High School. We are looking for a student who has been involved in school and community activities, as well as having strong academic class standing.

(Do not include name-student number only.)

[Click for application!](#)

**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: FORMER STAGECOACH,
NEW LANE and HAWKINS PATH STUDENTS**

EUGENE AUER MEMORIAL ELEMENTARY

EUGENE AUER – ADELINE NATHANSON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

The Adeline Nathanson Memorial Scholarship has been established to aid a student who is graduating from high school in meeting the tremendous financial burden imposed on a college student. The scholarship is in the amount of \$500.

(Do not include name-student number only.)

[Click for application!](#)

**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: FORMER EUGENE AUER
STUDENTS**

EUGENE AUER – RICHARD HOFF MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

The Eugene Auer PTA is awarding one (1) scholarship in the amount of \$500 to a graduating student planning to attend college or a vocational/technical school in September 2025. This student must have attended Eugene Auer Elementary School through 5th grade. This scholarship is not being awarded on scholastic standing, but solely on the answers to the application questions and essay.

(Do not include name-student number only.)

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**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: FORMER EUGENE AUER
STUDENTS**

HAWKINS PATH ELEMENTARY

HAWKINS PATH PTA SCHOLARSHIP

The Hawkins Path PTA is offering a \$500 scholarship to a graduating senior from either Newfield or Centereach High School who attended Hawkins Path Elementary School through the fifth grade. The student should be well-rounded and involved in his/her community and/or school and have plans to further his/her education.

(Do not include name-student number only.)

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**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: FORMER HAWKINS PATH
STUDENTS**



HOLBROOK ROAD ELEMENTARY

HOLBROOK ROAD PTA SCHOLARSHIP

The Holbrook Road PTA is offering two (2) \$500 scholarships to graduating high school seniors who have attended Holbrook Road Elementary School. Personal academic effort is expected regardless of class standing. We are also looking for those students who have been involved in activities at school, in the community or both. These students should have attainable goals, which will be pursued through either an academic or vocational school.

(Do not include name-student number only.)

[Click for application!](#)

**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: FORMER HOLBROOK ROAD
STUDENTS**

JERICO ELEMENTARY

JERICO PTA SCHOLARSHIP

Jericho Elementary School is offering two (2) \$500 scholarships. These scholarships are not awarded on scholastic standing, but are chosen on the merits of a written, one-page composition on one of several topics offered. Seniors from Newfield and Centereach High Schools who attended Jericho Elementary School through 5th grade are eligible.

(Do not include name-student number only.)

[Click for application!](#)

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: FORMER JERICO STUDENTS

NEW LANE MEMORIAL ELEMENTARY

NEW LANE PTA – TEACHERS’ MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

We offer two (2) \$500 scholarships to two deserving seniors, from Centereach and/or Newfield High School, regardless of academic standing. You must have attended New Lane Elementary School to apply for our scholarship. Four short essays are required on the following topics:

- Your New Lane School experience.
- Your home and community life.
- What you feel is most important to you.
- Your career/college aspirations.

Your essays will be judged on what you have to say about yourself and the presentation of your statements.

(Do not include name-student number only.)

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ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: FORMER NEW LANE STUDENTS



Dont wish for it
Work for it

NORTH COLEMAN ROAD ELEMENTARY

NORTH COLEMAN ROAD PTA SCHOLARSHIP

The North Coleman Road Elementary School PTA is offering two (2) \$500 scholarships. Graduating seniors from Newfield and Centereach High Schools, having attended North Coleman Road Elementary School through the fifth grade that plan on continuing their education, may apply. Class standing and grade point average are not a criteria for this award. We are looking for a well-rounded student, one who is involved in extracurricular activities, community service and athletics.

(Do not include name-student number only.)

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ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: FORMER NORTH COLEMAN ROAD STUDENTS



OXHEAD ROAD ELEMENTARY

OXHEAD ROAD PTA SCHOLARSHIP

Oxhead Road Elementary School will award two (2) \$500 scholarships to the students who have demonstrated strong academic efforts regardless of their academic standing, and who have made the most of the skills they possess. The students should demonstrate the ability to become involved in all areas of the school program, performing to their fullest capacity, interacting with their peers and exhibiting overall concern for others. The students should aspire toward goals that are not only self-rewarding, but will also benefit their community and those around them.

(Do not include name-student number only.)

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ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: FORMER OXHEAD ROAD STUDENTS

UNITY DRIVE PRE-K/KINDERGARTEN CENTER

UNITY DRIVE PTA – ROBERT SIMMONS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

The Unity Drive PTA is offering two (2) \$500 scholarships to two seniors who are planning to attend college in September 2025. The scholarship is being awarded solely on the written essay. **Please indicate ONLY your student ID# as well as which high school you attend.** Please write an essay of 200 or more words.

- Give a detailed description of a community service activity you have performed.
- Explain in detail why you chose this service.
- What benefits do you believe will come from your service?
- How did you feel upon the completion of your service?

(Do not include name-student number only.)

[Click for application!](#)

**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: FORMER UNITY DRIVE
STUDENTS WHO ATTEND NOW CENTEREACH OR
NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL**



DAWNWOOD MIDDLE SCHOOL

DAWNWOOD MIDDLE SCHOOL PTA SCHOLARSHIP

Dawnwood Middle School will offer at least five (5) \$250 scholarships to seniors who attended and completed eighth grade at Dawnwood and are planning to continue their education. One of the scholarships is given in memory of Olympia Ferrati to a special education student. Dawnwood is seeking well-rounded students; who are involved in extracurricular activities and service. Class standing and grade point average are not considered criteria for this application. The applicants should exhibit leadership qualities, strong character and a drive to achieve. He/she should have set goals for the future, and be able to formulate a plan to best execute those goals.

Please include the question number and question above your response when answering the following questions:

1. What are your vocational goals? How do you plan to fulfill these goals?
2. Describe your extra-curricular activities. Include community service involvement.
3. Describe your overall high school experience.
4. What advice would you offer incoming high school students?
5. In general, what aspects of high school would you like to see changed and why?
6. How do you view yourself as a person? How do others view you?

(Do not include name-student number only.)

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**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: FORMER DAWNWOOD
MIDDLE SCHOOL**



SELDEN MIDDLE SCHOOL

SELDEN MIDDLE SCHOOL PTA SCHOLARSHIP

Selden Middle School PTA will offer up to six (6) \$500 scholarships to seniors who attended Selden Middle School for at least one full school year and are planning to attend college and/or further their education. Selden Middle School PTA is seeking well-rounded students, who are involved in community service, extracurricular activities, and different organizations. Applicants should exhibit leadership qualities, strong character and a drive to achieve. The students should have set goals for the future, and be able to formulate a plan to best execute those goals. Class standing and grade point average are not considered criteria for application.

(Do not include name-student number only.)

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ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: FORMER SELDEN MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENTS

CENTEREACH HIGH SCHOOL

CENTEREACH HIGH SCHOOL PTSA – THE JOANNE KURTZ MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

The Joanne Kurtz Memorial Scholarship will be awarded to one (1) student with special needs who shows an ability to work hard in his/her area of interest and is seeking to further his/her education academically or vocationally. This is a monetary award, not to exceed \$500.

(Do not include name-student number only.)

[Click for application!](#)

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH HIGH SCHOOL SPECIAL EDUCATION SENIORS

CENTEREACH HIGH SCHOOL PTSA SCHOLARSHIP

The Centereach High School PTSA (Parent Teacher Student Association) is offering at least three (3) monetary awards, not to exceed \$500 each, to students who show an ability to work hard in their area of interest and who are seeking to further their education academically.

(Do not include name-student number only.)

[Click for application!](#)

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL

NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL PTSA MEMBERSHIP SCHOLARSHIP

This year the Newfield High School PTSA will be distributing one (1) or more award(s) to a graduating senior(s) who is/are current member(s) of the PTSA who successfully meet the requirements and who fully complete the application. For consideration, your application should reflect your involvement with the PTSA. Class standing and grade point average are not considered criteria for application. Correct spelling, grammar, and punctuation will be taken into consideration. Responses less than 150 words will not be considered.

(Do not include name-student number only.)

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ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS THAT ARE PTSA MEMBERS



NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL PTSA SCHOLARSHIP

This year the Newfield High School PTSA will be offering one (1) or more award(s) to graduating senior(s) who successfully meet the requirement and fully complete the application. Your application will be a reflection on your life and experiences at Newfield and/or in the community. Class standing and grade point average are not considered criteria for application. Correct spelling, grammar, and punctuation will be taken into consideration. Responses less than 150 words will not be considered.

(Do not include name-student number only.)

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ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

PTA/PTSA COUNCIL

MIDDLE COUNTRY PTA/PTSA COUNCIL – THE TED BRIGHAM MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

The Middle Country Council of PTA/PTSA will award at least two (2) \$500 scholarships to students who show an ability to work hard in their area of interest and who are seeking to further their education either academically or vocationally. The scholarship must, however, be used at an accredited institution of higher learning, including a two-year community college, vocational or technical school. The award is an outright grant. Responses should be in proper paragraph format. Correct spelling, grammar and punctuation will be taken into consideration. Please ensure responses to questions indicating a minimum number of words are met, otherwise response will not be considered.

(Do not include name-student number only.)

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**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND
NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS**



SEPTA

MIDDLE COUNTRY SEPTA – ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

SEPTA awards four (4) Achievement Awards annually. This \$500 scholarship is granted to four seniors who are currently receiving or have previously received special education services in Centereach and Newfield High Schools. Students must complete the online application and list the post-secondary and/or vocational training that they are seeking. Additionally, examples of good citizenship and positive academic attitude should be incorporated in their electronic submission. Students are required to email two teacher recommendations to:

septa.middlecountry@gmail.com.

(Do not include name-student number only.)

[Click for application!](#)

**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND
NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SPECIAL EDUCATION
SENIORS**

SEPTA "MAKING A DIFFERENCE" SCHOLARSHIP

SEPTA would be honored to present at least two (2) \$500 scholarships to graduating seniors, who wish to pursue their education in the medical field, with a concentration in the research and study of neurological disorders. Students from both Centereach and Newfield High Schools will be considered. In addition to the online application questions, the applicant must submit an essay, minimum of 150 words, explaining how a neuro-disability has touched his/her life and what they gained from an experience where they involved themselves in and helped a fellow challenged student overcome a situation. The applicant should include what he/she learned about him/ herself and how it influenced his/her choice to enter the medical field in order to contribute towards the goal of finding the cause and treatments for individuals who are challenged by these conditions.

(Do not include name-student number only.)

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**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND
NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS**

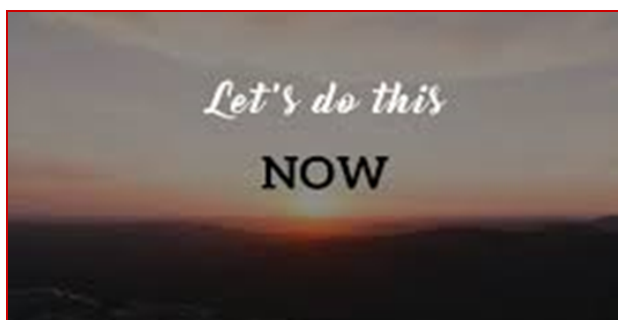
MCCSD ORGANIZATIONS

THE DORIS A. NELSON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

The Doris A. Nelson Memorial Scholarship was established in the memory of Doris Nelson by her children. Doris was a food service worker for many years at Selden Middle School and later on at Newfield High School. Doris and her husband, John, were longtime Middle Country residents whose three sons were educated in the Middle Country Central School District. Middle Country has been very good to the Nelson family and this scholarship is a way to honor Doris Nelson, and to give back to the Middle Country community. This is a \$250 award and is given to a Newfield High School student who will be attending Suffolk Community College.

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ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS



THE FRIENDS OF MIDDLE COUNTRY PUBLIC LIBRARY SCHOLARSHIP

The Friends of MCPL will award two (2) \$500 scholarships to two college bound seniors who reside in MCCSD and who have also contributed to MCPL during their years in high school. Students must graduate in either January 2025 or June 2025.

Applicants must submit the following requirements:

1. Completed Scholarship Application form*
2. Completed Middle Country Public Library Participation Form*
3. A 300-400 word essay in response to one of the two assigned topics*
4. Outstanding finalists will be invited to appear for an interview.

[*See application](#)

This scholarship cannot be applied for online. Applications may be obtained in the Guidance Office.

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: COLLEGE BOUND SENIORS WHO RESIDE IN MCCSD

THE JOHN E. NELSON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

The John E. Nelson Memorial Scholarship was established in the memory of John Nelson by his children. John and his wife, Doris, were longtime Middle Country residents whose three sons were educated in the Middle Country Central School District. Middle Country has been very good to the Nelson family and this scholarship is its way to honor John Nelson and to give back to the Middle Country community. This is a \$250 award and is given to a Centereach High School student who will be attending Suffolk Community College.

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ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS



THE JON-MICHAEL LASHER NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL TRI-M MUSIC HONOR SOCIETY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Jon-Michael Lasher was a beloved band teacher at Newfield High School and chartered the NHS chapter of Tri-M Music Honor Society in 2002. Even after leaving MCCSD, Jon remained in contact with many former students and inspired them to "do what they love and love what they do". He proudly watched his daughter be inducted into NHS Tri-M fifteen years later and was amazed to see the outreach and leadership demonstrated by the students. This scholarship will be awarded to one Newfield High School graduating senior who is a Tri-M Music Honor Society member continuing their education at a two or four-year school. The recipient will be chosen by the committee using the application, essay, transcript, activity sheet and letters of recommendation.

This scholarship cannot be applied for online.

Applications may be obtained and dropped back off at the Guidance Office.

[Click for information!](#)

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

**MIDDLE COUNTRY ADMINISTRATORS’
ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP**

The Middle Country Administrators Association will be awarding a \$500 scholarship to a goal-oriented student who exhibits outstanding leadership qualities, strong character, and a desire to succeed. This scholarship must be used at an accredited institution of higher learning, including two year/community college or technical school. One student from each high school will be chosen by the Administrative Association.

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**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND
NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS**

**MIDDLE COUNTRY ASSOCIATION OF TEACHER
AIDES SCHOLARSHIP**

The Middle Country Association of Teacher Aides will present two (2) \$500 awards to general education students and one (1) \$500 award to a student receiving special education services. Each award will go to a high school senior of the Middle Country Central School District who is a child or grandchild of a member of the Middle Country Association of Teacher Aides. Please include the name of the Teacher Aide you are related to on your application. Unfortunately, if a name is not provided the application will not be eligible. The Teacher Aide **MUST** be a member of the Middle Country Association of Teacher Aides. The application **MUST** be completed in full, including Activity Sheet and essay.

Essay: Write an essay describing the following:

What is your definition of community and what contributions have you made?

What do you plan to do after you graduate and what difference will it make in your community?

[Click for application!](#)

**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND
NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS RELATED TO A
MIDDLE COUNTRY ASSOCIATION OF TEACHER
AIDE MEMBER**



**MIDDLE COUNTRY EDUCATION FOUNDATION
SCHOLARSHIP**

The Middle Country Education Foundation is offering two (2) \$750 scholarships, and up to two (2) additional, one at each high school, to graduating seniors.

The essay must incorporate answers to one of the following questions:

- How has your educational experience shaped your life?
- What was your most profound educational experience?

(Do not include name-student number only.)

[Click for application!](#)

**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND
NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS**

**MIDDLE COUNTRY PUPIL PERSONNEL
SCHOLARSHIP**

The Middle Country Pupil Personnel Department will be awarding scholarships. A recipient will be selected at both Newfield and Centereach High Schools. Each candidate will complete an application which will be available in the guidance office of each high school. Every senior with special education support or a 504 Plan is eligible. Criteria for this award will be based on overall improvement and growth in school attendance, academic performance and effort, contributions to their community, and counselor/teacher recommendations. Candidates must answer the following questions: What has been your greatest challenge in life? Describe how you worked to overcome this challenge.

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**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND
NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SPECIAL EDUCATION
AND 504 SENIORS**



**MIDDLE COUNTRY RETIREES' ASSOCIATION
SCHOLARSHIP AWARD**

Criteria for this scholarship will be based on academic achievement, school and community activities and financial need. This award is in the amount of \$1000 and will be given to two (2) students from each high school. Also, please include an essay of approximately 500 words on one of the following topics:

- My single most valuable "life experience" in or out of school (non-academic).
- The academic (or subject) field that inspires me or challenges me to greater achievement.
- The school or community activity from which I have received the most or best intangible benefit(s).

(You may submit a copy of your college essay if it is responsive to one of the choices above.)

(Do not include name-student number only.)

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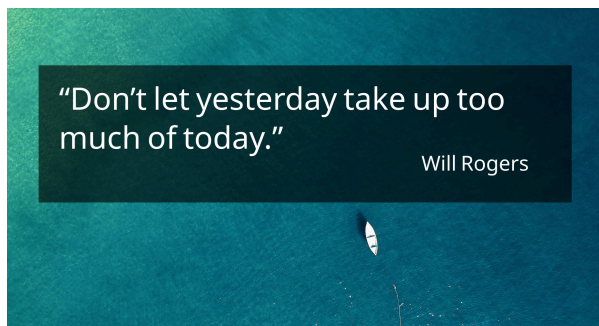
**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND
NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS**

**MIDDLE COUNTRY SECRETARIAL ASSOCIATION
SCHOLARSHIP**

The Middle Country Secretarial Association will present three (3) \$250 awards. We will offer one award to a Newfield graduate and one to a Centereach graduate. The third award will go to a child or grandchild of a secretary regardless of what high school they attend.

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**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND
NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS**



**MIDDLE COUNTRY TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION
SCHOLARSHIPS: INGRID AND JACK WALLACH
ELEMENTARY CLASSROOM TEACHING
SCHOLARSHIP**

This award will be paid in four (4) installments of \$1,000 per year. Two (2) scholarships will be awarded annually to students who are eligible. Candidates must be entering the field of elementary education as classroom teachers, and maintain at least a B average each year.

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**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND
NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS**



**NATIONAL ART HONOR SOCIETY SCHOLARSHIP
(NAHS)**

The first National Art Honor Society Scholarship was given in 1987. The Newfield and Centereach High School Chapters sponsor a yearly fundraiser. The proceeds go towards scholarships that are offered to National Art Honor Society seniors who are art majors and who are pursuing art as his/her college major. To qualify, each candidate is required to complete an application and present his/her portfolio to a peer portfolio-reviewing committee. Interested students should contact Mr. Sal Berretta at NHS Art Department and Ms. Karissa LaLima at CHS Art Department.

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**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND
NEWFIELD NATIONAL ART HONOR SOCIETY
SENIOR**

COMMUNITY AND BUSINESS ORGANIZATIONS

AMERICAN LEGION POST #1633 SCHOLARSHIP

The American Legion Post #1633 will award two (2) \$250 scholarships to a graduating senior, one from each high school that displays Americanism and patriotism. School faculty will select students. Student will be chosen from the Activity Sheet, there is no application.

[Click for application!](#)

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

ARMY STAFF SERGEANT JAMES D. MCNAUGHTON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

This \$1000 scholarship is given in memory of Army Staff Sergeant James D. McNaughton and will be awarded to two graduating seniors from Centereach High School. The students must be in good standing maintaining a B average or better, who demonstrate drive and determination, and plan to enter post-secondary study in pursuit of a career in law enforcement, criminal justice or the military. Students will be chosen from the Activity Sheet.

[Click for application!](#)

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS



ASSOCIATION OF SCHOOL BUSINESS OFFICIALS' SCHOLARSHIP

The Association of School Business Officials will present two (2) \$250 awards. We will offer one award to a Newfield graduate and one to a Centereach graduate who are planning a career in education. These students should be active in some type of community service and have a commitment to academics.

[Click for application!](#)

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

BARBARA'S HEART FOUNDATION "ALL HEART" AWARD

A \$1,000 award will be given to a graduating Newfield High School senior who demonstrates leadership and heart both on the athletic field as well as in the community and is planning on continuing their education at a two-year or four-year school.

Requirements:

- Member of an athletic team during their senior year
- Proof of community service performed
- Name of college or university expected to attend in fall 2025

Recommendation letter from coach/teammate or community service leader preferred but not required.

[Click for application!](#)

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

CATHOLIC WAR VETERANS - POST #1897 SCHOLARSHIP

The Catholic War Veterans Post #1897 will award two (2) \$500 scholarships to a graduating senior, one from each high school that displays Americanism and Patriotism. Students will be chosen from the Activity Sheet, there is no application.

[Click for application!](#)

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

CENTEREACH CIVIC ASSOCIATION COMMUNITY SCHOLARSHIP

The Centereach Civic Association will award one (1) \$250 scholarship to a Centereach High School senior. Applicants must be active in volunteer organizations within the school and/or the community. Academic achievement is not part of the criteria for being selected for this scholarship. Applicants will be required to complete a questionnaire and an essay concerning a volunteer experience and how it affected their life now and how they think it will affect their life in the future.

[Click for application!](#)

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

CENTEREACH FIRE DEPARTMENT – RALPH J. SAPPACERQUA MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

A \$2,500 scholarship will be awarded to the student who has the highest academic average and whose parent/guardian is a current active member of the Centereach Fire Department. The scholarship will be awarded during the student's first year in college. This award is not recurring. In cases where students have identical averages, the principal will make the final decision relative to the scholarship recipient. A scholarship certificate will be issued to the recipient. The \$2,500 check will be sent to the financial aid office of the college the student plans to attend. The student must write a letter of application to the Scholarship Committee requesting consideration for the Ralph J. Sappacerqua Memorial Scholarship.

[Click for application!](#)

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

CENTRAL BROOKHAVEN LIONS CLUB – THOMAS MARINELLO SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship of \$100 will be awarded to two (2) graduating seniors in good academic standing. Must be accepted and show evidence of enrollment in a post- secondary institution. The student must be involved in community service. Preference should be given to those students who fulfill all the requirements as listed above and show sincere financial need.

[Click for application!](#)

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

CLASS OF 2025 ISLAND FEDERAL SCHOLARSHIP

Island Federal will award a total of \$25,000 in scholarships to five (5) \$5,000 high school seniors.

No Essay or Transcript required.

- Requirements: To be eligible, the student must: Students must be a 2025 graduating high school senior at the time entry is submitted.
- Students must have an Island Federal checking account and debit card before or at the time the entry form is submitted. No minimum balance required and no monthly or annual fees.
- Attend an accredited college, university or recognized vocational school in Fall 2025.

One entry per student and application must be received by April 25, 2025.

Random Drawing Held on Friday, May 2, 2025.

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ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: SUFFOLK & NASSAU HS SENIORS

COLONEL JOSIAH SMITH CHAPTER NSDAR SCHOLARSHIP

The Colonel Josiah Smith Scholarship is to financially assist a deserving high school senior (male or female) in meeting the expenses of a higher education. The scholarship will be a one-time \$500 award. This scholarship is not intended for students at the top of their class. Instead this scholarship is directed to help those students who persevere, to the best of their ability, in the achievement of success, and who demonstrate a financial need.

- Senior must demonstrate initiative and determination by being accepted into a 2 or 4-year college or university with a degree program.
- Applicant's academic average shall be at least 75% and not more than 90%.
- Official high school transcript must accompany application.
- Senior must prepare a typed essay of no more than 500 words on the following topic:

"Using a life experience, community service or extra-curricular activity that you participated in, describe the impact the experience had on you, what you learned about yourself and how it has influenced your plans for the future."

Students must mail application, official signed High School Transcript and essay directly to:

Ms. Barbara Watson

339 South Lenox Ave., East Patchogue, NY 11772 before March 1, 2025.

Applications can be picked up at your Guidance Office.

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ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: SENIORS FROM 12 SUFFOLK COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS



COLONEL JOSIAH SMITH CHAPTER NSDAR "V" SCHOLARSHIP

The Col. Josiah Smith "V" Scholarship is to financially assist a deserving high school senior (male or female) in meeting the expenses of a higher education. The student must be a child or step-child of a parent or legal guardian who is presently serving or retired from any branch of the U.S. military. The scholarship will be a one-time \$500 award. This scholarship is not intended for students at the top of their class. Instead this scholarship is directed to help those students who persevere, to the best of their ability, in the achievement of success, and who demonstrate a financial need.

- Applicant must be the child or step-child of a parent or legal guardian who is presently serving or retired from any branch of the U.S. military. Proof of service will be required if a student is chosen to receive an award.
- Applicant must demonstrate initiative and determination by being accepted for admission in a 2 or 4-year college or university with a degree program.
- Applicant's academic average shall be at least 75% and not more than 90%.
- Official high school transcript must accompany application.

Senior must prepare a typed essay of no more than 500 words on the following topic:

"Using a life experience, community service or extra-curricular activity that you participated in, describe the impact the experience had on you, what you learned about yourself and how it has influenced your plans for the future."

Students must mail application, official signed High School Transcript and essay directly to:

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ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: SENIORS FROM 12 SUFFOLK COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

**THE BEST WAY TO PREDICT THE FUTURE
IS TO CREATE IT**

**DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION (NSDAR):
COLONEL JOSIAH SMITH CHAPTER AMERICAN HISTORY
AWARD**

Social Studies instructors at each high school will select a senior who has shown excellence in American History. The National Society of Daughters of the American Revolution will present a medal and certificate. The senior will be chosen by the faculty.

[Click for application!](#)

**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND NEWFIELD
HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS**

**DIXON ENGINE COMPANY 3 – DENNIS J. ZARCONE
MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

Established in the memory of Dennis J. Zarcone who was an active member of the Selden Fire Department. Although he had limitations, all Dennis wanted to do was belong and serve his community. This \$500 scholarship is granted to a graduating senior who is currently receiving special education services and attends Newfield High School. Students must list the post-secondary and/or vocational training he/she is seeking. Additionally, give examples in an essay of their good citizenship, community service and positive academic attitude for the future.

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**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL
SPECIAL EDUCATION SENIORS**

**THE EDWARD "NED" CARTER MEMORIAL
SCHOLARSHIP**

The Association of Fire Districts of the State of New York is pleased to offer the Ned Carter Memorial Scholarship Award for High School Seniors. These scholarships are named in honor of Past President Ed 'Ned' Carter', and all deceased past presidents of the Association. In keeping with Ned's lifelong dedication to community service and helping others, four (4), one time \$1,500 scholarships will be presented to graduating high school seniors who will be pursuing a career in a community services related discipline. The applicants MUST be RELATED TO A FIREFIGHTER or, BE A FIREFIGHTER or be RELATED TO A FIRE DISTRICT COMMISSIONER, DISTRICT SECRETARY, DISTRICT TREASURER OR DISTRICT DEPUTY TREASURER, DISTRICT ADMINISTRATOR/ MANAGER OR BE AN EXPLORER IN A FIRE DEPARTMENT. The Fire Department/District MUST be a current member in good standing with AFDSNY.

Applications will be available online on the Associations' website <https://www.afdsny.org/application.php>

Note: To be considered for this honor, applications can be submitted online, emailed or mailed and postmarked by March 2, 2025, and mailed to: AFDSNY Scholarship Committee, Tim Deveny, P.O. Box 370, Wading River, NY 11792

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**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: New York State High School
Seniors**



EILEEN TREANOR MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Two (2) \$250 scholarships will be offered to female seniors who meet the following criteria:

Women who have strong intentions of majoring in a Science, Technology, Engineering, or Mathematics (STEM) field.

Requested information:

- Intended major
- Intended university
- Activity Sheet

Essay Submission (500 words max) that addresses both of the following components:

1. The English translation of the Latin phrase Ut Prosim is "That I May Serve." What does this mean to you?
2. A number of challenges face women who choose to enter a STEM field. What made you want to take on these challenges and how do you plan to help break those barriers?

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ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

THE GABBY PETITO SCHOLARSHIP FUND

This scholarship was established in 2021 to honor Gabby Petito, although Gabby graduated from Bayport-Blue Point, she attended Newfield High School for some time. All through her life, Gabby always had a passion for art of all kinds, as an avid illustrator and photographer herself. Her father, Joseph Petito was also born and raised in Selden and this scholarship is a way for him to give back to his former community. Gabby's family conceived the award as a way of keeping her memory alive in the hearts and minds of all who knew and loved her during her life and those that grew to love her posthumously. This scholarship will be awarded to a graduating senior pursuing a future in visual arts. The recipient will personify Gabby's youthful and free-spirited likeness, must submit an art project that raises awareness for domestic violence, and be chosen by their talent and desire in pursuing the arts. The student's GPA will not be a factor in the selection.

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ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

GARY ADLER MEMORIAL EDUCATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP

A \$750 award will be given to a graduating Newfield High School senior who is an average hard-working student, school spirited/sports oriented. Student will be chosen from the Activity Sheet.

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ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

GINNY SLATTERY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

The family, friends and colleagues of Ginny Slattery wish to establish a scholarship award in her memory for the June 2025 graduation at Newfield High School. Employed by the Middle Country School District for over thirty years, Ginny Slattery was a special education teacher at Selden Middle School and retired in 2000. During her career she taught and mentored her students to be successful in achieving their potential. Mrs. Slattery was a dedicated teacher who was creative and innovative in her instruction to her students. She was a role model to her colleagues and mentored future special education teachers. Ginny Slattery exemplified the highest ideals of all educators. A scholarship in her name is a very fitting way to commemorate her dedication to her profession and to public education. Throughout her life, her loving spirit was always evident in her devotion to family, friends, colleagues, and students.

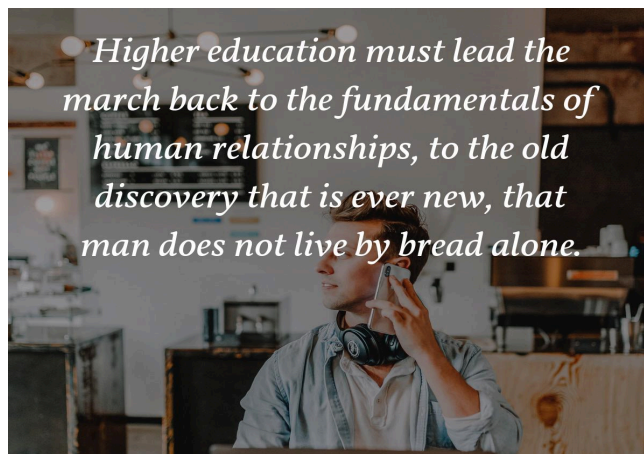
Criteria for the scholarship will be:

- Given to one graduating student from Newfield High School
- The student is a special education student which would include self-contained, main-streamed, resource room, or other within the special education program
- The student will pursue further study beyond high school towards a career or trade at a 2-or-4 year college, technical school, or trade school.
- Student has a financial need to continue their education

The student is selected by the special education department and/or guidance counselor.

[Click for application!](#)

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS



GREATER MIDDLE COUNTRY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE SCHOLARSHIP

The Middle Country Chamber of Commerce will be offering a scholarship to a senior from each high school in the amount of \$250 each. The scholarships will be based on participation in the DECA Program. Interested candidates will be required to write an essay explaining what field they are pursuing in business and why.

[Click for application!](#)

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

JAMES GHIRINGHELLI MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS, "STRINGS OF LIFE"

Description: This Scholarship is named in memory of my beloved son James Ghiringhelli who made a difference in this world on many levels including acting, singing and playing guitar which, I refer to as his, "Strings of Life". Music overall brought him deep joy which he shared with countless others. A \$500 scholarship will be awarded to a Newfield High School senior who has participated in Tri-M, chorus, orchestra, band, musical, drama or the Thespian Honor Society.

Requirements: Students are required to write an essay of no more than 500-words (typed and double spaced) about themselves and how being in the performing arts has been important in their life and who inspired them?

- Please include the Student Activity Sheet
- Student should have at least a 2.9 GPA
- A short interview with student will be required
- "Optional Performance" student can demonstrate a short piece of their acting or musical ability.
- Student doesn't need to be planning to pursue a career in the Performing Arts.

[Click for application!](#)

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

JEFF IORIO MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

The family of Jeff Iorio is honored to award one (1) \$500 scholarship to a Newfield High School senior who will be pursuing a career in education. The scholarship is named in memory of Jeff Iorio who truly made a difference in this world and whose passion was dedicated to the Arts. Required essay: What are your plans for the future and where do you see yourself ten years from now? Please include your intended major as well as occupational goals. (250-300 words)

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ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

JESSICA VAIANELLA MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS

A \$500 scholarship will be awarded to a Newfield High School senior who has participated in band, chorus, or Thespian Honor Society. Applicants should have at least a 2.8 GPA, but need not be planning to pursue a career in the performing arts. Students need only to write an essay of no more than 500 words (typed and double spaced) about yourself and how being in the performing arts has been important in your life and complete an Activity Sheet.

[Click for application!](#)

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS



JIM AND MARY RAGUSA SCHOLARSHIP

A total of two (2) scholarships will be awarded in the amount of \$500. One scholarship will be awarded to a football team member who plans to attend college and who is a team and student body leader demonstrating good character; the football coaching staff will choose the award recipient. The second scholarship will be awarded to a NHS female student athlete who plans to attend college and who also shows leadership and good character; the physical education staff will determine the award recipient. This scholarship is sponsored by proud Wolverine Alumni Fran, Jim and Mark Ragusa.

[Click for application!](#)

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR ATHLETES

JOHN PETER SOLTAN MEMORIAL AWARD

The family of John Peter Soltan is pleased to present a scholarship to a graduating Newfield High School student who has distinguished themselves with a C+ average. This student should be planning to study Forensic Science or the Criminal Justice field. The recipient will plan to continue their education at a four-year college and demonstrate financial need.

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ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

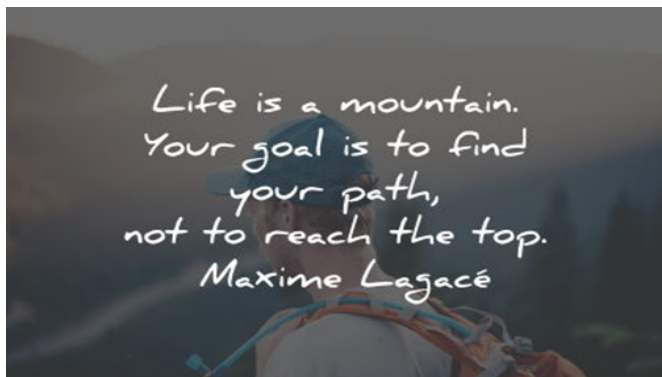
THE JONES FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship is in memory of John & Vera Jones, who were very supportive, caring and loving parents for their five children. All Newfield High School alumni: Colleen - 1966 graduate, Maureen - 1968 graduate, John - 1973 graduate, Kathleen - 1974 graduate and Thomas - 1980 Graduate. You must be a NHS senior at the top half of your class, who wishes to pursue post-secondary education leading to a career in education, healthcare or business. The student should be responsible, reliable, hardworking and a role-model to his/her peers. Preference may be given to a student from a working-class family who has limited means. This \$1000 scholarship will be renewable for 4 years to the student selected, provided that student maintains a 3.0 GPA or higher.

The student will be responsible for sending their transcript each year to the NHS Scholarship Committee for verification.

[Click for application!](#)

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS



LAKE GROVE CULTURAL ARTS, RECREATION AND EDUCATION SOCIETY SCHOLARSHIP (L.G. CARES)

L.G. CARES will be awarding two (2) scholarships in the amount of \$500 each to graduating seniors (one male/ one female) from Centereach High School. Candidates must be well-rounded, maintain at least a B average, intend to further their education, participate in community involvement and live in the Incorporated Village of Lake Grove. Scholarship winners will be determined by the CHS Scholarship Committee.

[Click for application!](#)

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

LIFETOUCH SCHOLARSHIP

A \$1000 scholarship will be awarded to one Centereach High School senior who is a member of the Yearbook Club. Student will be chosen by the Yearbook Advisor.

[Click for application!](#)

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

LIGHTHOUSE INSURANCE – JOSEPH B. ROSE SCHOLARSHIP

The Lighthouse Insurance Scholarship was established in memory of Joseph Rose who was an ardent supporter of higher education. Two (2) \$500 scholarships will be awarded to aid two graduating seniors from Newfield High School who are planning to attend an institution of higher education. Each student must complete an Activity Sheet and meet the following criteria:

- Plans to continue their education beyond high school
- Maintained high levels of academic achievement
- Involved in community affairs and school activities

Recipients will be chosen from the Activity Sheet and the merits of a written essay (maximum of 200 words). The essay should explain what your goals are and how you will benefit our community and those around you after college.

[Click for application!](#)

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

LOUIS M. BONACASA MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Sponsored by VFW Post 400 in honor of Staff Sergeant Louis M. Bonacasa, a member of the United States Air Force and a graduate of Newfield High School. He was Killed In Action in Afghanistan on December 21, 2015.

A required 250-word essay must include:

How would they improve the quality of life in the Selden/Centereach community?

[Click for application!](#)

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

NEW YORK BLOOD CENTER SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship was established to acknowledge the efforts of high schools and their students that sponsor at least two blood drives each academic year. High school students contribute approximately 25% of the blood donated on Long Island.

Criteria and components of the scholarship award include:

- Winner displays exceptional leadership and organizational skills in coordinating school blood drives and recruiting fellow students to donate.
- Award winner is not required to be a blood donor.
- Activity Sheet must be uploaded by interested applicants.

The scholarship winner will be selected by the faculty/staff member responsible for supervision of the student blood drive effort. Please see Ms. Montana for the application.

[Click for application!](#)

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATING SENIORS

LONG ISLAND FUTSAL SCHOLARSHIP 5-ASIDE SOCCER

Two (2) \$250 awards will be presented to outstanding seniors in Varsity Soccer with a B average or better. The high school soccer coaches will recommend students deserving of this award. Students will be chosen from the Activity Sheet.

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ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND NEWFIELD HS SENIOR VARSITY SOCCER PLAYERS



MATTHEW LEWIS MEMORIAL MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP

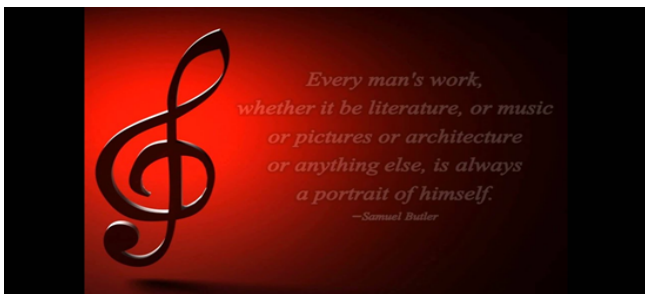
The Matthew Lewis Memorial Music Scholarship is offering two (2) \$500 scholarships to graduating seniors, one from each high school who have been active in the MCCSD music program. This award is for someone who loves music, but is not necessarily majoring in music. A required 350-word essay must include:

- Why music is important to your life?

Please only use your student number-not your name, on your essay.

[Click for application!](#)

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS



MATTHEW LEWIS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP "I'M NOT THE SAME PERSON I WAS IN 9TH GRADE."

The Matthew Lewis Memorial Scholarship is offering a \$500 scholarship to a graduating Centereach High School senior. A required 350-word essay must discuss:

- How have you changed?
- What would you say to your younger self?
- How do you see your future?

Please only use your student number-not your name, on your essay.

[Click for application!](#)

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

MATTHEW LEWIS MEMORIAL THEATER SCHOLARSHIP

The Matthew Lewis Memorial Theater Scholarship is offering one (1) \$500 scholarship to a graduating Centereach High School senior who has been active in CHS theater program and/or community theater. The student does not have to major in theater in college. A 350-word essay is required and must discuss:

- When did you know theater was something you wanted to do?
- How has it impacted your life?
- What is your most memorable moment?

Please only use your student number-not your name, on your essay.

[Click for application!](#)

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

MIDDLE COUNTRY AUTO - AUTOMOTIVE SCHOLARSHIP

Middle Country Automotive is offering two (2) \$250 scholarships to one senior from each high school who will be entering into automotive education or automotive trade school. Candidates must show good character and citizenship and has maintained a good record throughout their high school years. (Do not include name-student number only.)

[Click for application!](#)

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

MIDDLE COUNTRY CHILDREN'S SOCCER AWARD

The Middle Country Children's Soccer organization is offering up to four (4) \$500 scholarships to graduating seniors who reside in the Middle Country Central School District. The criteria needed to apply for these scholarships include:

- The student must be a past or present member of the MCCS – either as a player or as a referee.
- The student must be planning to attend an accredited college or university in the fall semester following graduation
- Indicate on the top of the page your student identification number only. (NO NAME)

If you meet the above-mentioned criteria, please answer the following questions in essay form.

- Describe your plans for the future; include your college plans, as well as a possible major course of study and career path.
- What experiences have you had with Middle Country Childrens Soccer? How have these experiences affected you personally?
- What advice would you offer to the younger members of our club? Explain to him/her how being involved with MCCS has helped you and also how you feel their involvement will benefit them.
- Why do you feel the Middle Country Children's Soccer Scholarship should be awarded to you?

[Click for application!](#)

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

MIDDLE COUNTRY SPORTS ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP

The Middle Country Sports Association would like to award the following scholarship:

GIRLS' AND BOYS' BASKETBALL SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarships will be awarded to male and female college-bound graduating seniors who have played in the MCSA basketball program for a minimum of two years. Interested candidates will be required to write an essay explaining how your participation in the Middle Country Sports Association through the years has affected your development as a person.

[Click for application!](#)

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: COLLEGE BOUND SENIORS FROM CENTEREACH AND NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL

MULLER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship will be awarded to a graduating student with financial need. Two (2) \$1,000 scholarships will be awarded, one to each high school. The recipients will be determined by the building scholarship committee.

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ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

POSITIVELY PINK MISSION

To spread positivity to help the healing process for patients and for their families and friends. To provide monetary support to assist graduating high school students whose lives have been affected by cancer.

Requirements:

Lives must have been affected by cancer. Applicants **must** be college bound high school seniors.

Materials to include with application:

- Copy of high school transcript
- Brief essay describing how their lives have been affected or changed by cancer.

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ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

RITA TSOUKARIS SCHOLARSHIP

Ms. Rita Tsoukaris, the Licensed Associate Broker-Team Leader of Team Rita is giving the Middle Country School District two (2) \$1000 scholarships to one senior from each high school. Ms. Tsoukaris is looking for two students who have made a difference in someone's life and are involved in community service. The winners must provide a graduation photo to be advertised as the scholarship winner for their class in an ad for Team Rita and social media.

[Click for application!](#)

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

SELDEN CIVIC ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP

The Selden Civic Association is offering one (1) scholarship to one senior from either Newfield High School or Centereach High School. The student must complete an Activity Sheet and meet the following criteria:

- Plans to continue their education beyond high school.
- Must be an average to above average student.
- Submit an essay.
- Be active in their community.

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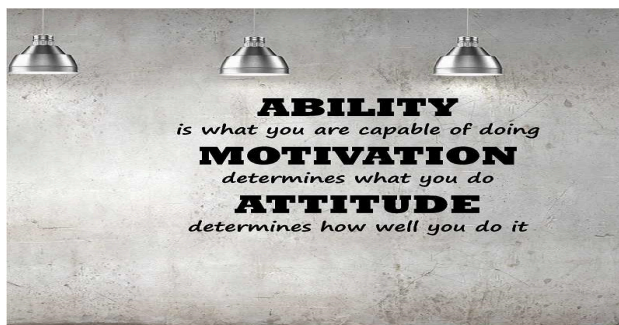
ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: Selden Resident Only

SELDEN FIRE DEPARTMENT SCHOLARSHIP

Two (2) \$500 scholarships will be awarded to one student from each high school. Applicants must be active in the community and achieve academic excellence. Fire Department related community service preferred. Students will be chosen by Selden Fire Department Personnel from their Activity Sheet.

[Click for application!](#)

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS



STEPHEN MCNAUGHTON MEMORIAL MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship will award two (2) \$1000 scholarships to a student from Newfield High School, to qualified applicants who have demonstrated their love and dedication to music in our schools and our community.

[Click for application!](#)

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

SUFFOLK TRANSPORTATION SERVICE SCHOLARSHIP

Suffolk Transportation is offering four (4) \$1000 scholarships to two seniors from each high school. This scholarship is available to any student who has demonstrated hard work, good citizenship, and been a positive member of the school community. The student must complete an Activity Sheet.

[Click for application!](#)

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

SUSAN SATRIANO MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

The Susan Satriano Memorial Scholarship Foundation will award scholarships to students who meet the following three requirements:

- The student must be a graduating senior.
- The student must be attending a college in the fall.
- The student must have a parent(s) presently battling cancer, in remission or unfortunately had a parent(s) succumb to the disease.
- The student must be willing to be acknowledged at an Awards Program at their high school.

No student will be turned down if all the requirements are met. An interview, either in person or by Skype, will be set up for each applicant to meet with the sponsor of this scholarship.

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ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

#TEAMYOLO AT HOMESMART DYNAMIC REALTY THEATER SCHOLARSHIP

HomeSmart Dynamic Realty is offering four (4) scholarships to Centereach High School and/or Newfield High School graduating seniors who have been active in the theater program and/or community theater. The scholarship is open to lighting and stage crew as well. Please include Activity Sheet
(Do not include name - only your student number)

A 500-word essay is required on the topic:

"What did you get from your theater experience?"

Please only use your student number - not your name on your essay.

[Click for application!](#)

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

TFCU'S \$2,500 ANNUAL SCHOLARSHIP DRAWING

Teacher's Federal Credit Union awards a total of \$37,5000 in scholarships to fifteen winners through the Teachers Federal Credit Union Scholarship Program! All students in Suffolk and Nassau Counties are eligible to join TFCU. Open an account for only \$1.00.

Applications must be received by March 7, 2025 @

www.teachersfcu.org

To be eligible, the student must:

The student must be a graduating senior.

- Graduate from high school in Spring 2025
- Have a minimum GPA of 3.5
- Attend an accredited college or trade school in Fall 2025 as a full-time student
- Be a member in good standing with a savings and checking account

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ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: MEMBERS OR CHILDREN OF MEMBERS AT TEACHER'S FEDERAL CREDIT UNION

UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS AWARD

The United States Marine Corps will be offering three (3) awards:

The Distinguished Athlete Award will be awarded to an outstanding athletic leader.

The Scholastic Excellence Award will be based on academic achievement, leadership and dedication to the school community.

The Semper Fidelis Musical Award will be awarded to an outstanding music student with good grades and leadership.

[Click for application!](#)

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

VINCENT III & JAKE GENTILE MEMORIAL FOUNDATION

The Vincent III Gentile Memorial Foundation began in 2014 in honor of Vincent's memory, who was a truly remarkable young man. Vincent had a passion for life and sports. Vincent's smile could light up a room and inspire all those around him with his undeniable strength. Although Vincent did not have the opportunity to graduate from high school, we know he would be honored to present two Newfield High School seniors each with a \$250 scholarship. Unfortunately, 3 years after Vincent's passing his cousin Jake was diagnosed with the same rare cancer and he lost his battle in September 2022. Jake was a true warrior and faced every challenge with grit and determination. He loved speed and was obsessed with quads, motorcycles and fast cars. Jake's strength was evident even after his leg was amputated, he never let it stop him from riding or learning to drive. Jake had a heart of gold and we know along with Vincent he would love to present a scholarship. So, we have joined these two amazing warriors and renamed our foundation to the Vincent III & Jake Gentile Memorial Foundation. The recipients, like Vincent and Jake, must have a passion for life and sports and exude the following qualities: leadership, sportsmanship and ambition. In addition, the applicants must provide a short essay describing how participation in a team sport helped to develop their overall character.

[Click for application!](#)

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

