

**ACTON-BOXBOROUGH REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL
LOCAL SCHOLARSHIPS PRESENTED AT
THE SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS CEREMONY
CLASS of 2011**

This is a list of local scholarships awarded Tuesday evening, May 31st at the ABRHS Scholarship Awards Ceremony indicating criteria as established by donors.

Speech Writing/Oratorical Contest Scholarship 2 students - \$1,000
The law firms of Graham & Graham, PC and Harsip & Stuart, PC will each present a \$1,000 annual scholarship to two ABRHS graduating seniors. The speech writing and oratorical contest is open to all graduating members of the senior class and is judged by an ABRHS Faculty Board. Major criteria will be writing content, writing ability, tone, and presentation of the final speech.

Fred L. Robbins Scholarship 13 students various amounts
Acton residents without any regard to previous schools attended. Recipients must be matriculating on to further education on an undergraduate level, and must be in good academic standing at the regional high school.

AB Regional Parent-Teacher-Student Organization Scholarship 1 student - \$750
Presented to a graduating senior who has demonstrated excellence, and who has shown exceptional skill in promoting communication among the many interest groups in the high school. This scholarship is to be awarded to a student who is not receiving any other scholarship.

Robert E. Kessler Scholarship 1 student - \$750
This scholarship is awarded to a graduating senior who has promoted communication within the high school community and who demonstrated leadership and tenacity in the pursuit of excellence. This scholarship is to be awarded to a student who is not receiving any other scholarship.

Stephen A. Donovan Scholarship 2 students - \$750
This scholarship is to be awarded to an ABRHS graduating senior who has made a positive contribution to the high school community and has demonstrated leadership skills in an understated way without the recognition of a specific "leadership post." This student has shown that he or she values and respects each of his peers, and possesses the qualities of self-motivation, integrity, creativity, dedication and commitment. Preference may be given to a student who is planning a career in education, counseling, or other areas where service to others will be required.

The Sandra Wilensky Scholarship Fund 1 student - \$500
The student must be a Merriam School alumnus who best exemplifies the Merriam School Core Values of Risk Taking, Persistence, and Respect and who has participated in some type of Community Service.

Blanchard PTF Scholarship - Class of 1979 2 students - \$1,000
Presented to a graduating senior who is a Boxborough resident and also a graduate of the Blanchard Memorial School who will be furthering his/her education at an accredited post-secondary school in the field of his/her choice. Preference is given to a student who has contributed or volunteered his/her services to the Boxborough community.

Blanchard Foundation Grants 23 students – various amounts
Given primarily on the basis of scholarship, activities, citizenship, and financial conditions, with the possibility of continued aid after the first year, depending upon performance of recipients. Candidates must be legal residents of Boxborough for a period of one year, and must have attended the sixth grade of Blanchard Memorial School.

Carolyn T. Douglas Scholarship 1 student - \$250
The scholarship will be given to an ABRHS graduating senior who attended R.J. Grey JHS and at least three years at C.T. Douglas Elementary School. He/she must have graduated within the top half of his/her high school class, be accepted and attend an accredited 2 or 4 year college or university. The student must have participated in school activities and because of C.T. Douglas School's emphasis on "caring for others", should have been involved in a community service. Financial need will be given some consideration.

AEA - Julia McCarthy Memorial Scholarship 1 student – \$2,000
The Acton Education Association presents this scholarship to a senior of high scholastic achievement and good school citizenship, who plans to prepare for a career in education.

John F. Prendiville III Memorial Scholarship 1 student - \$ 2,000
The John F. Prendiville III Memorial Scholarship shall be awarded to a graduating student of Acton-Boxborough Regional High School matriculating to Northeastern University College of Engineering or, if no graduate of the present year is matriculating to the college of engineering, then to a student who is matriculating to any school at Northeastern University. The recipient shall have exhibited a commitment to personal professional growth and a positive influence on the morale of others

Judith McNulty Scott and Kathryn Anne Scott Memorial Scholarship 1 student - \$1,000
This scholarship serves as a memorial to Judy McNulty Scott for her lifelong dedication to teaching, to the children in her classrooms, and to public education. Her unconditional love for all children, for her family, and for the Douglas School family was a hallmark of her life.

James W. Baker Memorial Scholarship 1 student - \$500
Awarded to a personable student of average scholastic standing and financial need who is pursuing a college education in business.

Richard J. Bartolomeo Performing Arts Scholarship 1 student - \$1500
This memorial scholarship is awarded to one graduating senior who has displayed a strong work ethic, a willingness to help others, a dedication to one's community, an exceptional sense of humor, and a love for the arts. This student has actively participated in any aspect of the arts (music, theater, audio visual, art, or dance) throughout high school. Preference may be given to a student who intends to pursue a degree in the arts or education.

Nick Bottos Memorial Scholarship (A-B Soccer Program) 1 boy, 1 girl - \$250 ea.
This scholarship is given to two graduating seniors who are members of the ABRHS soccer program and will use the award to further their education. The student(s) must have been dedicated team players and have exhibited good sportsmanship as well as being a positive influence in the community.

Charles Battit Memorial Scholarship 1 student - \$800
Student with serious approach to academic studies, with an interest and commitment in some form of activity beyond academic study, proven leadership qualities, interested in continuing his/her education; and most importantly, a student who faces daily problems with a spirit of optimism and vitality.

Charles Brusie Memorial Scholarship 2 students - \$1,000
The scholarship will be awarded to a graduating Gates and Conant School senior interested in pursuing a career as a school counselor and/or other related fields in human service. The recipient should have a keen sense of community service and volunteerism.

Christine Dexter Memorial Scholarship 1 student - \$1,000
This scholarship will be awarded to a deserving college bound ABRHS graduating senior who attended both R.J. Grey JHS and C.T. Douglas Elementary Schools. Like Christine, the recipient must have exemplified a love of community service. This student will have earned a minimum ABRHS Community Service award of 50 hours for each of their 4 years at ABRHS through community involvement.

Brian J. Fowler Memorial Scholarship - Class of 1986 1 student - \$1,000
Awarded to a graduating senior who holds excellence in academics and participation in extracurricular school activities in high regard. In addition, the recipient must exhibit the qualities of optimism, dependability, and concern for others. The award will be for the purpose of furthering his/her education.

Greg's Grant Foundation Memorial Scholarship 1 student - \$2,000 per year/4 years
Awarded to a graduating senior who best embodies the spirit of courage and serenity in overcoming obstacles that was exhibited by Gregory D. Melander during his battle against an incurable disease. Greg was a Gates School student who would have graduated with the ABRHS Class of 2007. One award will be granted towards college education for a four-year period, renewable each year based on the student's maintenance of a good academic standing and availability of funds.

Sarah Lynn Hughes Memorial Scholarship 2 students - \$2,000
Awarded to a graduating senior who is popular among his or her peers, because of their caring and supportive nature. Someone who is funny, generous and dependable, with a smile that can light up a room. The award will be used for the purpose of furthering his/her education.

The Frederick E. Joyce Memorial Scholarship 1 student - \$500
This scholarship is given in memory of an Acton resident who rose to the rank of Lieutenant Colonel after 37 year of service in the United States Army. This scholarship is to be awarded to a deserving ABRHS senior who will be pursuing a military education.

Frederick S. Kennedy Memorial Scholarship 1 student - \$200
Awarded to a student who has been accepted at an accredited college or university, and plans to major in history, or has shown outstanding grades in high school history.

James T. Bleiler/Theron D. Brown Fine Arts Scholarship 1 student - \$500
Given by Lifetouch National School Studios to an outstanding student who has demonstrated artistic and creative growth and plans to pursue a visual arts education.

Dennis Michael Kulsick Memorial Scholarship 1 student - \$1,000
The scholarship will be presented to a graduate who will be continuing his/her education in college. This senior will exhibit optimism, respect for himself and others and the capacity to identify and pursue a dream for the future.

- John Ledoux Memorial Scholarship** 1 student - \$500
 Awarded to a student who has been active in the fine arts and/or music throughout high school and who has been accepted at an accredited college and intends to pursue a degree in art and/or music.
 The recipient must be a kind and gentle individual who has achieved personal growth and exhibited a positive influence on others.
- Thomas F. Meagher Memorial Scholarship** 1 student - \$500
 The award should be given to a student going to college who has demonstrated strong academic excellence while participating on the ABRHS soccer teams or field hockey team. Outstanding soccer or field hockey skills are not required but the student should display the qualities of integrity, a positive attitude, team spirit and determination to do their best on and off the field.
- Barbara Parker Memorial Scholarship** 1 student - \$500
 This scholarship is given to a member of the National Honor Society at Acton-Boxborough who has exemplified the 4 qualities of scholarship, leadership, service and character.
- Daniel Rinaldi Heart Award** 1 student - \$2500
 The Daniel Rinaldi Heart Award Fund was established in 1999 to honor the memory of two time ABRHS Football Captain Dan Rinaldi. The scholarship is awarded to a graduating senior from the AB Football Team. The award is presented to the player who exemplifies the character that was Dan Rinaldi's legacy: hard-work, dedication, pride, character and teamwork.
- Melinda C. Samperi Memorial Scholarship** 1 student - \$500
 This scholarship is awarded to a graduating college-bound senior who has demonstrated their love of the performing arts during their high school years with a focus on dance or choreography. In addition, this student should also display a cooperative spirit and team-building attitude. Preference may be given to those who are planning to pursue dance performance at the college level.
- The Harry Tinseth Memorial Theatre III Scholarship** 1 student - \$500
 This scholarship will be given to a student who has been active in the fine arts throughout his/her high school years, and who intends to pursue an education in theater or the performing arts while in college. This scholarship will be given to a student who has been active in the fine arts throughout his/her high school years, and who intends to pursue an education in theatre or the performing arts while in college. Some involvement with Theatre III if possible either personal or family involvement.
- Russell Mark Turner Memorial Scholarship** 1 student - \$200
 A memorial award will be given to a student who demonstrates the following qualifications:
 a. Good school citizenship and sportsmanship; b. Participant on ABRHS. track team; c. A student planning to continue his education.
- UBRSS Scholarship** 1 student - \$2,000
 The recipient will display a strong commitment to the values that our parents hold dear. These values include: scholarship, friendship, optimism, perseverance, leadership and service. On behalf of our parents who worked tirelessly to instill these values in us, we present this award.
- Richard and Rosemary Dow Mathematics, Science and Tech. Scholarship** 4 students- various amounts
 In order for the student to be considered for this scholarship he/she will write an essay addressing each of the following criteria showing how they feel they meet each of them, and how these criteria relate to their future plans.
1. Excelled in mathematics and science for 5 years at the Honors and/or AE level
 2. Succeeded in at least one programming class at the Honors or AE level
 3. Demonstrated a strong work ethic, motivation, and integrity
 4. Demonstrated a love for the integration of mathematics, science and technology
 5. Loves to solve problems and think "outside the box"
 6. Demonstrates his/her capacity and determination to identify and pursue a dream for the future
 7. Expresses a need for financial support
 8. Accepted into an accredited college or university (name) and will be majoring in mathematics, science, and/or technology
- James Edward Kinsley Educational Foundation Scholarships** 2 students - \$2,500
 The prerequisites of this award are as follows: 1) an Acton resident for at least 10 years; 2) a student of average standing in the class who is planning to matriculate in an institution of higher learning. One award will be given for a four-year period and will continue as long as the student maintains a good academic standing
- Katherine Mary Kinsley Scholarship** 1 student - \$200
 Student selected on the basis that he or she has been a good school citizen and well-rounded individual during his or her high school career.
- Mary V. and Peter M. Smoltees Scholarship** 4 students - \$1,000
 Awarded to graduating seniors on the basis of scholarship, good citizenship, and participation in activities.

Robert J. and Eve L. Matusow Scholarship Fund 1 student - \$650
The selection of the student should be based on scholastic achievement, extra curricular activities, and active participation in the field of science. The student should possess good character and integrity.

Middlesex Savings Bank Scholarship 1 student - \$1,000
Students should possess the following attributes:
Good academic standing - A GPA of at least 3.0 for junior and senior years
Community Service - A commitment to the community as exhibited through some level of service, either ongoing or project based. A student who has, during their high school years, had the courage and perseverance to significantly improve their academic performance and make positive changes to their life.

The Betsy Ball Scholarship Fund 6 students - \$1,000
These scholarships will be awarded to Acton residents who intend on pursuing a degree in higher education.

John & Elise Hammond Scholarship 1 student - \$1200
Criteria: Awarded to an overall outstanding senior selected by the principal of the high school. Must be a Boxborough resident and a graduate of the Blanchard School. Financial need is not a criterion.

Acton Chinese Language School Scholarship 2 students - \$500
This scholarship will be awarded to a student who has been accepted an accredited college or university and who has studied or been involved in Chinese culture or language for three years or more and plans to continue such activities in the future.

ELL Scholarship (English Language Scholarship for ABRHS seniors) 1 student - \$200
Beginning with the graduating class of 2010, Acton-Boxborough Regional High School will present an ELL student a scholarship for college. English Language Learners make up a small portion of our student body and often quietly go about their lives. For some families, college costs are a hardship or impossible. With future lives in mind, a new scholarship that targets this group is being developed. The students will be selected by review of teachers and counselors. The students will have shown seriousness in study, community service commitment, and need for financial assistance.

The AB Young Alumni Scholarship Fund 1 student - \$300
This scholarship is awarded to an inspired student with improving marks, participation and demonstrated leadership in some of the many activities offered by ABRHS and a reputation of respect amongst ones peers.

Acton-Boxborough PIP (Parent Involvement Project) Scholarship 4 students - \$250
The PIP scholarship is for graduating ABRHS seniors with an interest in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM) education. Strong first preference will be given to students who volunteered to help lead PIP Community STEM events and activities, such as AB Robotics, Star Parties, Market Math, or the Sci-Tech Fest. Second preference will be given to students pursuing a career in Science, Technology, Engineering or Math.

Acton Permanent Fire Fighters Local 1904 Scholarship 1 student - \$1,000

- Scholarship recipient must be the son or daughter or step-son or step-daughter by marriage of an Acton Fire Fighter who is a current member and is in good standing with the Professional Fire Fighters of Massachusetts Union and Acton Permanent Fire Fighter's Union Local 1904. The student must be graduating from high school and have been accepted to an accredited college or university.
- Scholarship recipient who is planning to enter the field of Fire Science and has been accepted at an accredited college or university in this same field.
- Scholarship recipient must be a graduating senior of Acton-Boxborough Regional High School, who has attended grades 9-12, has been accepted to an accredited college or university, and has been an excellent student in school as well as an excellent citizen in the local community.

Boxborough Professional Firefighters Assoc. Inc. Local 4601 Schp. 1 student \$1,000
The scholarship shall be awarded to an Acton-Boxborough Regional High School graduating senior who has been accepted to an accredited college or university, is a resident of the Town of Boxborough and plans to continue an education in the following fields: Fire Science, Medical (Paramedic EMT, Nursing) or a Public Safety related field.

Acton Police Association - Edward Brooks Memorial Scholarship 1 student - \$1,000
This award is given to a student who has been accepted at an accredited college or university and who plans to work toward a degree in law enforcement or criminal justice, or is the child of an Acton Police Officer.

Acton Police Association - Michael Foley Memorial Scholarship 1 student - \$1,000
Student who is planning to enter the field of law enforcement or criminal justice and who has been accepted at an accredited college or university in this same field, or is the child of an Acton Police Officer.

Acton Police Association - Norman Roche Memorial Scholarship 1 student - \$1,000
Student who is planning to enter the field of law enforcement or criminal justice and who has been accepted at an accredited college or university in this same field, or is the child of an Acton Police Officer.

American Legion Scholarship 1 student - \$500/4 years
This scholarship will be awarded to a student who has contributed to his/her school, community, or society as a whole, who has performed above and beyond the expectations of socially responsible student/citizens, who has demonstrated the qualities of self motivation, leadership, creativity, dedication, and commitment. Preference will be given to a student who is the child of a veteran of World War II, the Korean Conflict, and the Vietnam War, or whose parents have served honorably during peacetime in the Armed Forces of the United States.

Acton Lions Club - Dr. John Golden Memorial Scholarship 1 student - \$1,500
This Scholarship is awarded to an individual who demonstrates the qualities of loyalty, honesty and service through Community involvement. The recipient should be a kind, caring, considerate person. The individual should have demonstrated participation in an activity, or activities that benefits others in the Community.

Acton Lions Club - James Connors Memorial Scholarship 1 student - \$1,500
This Scholarship is awarded to an individual who demonstrates the qualities of loyalty, honesty and service through Community involvement. The recipient should be a kind, caring, considerate person. The individual should have demonstrated participation in an activity, or activities that benefits others in the Community.

Acton Lions Club - Norman Lake Memorial Scholarship 1 student - \$1,500
This Scholarship is awarded to an individual who demonstrates the qualities of loyalty, honesty and service through Community involvement. The recipient should be a kind, caring, considerate person. The individual should have demonstrated participation in an activity, or activities that benefits others in the Community.

Acton Lions Club – William Karkane Memorial Scholarship 1 student - \$1,500
This Scholarship is awarded to an individual who demonstrates the qualities of loyalty, honesty and service through Community involvement. The recipient should be a kind, caring, considerate person. The individual should have demonstrated participation in an activity, or activities that benefits others in the Community.

Acton Lions Club – Timothy “Ted” Harrigan Memorial Scholarship 1 student - \$1500
This scholarship is awarded to an individual who demonstrates the qualities of loyalty, honesty and service through Community involvement. The recipient should be a kind, caring, considerate person. The individual should have demonstrated participation in an activity, or activities, that benefits others in the community.

Acton Animal Hospital 1 student - \$300
This award is to be given to a student who has shown strong academic performance in biology and plans to work toward a career in clinical sciences, preferably in veterinary medicine.

Acton Garden Club Scholarship 1 student - \$1000
This scholarship is given to one Acton student who has displayed academic excellence, and who is intending to pursue a career in conservation, forestry, botany, horticulture, or environmental sciences, or other related discipline.

Acton Woman's Club Annual Scholarship 2 students - \$1500
Award is presented to a student who has been accepted at an accredited college, whose scholastic standing is in the top half of his/her class. Preference is given to a child of a member or former member of the Woman’s Club. Three Acton Woman’s Club members will select the semi-finalists and give names to the high school scholarship committee for final selection.

Boxborough Garden Club Scholarship 1 student - \$1000
Graduating student who is a Boxborough resident, accepted at an accredited college, a well-rounded student, and of good citizenship. Preference is to give to a student who is going into the fields of agriculture, horticulture, life sciences, or environment. Preference is also given to a child of a member or former member of the Boxborough Garden Club.

Boxborough Minuteman Scholarship 2 students - \$2,000
This scholarship is awarded to a deserving Boxborough senior who has been accepted to a school of higher learning.

The Jack Rose Memorial Scholarship – (Boxborough Minutemen) 1 student - \$2,000
This scholarship is awarded to a deserving Boxborough senior who has been accepted to a school of higher learning.

Brody Family Peer Leadership Awards 2 students - \$500
The awards shall be made to participants in the Peer Leadership Program who have demonstrated social responsibility, good citizenship, self motivation, creativity, leadership, commitment, and in particular dedication to the concepts and values of a peer leader. The intent is to identify the “silent informal leader” who is often overlooked or overshadowed by the formal leadership, who has contributed to the school’s Peer Leadership Program, the school as a whole and the local community.

- Danny's Place Youth Services Mary Laurion Scholarship** 3 students - \$850
The Mary Laurion Commemorative Volunteer Scholarships will be awarded to those seniors who are volunteers in good standing at Danny's Place; who have made material contributions to the success of the youth center; and have aided the personal growth of its members.
- Donelan's Supermarkets Scholarship** 1 student - \$1,000
This award is given to a student who has shown evidence of good scholarship and good school citizenship.
- French in Acton Scholarship** 1 student - \$250
Awarded to a graduating senior who has achieved academic success in the study of the French language, has displayed acute interest in the history, culture, and language of the French-speaking world, and has plans to continue French studies at a 4-year college/university.
- Friends of the Acton Libraries Scholarship** 1 student - \$750
Awarded to a student who has done consistent volunteer work for the Friends of the Acton Libraries, or to a student who has served the Acton Memorial Library in a volunteer capacity.
- Gallant Insurance Agency, Inc. Scholarship** 1 student- \$500
Given to graduating members of the senior class who are going on to a college of their choice in the field of business, who have demonstrated community leadership, participated in extracurricular activities, and have been a solid school citizen. Based on financial need although this is not to be a final determination.
- Haartz Corporation Scholarship** 1 student - \$2,500
Awarded to a student going on to a four-year college/university with the intent to pursue a career in engineering or science.
- Hub International (formerly Brewer & Lord) Scholarship** 1 student - \$500
Awarded to a graduating senior pursuing a degree in business at a 4 year college, and has demonstrated school and community involvement.
- ITC (Infant Toddler Children's Center) Scholarship** 1 student \$500
This scholarship will be awarded to an Acton-Boxborough High school graduating senior who has been accepted to college and who plans to pursue a career in Early Childhood Education. The student shall have demonstrated compassion for others, a good sense of humor, creativity and be an enthusiastic learner. The student should be respectful of others and the environment and have participated in some activities that help improve our community, or the lives of young children. Preference, if possible, should go to a student who attended the Infant Toddler Children's Center as a young child.
- Margo's Hair Design Scholarship** 1 student - \$500
This award is given to a graduating man or woman who is continuing their education in the cosmetology field. The individual should have a creative nature, zest for an exciting life and truly enjoy working with people.
- Evelyn Olschewski Scholarship** 1 student - \$500
This scholarship is given to an Acton student who has displayed a significant commitment to the community and the cause of social justice. The individual shall have demonstrated qualities of compassion, integrity, leadership and service through activities helping to improve the conditions of those in need and protecting the rights of the marginalized in our society.
- Renaissance Electronics Corporation Scholarship** 2 students - \$500
Graduating student who has a need for financial aid and is proceeding to a college program. The recipient has demonstrated academic excellence in the areas of math and science, and has also demonstrated care and concern for his/her fellow students and the community at large.
- A-B Friends of Drama – Performance Award** 1 student - \$500
This scholarship is awarded to a student who has exhibited excellence in performance in Proscenium Circus productions. In addition, this student should also display a cooperative spirit and team-building attitude, both on and off stage. Preference may be given to those who are planning to pursue performance at the college level.
- A-B Friends of Drama – Service Award** 1 student - \$500
This scholarship is awarded to a student who has served the Proscenium Circus Drama Club in a variety of ways, has exhibited leadership and team-building skills, and has shown a positive attitude and cooperative spirit, both on and off stage.
- A-B Friends of Drama – Technical Theater Award** 1 student - \$500
This scholarship is awarded to a student who has shown outstanding and consistent work in any technical aspect of theater including: costuming, hair, and makeup, lighting, props, set construction, set painting, sound, stage management. This student would also demonstrate a cooperative spirit and team-building attitude in their work with Proscenium Circus.
- Linda Potter Theatre Award** 2 students - \$500
This scholarship is awarded to a student who has shown outstanding and consistent work in any aspect of theater while at Acton Boxborough Regional High School. Preference will be given to a student who plans to study theater in college or who plans to participate in theater as an avocation after graduation.

- AB Band Commitment Scholarship** 1 student - \$500
 Awarded to a band member who has displayed a selfless commitment to the program. A person who has gone the extra mile to provide some kind of need to better the band. This person not only will have supported the program in some fashion, they will have done an admirable job doing it.
- AB Choral Valentine Scholarship** 4 students - \$250
 Awarded to a graduating senior who has devoted much time, energy, and “heart” into the choral program.
- AB Outstanding Music Student Scholarship** 2 students - \$500
 Awarded to the outstanding music student in the senior class, one graduating member of the band and one graduating member of the chorus, who has contributed greatly to the school music program.
- Acton-Boxborough Friends of Music Scholarship** 5 students - \$250
 Presented to two members of the band, two graduating members of the chorus and one graduating member of the color guard who have shown the following qualities: Participation in the established music programs (band, chorus, or color guard): Have shown good attitude and integrity within the program; Have shown good musicianship, and Have worked at supporting the music program and supported its activities and members.
- Acton Family Dental Bright-Smile Award** 1 student - \$1,000
 Awarded to a student who is a patient of Acton Family Dental Care formerly McQueen Dental Associates, P.C.) He/she can be a new patient or an existing patient. The awarded student must also have at least one of the following qualifications:
1. Is a good citizen in the school community, respectful of teachers, school staff and peers and is well-respected by others.
 2. Is an aspiring and optimistic individual with positive influence on the morale of others, exhibits qualities of dependability and concern for others.
 3. Is a well-rounded individual with average or above average academic standing.
 4. Exemplifies leadership skills in any school activity with excellent teamwork and spirit.
- ABSAF (Acton-Boxborough Student Activities Fund Scholarship)** 2 students - \$250
 Student Board Member for two years
 Demonstrated community involvement
- AB Youth Basketball Scholarship** 10 students – \$150
 This scholarship is presented to graduating seniors who have been involved with the Acton-Boxborough youth basketball programs and will use the award to further their education. Specific consideration will be given to those who recognize the importance of community service through their time spent volunteering and working for the A-B Community Education Youth Basketball Program and the A-B Travel Basketball Program. Additional considerations include past participation in these programs as a player, being the son or daughter of a youth basketball coach and financial need.
- AB Youth Hockey Assoc. – Bob Caldwell Scholarship** 2 students - \$1,000
 This scholarship will be given to a senior graduating male and female who will use the award to further their education at an accredited college or university. The students will have participated in their respective high school hockey programs, at the varsity or junior varsity level, for at least two years. The recipients will be student athletes in good standing who have demonstrated the qualities of leadership, good sportsmanship, and like Bob Caldwell, have volunteered in the community to help others achieve. Consideration will be given to those individuals who have participated in the ABYHA program as a player, coach or volunteer.
- Acton-Boxborough Youth Boys Lacrosse League (ABLL) Scholarship** 1 student - \$500
 This scholarship is presented to a male graduating senior who has been involved with the Acton-Boxborough Youth Boys Lacrosse program, who has participated in ABYLL for at least three seasons as a player or coach and will use the award to further their education at an accredited college or university.
- AB Youth Soccer /Milt Hart Memorial Scholarship** 14 students - various amounts
 This scholarship is presented to graduating seniors who have participated in the ABYS soccer program for a minimum of two playing seasons; who have demonstrated a high degree of sportsmanship during their participation; who have contributed to overall team effort and the soccer program by their enthusiasm, determination and competitive spirit; who will use the award to further their education. Better than average scholarship standing is required. Outstanding soccer skills or scoring ability are specifically not criteria. Preference will be given to those graduating seniors who have participated in ABYS as a player, coach and/or referee while in junior high or high school.
- Acton-Boxborough Pop Warner Scholarship** 11 students - \$450
 Awarded to graduating seniors who participated in the A-B Pop Warner program for at least three seasons, participated at ABRHS in either cheerleading or football for at least three seasons, demonstrated a high degree of sportsmanship during their participation, and will use the award to further their education

- Acton-Boxborough Youth Softball Scholarship** 2 students - \$500
 This award is presented to a female graduating senior who has participated in the AB Youth Softball Program for at least two playing seasons: who has demonstrated a high degree of sportsmanship during her participation; who has been accepted at an accredited college or university; who will use the award for the furtherance of her education. Better than average academic achievement is required. Outstanding softball skills are specifically not criteria. Preference will be given to those graduating seniors who have participated in AB Youth Softball either as a player, coach and/or umpire while in junior high or high school.
- Acton-Boxborough Youth Baseball Scholarship** 2 students - \$250
 This scholarship is presented three graduating seniors who have been involved with ABYB as a player, coach or umpire. This award will be used to further their education and the candidate must not be the recipient of a full tuition scholarship.
- ABRHS Alpine Ski Team Scholarship** 5 students - \$200
 This scholarship will be awarded to any graduating senior who has been a member of the AB Alpine Ski Team for four years and plans to continue their education in college.
- AB Baseball Boosters Scholarship** 10 students - \$250
 This award is given to a member of the baseball program who will use the award to further his education as well as maintain his interest in baseball. Criteria for the award include: perseverance, dedication, loyalty, and unselfishness.
- AB Basketball Booster Scholarships** 5 students - \$400
 This award is given to a senior boy who is a member in good standing of the varsity basketball squad for at least one year, and who will use the award to further his education. The recipient must have demonstrated to a high degree the qualities of team play, sportsmanship, and determination to do his best.
- AB Basketball Booster/Shook Memorial Scholarship** 1 student - \$400
 This scholarship is awarded to a member in good standing of the Boys Varsity Basketball team for 4 years, and who exemplifies the qualities of Steve Shook, a former ABRHS basketball player. These qualities include quiet leadership by example, unselfish play, mental toughness, and mentoring other players. The recipient must also demonstrate high degree of team play, sportsmanship, and determination to do his best. The recipient must use this award to further his education.
- AB Basketball Cheerleader's Scholarship** 3 students - \$400
 The recipient will have been actively involved on Acton-Boxborough's Basketball Cheerleading Team for at least two years. She will also have displayed the qualities of scholarship, good sportsmanship, and team spirit.
- Larry Bishop Memorial Scholarship (AB Girls' Basketball Scholarship)** 5 girls - \$500
 This scholarship is given to a graduating senior member of the Girls' Basketball team who will use the award to further her education. The student must have shown dedication to the team, exhibited good sportsmanship, and participated as a team player.
- AB Volleyball Scholarship** 3 students - \$400
 This scholarship is given to graduating seniors who have been members of the volleyball team for a minimum of three years and are planning to continue their education in college. The students must have demonstrated dedication to the team, exhibited good sportsmanship, and participated as team players.
- Field Hockey Scholarship and Recognition Award** 11 girls - \$400
 This award is given to a senior who has been a member of the field hockey team for three years and is planning to continue her education in college. She must be a skilled and dedicated team player who has enhanced the program through her spirit, sportsmanship, and leadership.
- Acton-Boxborough Golf Scholarship** 2 students - \$250
 Awarded to graduating seniors who have been members of the golf team for a minimum of two years and who plan to further their education. The scholarship recipients will have demonstrated a passion for the game of golf that has been reflected in their sportsmanlike conduct on the course and their team building efforts both on and off the course. They will have represented their school community and provided leadership to their teammates by demonstrating the values of honesty and etiquette that are essential to the game of golf. A student will not be eligible for this award if he or she will be receiving a full four year scholarship.
- AB Gymnastics Scholarship** 3 students - \$300
 Awarded to graduating seniors currently on the team who have participated on the team for a minimum of two seasons and are planning to continue their education in college. The students should have demonstrated a dedication to the team, exhibited leadership as well as good sportsmanship.

AB Boys Ice Hockey Boosters Scholarship 9 boys - \$300

This award is given to a member of the ice hockey program who has contributed meaningfully to the program, who has successfully completed requirements for graduation, and who is a member in good standing in the community. Academic superiority and financial need are not necessarily criteria for consideration. These awards are to be given only to graduating seniors who do not receive full tuition, room and board from the schools they will be attending.

AB Girls' Ice Hockey Scholarship 6 girls - \$500

This award is given to 6 seniors on the varsity girls' ice hockey team, who have exemplified teamwork and leadership in the sport of hockey. The recipients must have been members of the varsity program for 3 or more years; have demonstrated that they are team players by their commitment to the sport both on and off the ice (i.e. off season conditioning, fundraising activities, etc.), are significant contributors to the success of the ice hockey program and have been accepted into an accredited college, university or other post graduate educational program. These awards are to be given only to graduating seniors who do not receive full tuition, room and board from the schools that they will be attending.

AB Lacrosse Boosters Scholarship - Girls 8 girls - \$150

The scholarships shall be awarded to one who has demonstrated team play and support for the sport of lacrosse, and to one who has shown good sportsmanship and respect for team members, opponents, coaches, and officials.

AB Boys Lacrosse Scholarship 11 boys \$150

This scholarship is given to the senior members of the 2011 Boy's Varsity Lacrosse Team. The Boosters recognize deserving seniors for their participation and commitment to the sport of lacrosse.

AB Monday Night Quarterbacks Club/Barry A. Loomis Memorial Scholarship 3 students - \$300

The Barry A. Loomis Memorial Scholarship is given annually to a senior member of the varsity football squad who will use the award to further his education. The recipient must have exhibited the qualities of sportsmanship, determination, and team play to a very high degree and must have been a four year participant.

AB Monday Night Quarterbacks Club/Football Cheerleading Scholarship 1 student - \$300

The football cheerleading scholarship is given annually to a senior member of the varsity football cheerleading squad who will use the award to further her education. The recipient must have exhibited the qualities of sportsmanship, school spirit, positive attitude, leadership, and promoting team unity to a very high degree and must have been a four year participant.

AB Monday Night Quarterbacks Club/James Flynn Memorial Scholarship 3 students - \$300

The James Flynn Memorial Scholarship is given annually to a senior member of the varsity football squad who will use the award to further his education. The recipient must have exhibited the qualities of sportsmanship, determination, and team play to a very high degree and must have been a four year participant.

ABRHS Nordic Ski Team Scholarship 2 students – \$150

This scholarship is awarded to one or more students who have been members of the Nordic Ski Team for two or more years. They have demonstrated a passion for the sport, have reflected good sportsmanship, and have demonstrated the ability to be team leaders.

AB Soccer Boosters Scholarships 16 students - \$300

These awards are given to graduating seniors on either the boys' or girls' varsity soccer teams for the purpose of continuing post-high school education. The recipients of these awards should have demonstrated that they have been team players and conducted themselves in a sportsmanlike manner and had respect for team members, opposing players, coaches, and officials. Recipients must have an average or better scholastic standing and be in compliance with the ABRHS athletic code.

AB Softball Scholarships 4 girls - \$300

This award is given to seniors who are planning to continue their education in an accredited college or post graduate program. They must be dedicated team players who have demonstrated good sportsmanship and enhanced the program with spirit and leadership.

AB Boys' Swim and Dive Team Scholarship 3 boys - \$500

Committee and have completed all paperwork required by the Committee). These scholarships shall be awarded to graduating seniors who have:

- competed a minimum of two years as athletes on the AB Boys' Swim Team
- served the Team in a leadership capacity
- good academic standing
- demonstrated good sportsmanship, loyalty and dedication to the team
- plans to continue their education

AB Girls' Swim and Dive Team Scholarship 4 girls - \$500
Presented to graduating seniors who have competed a minimum of 2 years as athletes on the AB Girls' Swim Team, served the team in a leadership capacity, a past affiliation with the Acton-Boxborough Town Swim Team as an athlete and/or assistant coach (divers are excluded from the requirement), a good academic standing, demonstrated good sportsmanship, loyalty and dedication to the team, and plans to continue their education.

AB Community Education Town Swim Team Scholarship 2 students - \$250

Criteria: These scholarships shall be awarded to graduating seniors who have:

- Completed a minimum of two years as an athlete and/or assistant coach on the AB Comm Ed Town Swim Team
- Good academic standing
- Demonstrated good sportsmanship, loyalty and dedication to the team
- Plan to continue their education

John & Elizabeth Bohannon Tennis Scholarship 3 students various amounts

This award is given to a member in good standing of the Boys/Girls Tennis Team for four years. The recipient must display determination to improve their game, dedication to the team, integrity and good sportsmanship. The recipient must plan to continue his/her tennis at the collegiate level.

AB Cross Country Boosters Scholarships 3 students various amounts

This scholarship is given to one male and one female student in appreciation for their dedication to the sport. Students who are graduating seniors and have been a member of the Cross Country team for at least three years are eligible. Recipients must be continuing their education in a two- or four- year accredited college. The students must have demonstrated leadership, sportsmanship and the determination to do his or her best.

AB Indoor Track Boosters Scholarships 3 students \$250

This scholarship is given to two male and two female students in appreciation for their dedication to the sport. Students who are graduating seniors and have been a member of the Indoor Track team for at least three years are eligible. Recipients must be continuing their education in a two- or four- year accredited college. The students must have demonstrated leadership, sportsmanship and the determination to do his or her best.

AB Spring Track Boosters Scholarships 4 students \$250

This scholarship is given to two male and two female students in appreciation for their dedication to the sport. Students who are graduating seniors and have been a member of the Spring Track team for at least three years are eligible. Recipients must be continuing their education in a two- or four- year accredited college. The student must have demonstrated leadership, sportsmanship and the determination to do his or her best.

AB Wrestling Scholarship 3 student -\$300

This scholarship is given to a graduating member of the wrestling team to further his education. The student must have shown dedication to the team, exhibited good sportsmanship and participated as a team player. The recipient must have been a member of the AB Wrestling Team for four years.