



**QUINCY SENIOR
HIGH SCHOOL**



**2024
ANNUAL HONOR AWARDS
PROGRAM**

**MAY 14TH, 2024 AT 6:30 P.M.
QUINCY SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL
THEATRE**

Honor Awards Program

Tuesday, May 14, 2024

Welcome

Jody Steinke, Principal

Emcee

Bill Sanders, Assistant Principal

Military Awards

Local College and University Awards

Local Scholarships/Awards

Recognition Awards

Department Awards

Other Awards

QHS Counselors

Dan Buelte · Camille Donaldson · Sarah Hoebing

Erica Huntley · Paige Owsley · Chad Struck

Ashley VanCamp · Megan Williams

ILLINOIS STATE SCHOLARS CLASS OF 2024

In order to enter the Illinois State Scholars competition, high school students must take the ACT and/or the SAT I college entrance exam in their junior year of high school and have the scores sent to ISAC. Approximately 10% of Illinois high school seniors are designated State Scholars and receive a Certificate of Achievement for the accomplishment. As part of this honor, JWCC offers each student a scholarship worth \$500 to be used toward furthering their education at JWCC. This is a one time award to be applied to the fall semester at JWCC.

Thaddaeus Bates

Ryan Mast

Landon Baudino

Sierra Miller

Brandon Cain

Trevor Nelson

Leah Chevalier

Aiden Niewohner

Ryan Corriveau

Aubrey Pool

Leila Dade

Eden Scheuermann

Danielle Dohm

Olivia Schuering

Cayley Dougherty

Kiley Shoot

Joseph Engelmeyer

Benjamin Siemer

Dashira Fletcher

Elaina Smith

Gabriel Gold

Paxton Smith

Olivia Heinze

Evan Sohn

Landon Hoener

Brooks Sonethongkham

Falaq Khan

Kris Stewart

Morgan Kim

Preston Trinh

Anderson Knapp

Grace Vaughn

Jenna Knudson

Louis Wilson

Brianna Lannerd

Alex Yang

The information included in this booklet is current as of May 14, 2024.

We apologize for any names that are misspelled or inadvertently missing from the program and appreciate your understanding!



2024 PRESIDENT'S EDUCATION AWARD

The President's Education Award is given to students who have a GPA of 3.50 or above after the first semester of 12th grade and a ranking in the 85th percentile.

Ashlyn Babey
Thaddaeus Bates
Brandon Cain
Leah Chevalier
Eli Clark
Kyrsten Coons
Ryan Corriveau
Leila Dade
Danielle Dohm
Cayley Dougherty
Anna Ehmen
Joseph Engelmeyer
Dashira Fletcher
Taylor Fohey
Gabriel Gold
Libby Goodwin
Kaden Grim
Olivia Heinze
Thomas Hess
Andrew Himpl
Landon Hoener
Sullivan Holthaus
Landon Jones
Falaq Khan
Morgan Kim
Anderson Knapp
Jenna Knudson
Isabelle Krause
Brianna Lannerd
Ryan Mast
Elissa Maynard

Jack Mettemeyer
Sierra Miller
Trevor Nelson
Aiden Niewohner
Jett Noble
Aubrey Pool
Gabrielle Pugh
Ethan Rodgers
Eden Scheuermann
Olivia Schuering
Kiley Shoot
Benjamin Siemer
Elaina Smith
Paxton Smith
Evan Sohn
Brooks Sonethongkham
Kris Stewart
Dylan Summers
Lakyn Thomas
Preston Trinh
Lilia Twaddle
Owen Uppinghouse
Wyatt Vahlkamp
Hutson Vander Ley
Grace Vaughn
Haylee Wagner
Jaiden Weber
Amelia Willing
Haley Woodyard
Alex Yang



MILITARY AWARDS

Congratulations to all students who decide to serve their community and country by enlisting in military service.



U.S. Army Post 9/11 GI Bill Staff Sergeant Charles Rankin Peyton McGrath

The Post 9/11 G.I. Bill is an education benefit program for individuals who have served their country after September 10, 2001. It provides financial support for education and housing to eligible veterans, servicemembers, and their families. The bill covers the cost of tuition and fees, provides a monthly housing allowance, offers stipends for books and supplies, and allows for transferability of benefits to family members.

Illinois Army National Guard Scholarship SFC. Seth Pilkington, presenter Payton Eddy · Caidon Lish · Chase Sade

The Illinois Guard Grant became a part of the Illinois Constitution in 1976

United States Marine Corps. High School Awards Program Staff Sgt. Christopher S Hicks, Presenter

U.S. Marines Distinguished Athlete Award Gabriel Gold · Brianna Lannerd

The U.S. Marines offers a distinguished athlete award to those students who have excelled both athletically and academically.

U.S. Marines Scholastic Excellence Award Morgan Kim

The U.S. Marines offers a scholastic excellence award to those students who have excelled academically.

US Marine Corps Semper Fidelis Music Award Connor Kamm

The "Semper Fidelis Music Award" dates back to the days of John Philip Sousa and his role in making the Marine Corps Band the premiere musical unit it is today. This award is given to recognize a musician who has shown yearly improvement, dedication, and enthusiasm.

United States Air Force High School Awards Program Jonathan Howe SSgt/USAF, Presenter

U.S. Air Force Recruiting Service Math Award Leah Chevalier

The U.S. Air Force recognition of outstanding academic achievement in math.

U.S. Air Force Recruiting Service Science Award Alex Yang

The U.S. Air Force recognition of outstanding academic achievement in science.



John Wood Community College Scholarships

We welcome Ryann Zimmerman, Admissions Coordinator, from John Wood Community College, who will be presenting the JWCC Scholarships.

JWCC Presidential Scholarship Libby Goodwin

A competitive full-tuition scholarship based on academic success and leadership within their schools and communities. These students serve as JWCC ambassadors and student leaders on campus.

Trail Blazer Scholarship Kyndle McGuire · Haley Woodyard

A competitive half-tuition scholarship for student leaders. Award is based on academic success and leadership within their schools and communities. These students become student leaders on campus.

Mercantile Bank Scholarship-JWCC Foundation Joshua Stupavsky

Awarded to an Adams county resident who is involved in extracurricular activities and maintains a minimum 3.0 GPA.

JWCC Dance Scholarship Alyssa Deeter · Karli Hagerbaumer

Awarded for excellence in dance as a future member of the JWCC Cheer Team.

Fredrick Ball Scholarship-JWCC Foundation Andrea Chagala

Awarded to a minority student who possesses good academic performance, leadership skills, and involvement in student activities.

Daniel E. Fischer Memorial Scholarship-JWCC Foundation Spencer Ames

In memory of Daniel E. Fischer. Awarded to a student who exhibits a willingness to work hard and the motivation to succeed.

Mary & Dan Larner Memorial Scholarship-JWCC Foundation Oliver Wood

In memory of Mary and Dan Larner, both JWCC retirees. Awarded to a student who is pursuing a transfer degree.

Math Awards

The QHS Math Department recognizes outstanding achievement by selecting students for departmental awards. Students receiving this award have excelled in both Calculus and Statistics, both of which are advanced placement mathematics courses.

Outstanding Students of Mathematics Brianna Lannerd · Alex Yang

Science Awards

The QHS Science Department recognizes outstanding achievement by selecting students for departmental awards. Students are nominated by science staff members for their citizenship, leadership, and their academics science courses.

Cheryl Vogler and Dan Lefler, presenter for the science awards.

General Science Award Katelynn Huntley

Life Science Award Brianna Lannerd

Physical Science Award Thaddaeus Bates

Overall Science Student Award Alex Yang

Social Studies Award

The QHS Social Studies Department selects students for one of four departments awards. Students are nominated by social studies staff members for their attitude, academic achievement, and success on AP exams taken in social studies courses.

History Award Andrew Himpsl

QHS DEPARTMENT AWARDS

The following awards are individual department awards for students who have excelled in their particular subject or who have achieved success by having a positive attitude or consistent performance in class.

Art Awards

The QHS Art Department selects two seniors who have shown outstanding creativity and profound art skills during the school year.

Lexi Brumbaugh, presenter for the art awards.

Outstanding Creativity and Profound Art Skills

Maya Shaw · Kasyden Williams

English Awards

The QHS English Department selects students for one of three department awards. Students are chosen by English teachers for their outstanding work in their senior year. The Honors Award is given to students who have excelled in honors coursework throughout their high school career.

Austin Riese, will be presenting the Contemporary Literature Award

Communication Arts Award

Kyndle McGuire

Honors English Awards

Thaddaeus Bates · Lilia Twaddle

World Literature & Composition Award

Xavier Hawkins

Foreign Language Awards

The QHS Foreign Language Department selects students for our award who demonstrate high academic achievement in Spanish or German, a desire to learn about world cultures and an ability to view world issues through a global perspective.

Spanish Awards Presented by Karen Agrimonti

Excellence in Ap Spanish

Olivia Schuering

Excellence in Spanish IV

Leila Dade

German Award Presented by Thomas Hosteng

Excellence in German IV

Grace Vaughn



Lemon Memorial Scholarship-JWCC Foundation

Allison Stephenson

In memory of Vera and Eddie Lemon, award is based on leadership skills, motivational goals, and a GPA requirement.

Burks Oakley Pre-Engineering Scholarship-JWCC Foundation

Maria Mefford

Awarded to an engineering major who exhibits leaderships skills, good academic performance, and extracurricular involvement.

Quincy Area Safety Council Scholarship-JWCC Foundation

Jayden Hokamp

Awarded to a student pursuing a safety-related major, possesses a passion about the safety field, and exhibits a drive to succeed.

Ronald Moore Memorial Scholarship-Agriculture

Grace Peter

In memory of Ronald Moore, this scholarship is awarded based on academic success and pursuance of a degree in Agriculture.

Livestock Evaluation-Agriculture Department

Garrett Morris

Awarded by the JWCC Ag Department based on excellent performance in livestock evaluation with plans to pursue an Ag Degree.

JWCC Music Scholarship

Andrea Chagala · Mira Madsen

Devon Miller · Lucas Piazza · Oliver Wood

Awarded for excellence in vocal or instrumental music.

The scholarships listed are provided through the Admissions Office and the JWCC Foundation, a private nonprofit corporation established to create new opportunities for students at JWCC.



We welcome Justin Ray, Dean of Admissions and Caylee Reeves, Tri-State & Northeast US Counselor, from Quincy University, who will be presenting the Quincy University Scholarships.

Legacy Scholarship

Ja’Niya Alexander · Ty Douglas · Colin Egbert

Elissa Maynard · Gabrielle Pugh · Cole Wagy · Skylar Winking

The Legacy Scholarship honors and celebrates graduates of Quincy University. This scholarship is awarded to children and/or grandchildren of a Quincy University graduate.

Robert Blazel Academic Scholarship-\$16,000-\$19,000 a year

Ava Dodd · Colin Egbert · Aubrie Ferguson

Thomas Hess · Connor Kamm · Braden Lowe

Elissa Maynard · Bryor Newbold · Gavin Powell

Gabrielle Pugh · Mattelyn Schlieper · Emma Slough

Skylar Winking · Owen Zanger

The Robert Blazel Scholarship is awarded based on the recipients’ high school GPA and ACT/SAT scores. The scholarship also recognizes the recipients’ dedication to academic excellence and is renewable for four years.

Phil Hoebing Academic Scholarship- \$12,000-\$15,000 a year

Kendall Batterton · Ty Douglas

Christopher Flachs · Abbie Parada-Olivares

The Phil Hoebing Scholarship is awarded based on the recipients’ high school GPA and ACT/SAT scores. The scholarship also recognizes the recipients’ dedication to academic excellence and is renewable for four years.

RECOGNITION AWARDS

National Merit Scholarship Award-Finalist

Brianna Lannerd

Alex Yang

A National Merit Finalist is a student who advances to finalist standing in the Merit Scholarship competition by demonstrating through distinguished performance high potential for future academic accomplishments.

Daughters of the American Revolution

Good Citizen Award

Moragn Kim

Each year the Daughters of the American Revolution present an award to an outstanding high school student who best exemplifies the qualities of Dependability, Service, Leadership and Patriotism.

SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

OUTSTANDING CITIZENSHIP AWARD

LILIA TWADDLE

Each year the Sons of the American Revolution present an award to an outstanding high school student. The Good Citizen Award is given to the student who best exemplifies the qualities of Dependability, Service, Leadership and Patriotism.

Multi-Athlete Scholastic Award

Brianna Lannerd

Each year the Athletic Department presents an award to the multi-sport athlete who has the highest GPA.

**RAY HENDRICKS MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP
LUCAS PIAZZA**

The Dr. Clifford A. & Marjorie E. Hendricks Memorial Scholarship is awarded to one QHS student each year.

**ROB MCINTYRE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
JACK METTEMEYER**

The Rob McIntyre Memorial Scholarship was established after Rob's untimely death in December 1985. Family and friends established this living memorial to be used for a graduating senior who plans to play college football and exemplifies the attributes of scholarship, character, desire, and athletic ability.

**SAM STORBY SCHOLARSHIP
LEILA DADE · JAZMYN LEWIS
ISIAH TALTON · RALPHEAL WIRES**

The Sam Storby Scholarship Fund was established by the late George H. Evans to be distributed to a member or members of the high school basketball teams who have earned a letter – one-half to be used by the female basketball team, and one-half to be used by the male basketball team and to be given based on the student's ability and need.

**STEPHEN SNIDER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP AWARD
LANDON JONES**

The Steven Snider Memorial Award celebrates the legacy of Steven Snider, a notable QHS graduate recognized for his achievements in both soccer and academics. Snider, an outstanding soccer player at QHS in 1980, was also a member of several academic societies, including the National Honor Society and the Society for Academic Achievement, and earned the title of Illinois State Scholar. Despite his promising future as a pre-med student at Washington University in St. Louis, Snider's life was cut short in 1984 while still actively involved in soccer.

**TOWN & COUNTRY BANK MIDWEST SCHOLARSHIP
TAYLOR FOHEY**

This scholarship is intended to assist one graduating QHS senior who has demonstrated exceptional achievement and wishes to further his/her education in the business/finance field.



**John Natalini Academic Scholarship-\$20,000-\$23,000
Madison Hill · Landon Jones · Ian Malaney
Vincent McKinney · Cole Wagy**

The John Natalini Scholarship is awarded based on the recipients' high school GPA and ACT/SAT scores. The scholarship also recognizes the recipients' dedication to academic excellence and is renewable for four years.

**Tom Brown Academic Scholarship- \$10,000-\$11,000
Ja'Niya Alexander · Paxton Buss · Adon Byquist**

The Tom Brown Scholarship is awarded based on the recipients' high school GPA and ACT/SAT scores. The scholarship also recognizes the recipients' dedication to academic excellence and is renewable for four years.

**Discovery Scholarship—\$500.00
Ja'Niya Alexander · Colin Egbert · Aubrie Ferguson
Thomas Hess · Braden Lowe · Vincent McKinney
Byror Newbold · Abbie Parada-Olivares
Mattelyn Schlieper · Cole Wagy**

Awarded to students who connect with campus by touring Quincy University and meeting with campus faculty and/or staff.

**Virtuoso Music Scholarship
Ian Malaney**

Audition-based music scholarship awarded to exceptionally talented instrumentalists or vocalists with exemplary dedication to music; scholarship combines with a student's other QU scholarships/grants to pay the cost of their tuition for four academic years.



We welcome Zach Patterson, Senior Admissions Counselor, from Culver-Stockton College, who will be presenting this evening.

**PRESIDENT'S SCHOLARSHIP
ELAINA MOHR**

The is a merit-based scholarship awarded to a student that has been accepted to Culver-Stockton College.

**HILLTOP SCHOLARSHIP
ARIELLA BRADLEY · MADDISON CRAMSEY
PAIGE KURFMAN · WESLEY LINDGREN**

The is a merit-based scholarship awarded to a student that has been accepted to Culver-Stockton College.

**WILDCAT SCHOLARSHIP
BENJAMIN HOGGE**

The is a merit-based scholarship awarded to a student that has been accepted to Culver-Stockton College.

**DR. CLIFFORD A. & MARJORIE E. HENDRICKS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
MORGAN KIM**

The Dr. Clifford A. & Marjorie E. Hendricks Memorial Scholarship is awarded to one QHS student each year.

**Dr. Mark Gold Scholarship
Anderson Knapp · Elaina Smith**

Two \$1000 scholarships will be awarded to a QHS senior who will be going into a the medical or related field. The scholarship is in memory of the late Dr. Mark Gold, a long-time Quincy physician and proud QHS parent.

**DR. MICHAEL K. OUWENGA SCHOLARSHIP
LEILA DADE · MORGAN KIM**

The Dr. Michael K. Ouwenga Scholarship is in honor of Quincy Medical Group urologist and board member who passed away unexpectedly in 2019 at just 43 years old. The scholarship was made possible by a generous donation from Dr. Ouwenga's family who wanted to honor his memory and lay down tracks where he lived. The family's hope is that the scholarship recipients exhibit the characteristics that Dr. Ouwenga embodied: scholarship, leadership and service.

**JACOBS-DAILEY EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP
DANIELLE DOHM · JOSEPH ENGELMEYER · JACK METTEMAYER
BENJAMIN SIEMER · PAXTON SMITH ·
ALLISON STEPHENSON · LILIA TWADDLE**

Established by successful QHS Alumni Aaron Jacobs with a \$40,000 yearly gift, the primary purpose of the Jacobs-Dailey Scholarship is to provide a financial boost to QHS graduates pursuing education after high school. Requirements include moral propriety and a minimum GPA of 2.5. Aaron Jacobs graduated from the University of Illinois with a BS in chemistry and an MS in biochemistry. He earned his PhD in biochemistry from USC and an MBA from Hood College. He also spent 26 years in the U.S. Army and 8 years with the U.S Air Force. In the first three years of the scholarship, almost 35 students have been helped with college expenses.

**LEONA J. COZEAN SCHOLARSHIP
CIARRA LANKEY**

In honor of Leona J. Cozean, former Quincy High School Counselor, this scholarship was established to assist a student interested in obtaining a degree in the educational field.

**MERCANTILE MERIT SCHOLARSHIP
MARIA MEFFORD · HALEIGH WELCH**

A \$500 scholarship is given to graduating seniors who are going to pursue an education at John Wood Community College, thus providing a start for those deserving students.

**QUINCY MASONIC LODGE #296 SCHOLARSHIP
LEAH BERTER · EVIE DELGADO**

Since 1986, Quincy Masonic Lodge #296 has sponsored a \$500 scholarship for a deserving Quincy High School senior. We are grateful to the members of Lodge #296 for their continued support of educational excellence.

QUINCY FEDERATION OF TEACHER SCHOLARSHIP

Megan Williams, presenter
DANIELLE DOHM · HAYLEY LAIR

The QFT awards these scholarships with proceeds from the S.O.S. Project (Support Our Students by Supporting Our Staff).

QUINCY SERVICE LEAGUE SCHOLARSHIP

Linda Douglas, presenter
ASHLYN BABEY · MORGAN KIM
PAXTON SMITH · LILIA TWADDLE

Quincy Service League was founded in 1938 as a way for women to participate in & enhance community by service. Scholarships are awarded each year using funds from the Holiday Gift Show.



Please welcome Jody Steinke, Principal of Quincy High School, who will present the next set of awards. Mr. Steinke will be assisted by Paige Owsley and Megan Williams, School Counselors.

C. DOROTHY BADER SCHOLARSHIP

GARRETT SMITH

The Trust established under the Will of C. Dorothy Bader makes funds available each year for the payment of tuition to a graduating senior. This award is shared between QHS and QND students who have been accepted in college for the next term. Criteria used for this award are scholarship and ability.

CLASS OF 1929 EXCEPTIONAL ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

EVAN SOHN

This award seeks to identify and recognize a senior student whose efforts and character exemplify what it takes to attain the worthy goal of a high school education while overcoming obstacles. A highly motivated, determined student who has demonstrated exceptional achievement is awarded this scholarship.



Welcome Kent Embree, Program Officer at the Community Foundation serving West Central Illinois and Northeast Missouri, who will present the next awards.

Becky Swisher Crowe Scholarship

Jansen Lawson

Becky Swisher Crowe taught at both Quincy Junior High School and Quincy Senior High School beginning in 1970. She was killed March 9, 1979 in an automobile accident on her way to work. To honor Becky's life and passion for education, her colleagues immediately set up a scholarship in her name. Bob Siebers, a retired high school counselor and one of Becky's colleagues eventually moved the fund to the Community Foundation as the permanent way to ensure a lasting legacy for Becky.

QHS Class of 1957 Scholarship

Morgan Kim

Members of the class of 1957 had successful careers in many fields and have made countless contributions to society. One of the scholarship's goals is to encourage the youth of today and tomorrow to make the most of their lives through education and service to others. "The scholarship fund is a way of giving something back to the community and school that nurtured us," says Dr. John Sallstrom, member of the scholarship committee, which also includes Ned Broemmel, Bill Daniels, Jolene Brenner, Dennis Williams, and Julie O'Connor.

F. Lee & Joan Kammerlohr Family Scholarship

Taylor Richie

The F. Lee and Joan Kammerlohr Family Scholarship was established in 2021 in honor of Joan's dedication to education. Joan spent 39 years as an elementary teacher in Wisconsin; Singapore; and Quincy, Illinois. The scholarship is awarded to a Quincy Senior High School graduating senior who intends to pursue a teaching career, through an accredited two-year or four-year post-secondary institution, with a preference for Elementary Education. Based on academic achievement, merit, financial need, and good citizenship, the scholarship is renewable for up to three additional years.



Welcome Heidi Lanier, Executive Director of the Quincy Public Schools Foundation, who will present the next awards.

**BECKER MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP
SIERRA MILLER**

Samuel Becker & his brother in honor of their sisters initiated the Becker Music Scholarship. Approximately \$500 is awarded to one student intending to study music education or music performance. A candidate must demonstrate leadership and scholarship.

**DR. ROBERT E. MEYER SCHOLARSHIP
JOSEPH ENGELMEYER**

In honor of Dr. Robert E. Meyer, former superintendent, this award is given to a graduating Quincy High School senior planning a career in teaching, journalism, or public service.

**HENTZEL SCHOLARSHIP
ADON BYQUIST**

This four-year award goes to a student in the College & Career Readiness course who has exhibited outstanding personal characteristics and strong potential.

**JACK MADDEN SCHOLARSHIP
JANSEN LAWSON**

This scholarship is given in honor of Jack Madden, a former Quincy High School teacher. This scholarship was created to encourage students who have a bright educational future and help prepare them to enter a post secondary school such as a vocational, two or four year college.

**LEE PAPPAS/QUINCY SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL—ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIP
ELAINA SMITH**

The Lee Pappas/QHS was founded in 1987 and tries to recognize a Quincy High School student who works hard and has determination in the classroom, but is sometimes overlooked. The scholarship is monitored and maintained by Lee and Denise Pappas.

**LEE PAPPAS/QUINCY SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL—ATHLETIC SCHOLARSHIP
LEILA DADE**

The Lee Pappas/QHS Athletic Scholarship was founded in 1990 and tries to recognize the athlete who works hard and has determination within their sport, but is sometimes overlooked. The scholarship is monitored and maintained by Lee and Denise Pappas.

**WILLIAM MOORE HISTORY SCHOLARSHIP
ETHAN RODGERS**

This scholarship was initiated in 1996 by the family of William Moore, who was a former History teacher at Quincy High School. It is awarded to a student for excellence in History.

NATIONAL & LOCAL SCHOLARSHIPS/AWARDS

**Adams County Farm Bureau Foundation
Brent Clair, Presenter
Hayley Lair**

The Adams County Farm Bureau Foundation was organized 17 years ago to carry out charitable, literacy, and educational work for the betterment of the agricultural community. The Foundation is funded by member donations and community fundraising.

**Altrusa International
Patricia & Leonard Kramer Memorial Scholarship
Kathryn Hill and Denise Percy, presenters
Danielle Dohm · Morgan Kim**

Patricia Kramer was a member of Altrusa International of Quincy. She and her husband, Leonard, strongly supported Altrusa because of its emphasis on literacy. When they passed away in the 1990's, their estate made a donation to establish a scholarship fund.

**Bodley Lodge N. One Scholarship
Jack VanCamp, Worshipful Master, Presenter
Nehemiah Winebrinner**

Bodley Lodge is proud to be a part of the world's oldest and largest fraternity. Each member strives in earnest to be a better man, husband, brother, son, and member of his community. They are solidly grounded in their traditions, proving quality degree work, along with many opportunities for social activities and fellowship.

**Commitment To Excellence Award
Dr. Paul Miller, presenters
Xavier Hawkins**

Dr. Miller has given this award for the last 21 years. He is excited to once again invest in the future of a youth from this community who has proven their commitment to excellence. This scholarship is awarded to the student that most improves his/her cumulative GPA during their freshman to senior year.

**OPTIMIST CLUB OF QUINCY
TOM EICKELSCHULTE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
Matt Schmidt, presenter
MORGAN KIM**

Matt Schmidt, an Optimist Club of Quincy member, is here to present this award. The Optimist Club has presented this award to Quincy Area Vocational Technical Center students since 1974 in honor of a deceased member instrumental in establishing this award. Tonight we honor the Tom Eickelschulte Memorial Scholarship recipients.