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Senior Class Guidance Counselors:

We are proud to announce that we will be awarding a scholarship to a young man or woman who will be pursuing a career in an agricultural related field. An agricultural field is most everything in business related fields as well as engineering, computer sciences, biology as well as the more well known agriculture fields such as veterinary, mechanics, agronomy, herd management etc.

This award will be given to a student in western Monroe, Genesee, Niagara, Livingston, Orleans, or Wyoming counties. There will be one scholarship awarded for one-thousand dollars each year for up to four years. This will be payable at the end of the first, third, fifth and seventh semesters providing the student maintains a 2.0 grade average or better. If the student attends a two-year school, they will receive a total of two one-thousand dollar payments unless they transfer to a four-year curriculum and continue in an agricultural related curriculum. This year we will be awarding five-hundred dollar book awards to the finalist.

Students who are interested in applying may send an essay to the scholarship committee. In it they must tell us why they should be considered, include their background and future goals, what career they will be pursuing and where, as well as why they have chosen an agriculture field and what they hope to learn from it. The student must include their full name, address and a phone number where they can be reached either during the day or in the evening.

All applications must be received by February 15, 2017. The applications will be reviewed by the committee and several finalists will be asked to come in for a personal interview. The winner will be selected based on need, essay information and the desire shown at the interview to use their schooling in achieving their goals. The winner will be announced by March 31, 2017.

Please send all essays to Tom Lewis, c/o Monroe Tractor at the above address. Any questions may be addressed to Tom Lewis at 585-343-9263. If I am not available, please leave a phone number where you can be reached.

Should you have any questions or require further information, please don't hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

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