

**198th Commencement Awards
June 24, 2022**

Donor: Steuben County Veteran's Memorial Scholarship

Award: \$250 each

Recipient: Morgan Cheney, Susan Moore, Kendra Pinckney, Annabella Putnam

Donor: American Red Cross

Award: \$250

Recipient: Annabella Putnam

Donor: William P. Lentz Academic All Stars Scholarship

Award: \$100

Recipient: Annabella Putnam

Donor: CSEA- Local 1000 Scholarship Yates County

Award: \$800

Recipient: Annabella Putnam

Donor: Steuben County Superintendent's Association

Award: \$50.00 each

Criteria: To the Valedictorian and Co-Salutatorians of the Class of 2022

Recipient: Kendra Pinckney, Morgan Cheney, Annabella Putnam

Donor: PCS Administration

Award: \$150.00

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Recipient: Kendra Pinckney

Donor: PCS Administration

Award: \$150.00 each

Criteria: To the Co-Salutatorians of the Class of 2022

Recipient: Morgan Cheney and Annabella Putnam

Donor: Prattsburgh Central School Yearbook Advisors

Award: \$20.00 each

Criteria: Senior yearbook staff members

Recipient: Abigail Bajus, Morgan Cheney, Lindsey Irvine

Donor: Prattsburgh Student Council

Award: \$20.00 each

Criteria: To the graduating seniors who have demonstrated leadership skills and service to our school and community.

Recipient: Susan Moore, Kendra Pinckney, Annabella Putnam

Donor: Harriet M. Brown Memorial Scholarship

Award: \$20.00 each

Criteria: To the high school boy and girl who have been most outstanding on the criteria of scholastic effort, leadership, character, service and athletic participation.

Recipient: Samara Bixby and Caleb Johnson

Donor: Pulteney Fireman's Auxiliary

Award: \$100

Criteria: To a deserving Junior or Senior who displays the qualities of good citizenship in the school and community and resides in the township of Pulteney.

Recipient: Morgan Cheney

Donor: Mr. Curt James

Award: \$40.00 each

Criteria: To the senior members of the Academic all Star Team who have been on the team at least 2 years

Recipient: Morgan Cheney, Annabella Putnam

Donor: Family of Lewis R. Joseph

Award: \$100.00

Criteria: In Memory of Lewis R. Joseph - To a most deserving student in the Technology program or FFA

Recipient: Tanner Miller

Donor: Russ and Vicki Kopylczak

Award: \$50.00

Criteria: To the most deserving BOCES student

Recipient: Jacob Covert

Donor: Russ and Vicki Kopylczak

Award: \$50.00

Criteria: To a student showing the most effort to improve and contribute in Chorus

Recipient: Gavin Mills

Donor: The Birkett Mills

Award: \$50 each

Criteria: To the two most outstanding Agricultural students in grades 9 - 12

Recipient: Caleb Johnson, Tanner Miller

Donor: Anna Meyers Memorial Scholarship

Award: \$50.00

Criteria: To the student who, as determined by the support area teachers, has shown the most consistent effort during the current school year

Recipient: Jaden Tilley

Donor: Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Read

Award: \$100

Criteria: To the FFA members whose leadership has contributed the most to the success of the organization

Recipient: Divided between: Breanna Jorritsma and Virginia Savage

Donor: Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Read

Award: \$25.00 each

Criteria: To the FFA members who have shown the most interest in and dedication to FFA activities

Recipient: Madison Taylor and Jaeden Crowder

Donor: Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Read

Award: \$50.00

Criteria: To a graduating FFA member who plans to further his/her education in an agricultural field

Recipient: Jacob Covert

Donor: Alice E. Merritt Memorial Fund

Award: \$60.00

Criteria: To the senior, who upon enrollment in college, has shown outstanding courage and perseverance in high school

Recipient: Legacy Davis

Donor: ServU Credit Union

Award: \$100.00

Criteria: To a graduating senior who has demonstrated the characteristics that exemplify the Credit Union philosophy such as responsibility, cooperation and concern for community

Recipient: Susan Moore

Donor: Prattsburgh Varsity Club

Award: \$50

Criteria: To a graduating senior who played a varsity sport and deserves to be recognized for always giving 100%.

Recipient: Isabel Sprague

Donor: Prattsburgh Varsity Club

Award: \$25 each

Criteria: To the graduating senior officers

Recipient: Susan Moore, Kendra Pinckney and Annabella Putnam

Donor: Prattsburgh Masonic Lodge #583 Memorial Scholarship

Award: \$300

Criteria: To the graduating senior best demonstrating the Masonic values of leadership, and community service through volunteering and displaying integrity and brotherly love over the term of her four year high school career

Recipient: Mallory Patoine

Donor: PCS Administration

Award: \$20.00

Criteria: To the senior with the highest average attending Wildwood BOCES

Recipient: Andrei Campbell

Donor: Prattsburgh Board of Education

Award: \$100

Criteria: To the student in grades 9 - 12 with the highest report card average as of the 4th marking period.

Recipient: Kendra Pinckney

Donor: Mrs. Jan McMaster

Award: \$50.00

Criteria: To a senior who has worked hard to succeed in school and always showed exceptional kindness to others.

Recipient: Kurtis Chandler

Donor: Prattsburgh Rotary in memory of Eileen Filkins and Agnes McConnell

Award: \$100 each

Criteria: To two seniors who demonstrate the Rotary motto of "Service Above Self"

Recipient: Kendra Pinckney and Annabella Putnam

Donor: Mr. & Mrs. Mark Bristol

Award: \$20.00 each

Criteria: To the 2021-2022 flag bearers

Recipient: Kurtis Chandler, Nick Farley, Tanner Miller, Jaden Tilley

Donor: Rhonda Perkins-Buck in memory of Roy Perkins

Award: \$50

Criteria: To a senior athlete who has given their best and excelled in a varsity sport.

Recipient: Abigail Bajus

Donor: Mr. and Mrs. Donald W. Presher

Award: \$50.00

Criteria: To a senior pursuing a career in a nursing or medical field.

Recipient: Nariah Wayne

Donor: Prattsburgh Senior Citizens

Award: \$25.00 each

Criteria: To a senior boy and girl who emulate peace, love and concern for senior citizens in the community

Recipient: Kurtis Chandler and Morgan Cheney

Donor: Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Gifford

Award: \$100.00

Criteria: To the senior seeking higher education in the field of business

Recipient: Legacy Davis

Donor: Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Gifford

Award: \$100.00

Criteria: To a senior boy or girl seeking higher education in the medical field

Recipient: Jaden Tilley

Donor: Retired Major John Underhill and Family

Award: \$50 each

Criteria: To the graduating seniors entering the military

Recipient: Susie Moore, Mallory Patoine

Donor: Matthew P. Smallwood Memorial Scholarship

Award: \$40.00

Criteria: To a male senior for outstanding academic and athletic accomplishments during his senior year.

Recipient: Caleb Johnson

Donor: The Robert Underhill Family - In Memory of Frank and Rex Underhill

Award: \$50.00 each

Criteria: To graduating seniors who participated in at least 2 varsity sports and who display good sportsmanship, attitude, 110% effort while serving as positive role models.

Recipient: Morgan Cheney and Caleb Johnson

Donor: Prattsburgh Bus Lines, Inc.

Award: \$250.00

Criteria: To the senior student who plans to pursue technology training or service to others

Recipient: Andrei Campbell

Donor: Prattsburgh Bus Lines, Inc.

Award: \$250.00

Criteria: To the graduating seniors entering the world of work pursuing a vocation

Recipient: Divided between: Nick Farley and Isabel Sprague

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Award: \$250.00

Criteria: To the senior who has shown courtesy, citizenship and improved academic efforts in his/her senior year

Recipient: Nariah Wayne

Donor: Edward Michael McCormick Memorial

Award: \$250.00

Criteria: To the graduating senior who has overcome obstacles and continues to strive for success through hard work and appreciation and empathy for his/her fellow human beings

Recipient: Tanner Miller

Donor: James H. Coombs Memorial Scholarship Fund

Award: \$200.00

Criteria: To the graduating senior who has shown outstanding work in English, appreciation for Literature, competence in developing computer software and has demonstrated at least one semester of satisfactory academic performance in a school of higher learning

Recipient: Andrei Campbell

Donor: Ricky Beechner Memorial Scholarship

Award: \$40.00

Criteria: To the graduating senior who has demonstrated aptitude in Vocational Education

Recipient: Isabel Sprague

Donor: Ray Joseph Memorial Scholarship

Award: \$100.00

Criteria: To the senior musician who best exemplifies qualities of self discipline, leadership and service to the school through music and is planning to pursue further education.

Recipient: Divided between: Susan Moore and Kendra Pinckney

Donor: Prattsburgh Library – Carol McConnell Award

Award: \$300.00

Criteria: To a senior, who has attended PCS for four years and is an avid reader

Recipient: Samara Bixby

Donor: Mrs. Judith Schuck - in Memory of Margaret Snyder and Mary Beth Curry

Award: \$100.00

Criteria: To the student who has excelled in the study of foreign languages

Recipient: Annabella Putnam

Donor: The Evarts family in honor of Ruth Evarts, former elementary school teacher

Award: \$100.00

Criteria: To the graduating senior who has displayed a positive attitude, outstanding work habits, has made the most of his or her ability, and encourages classmates and young children to succeed

Recipient: Jaden Tilley

Donor: In Memory of Harry Bartz, former PCS Superintendent

Award: \$100

Criteria: To a graduating senior who has shown that he will be a lifelong demonstrator of her love for music of all kinds.

Recipient: Divided between: Abigail Bajus and Annabella Putnam

Donor: Pamela & William Conklin (Class of 1974) in memory of Ginger M. Conklin

Award: \$125

Criteria: To a deserving Business Law student

Recipient: Nariah Waye

Donor: Christopher Conklin Award

Award: \$125

Criteria: To a senior who is pursuing a career involving developmentally challenged children

Recipient: Nariah Waye

Donor: Kay Babylon-West in memory of Jane Babylon

Award: \$100

Criteria: To a graduating senior girl who has at least a 3.5 GPA and is pursuing a 4yr. degree in Technology Studies.

Recipient: Kendra Pinckney

Donor: Kay Babylon-West in memory of Melanie "Mudds" Babylon Seigler

Award: \$100

Criteria: To a graduating senior girl who plans to attend a 2yr. vocational program.

Recipient: Morgan Cheney

Donor: Daughter of the American Revolution Guyanoga Chapter History Award

Award: \$35

Criteria: To a student in an Advanced Placement or United States History Class who has maintained at least a B average and shows a sense of patriotism, honesty and integrity.

Recipient: Abigail Bajus

Donor: Daughter of the American Revolution Guyanoga Chapter –in memory of Mary Ansley Paddock

Award: \$50

Criteria: To a senior who has been a student at PCS for grades 9-12, maintained at least a B average, participated in extra-curricular activities, demonstrated community service, showed compassion, respect to fellow students, sense of patriotism, honesty and integrity.

Recipient: Caleb Johnson

Donor: The Pizura Family- in memory of John Pizura

Award: \$250

Criteria: For demonstrating community involvement and volunteerism

Recipient: Annabella Putnam

Donor: The AriZach Award- in memory of Sharee (Saltzer) Auger

Award: \$100

Criteria: To a graduating senior who has displayed the compassion of volunteerism to his or her school and community.

Recipient: Kendra Pinckney

Donor: Triston Santacroce Memorial Scholarship

Award: \$250

Criteria: To a student who best exemplifies what Triston demonstrated as a student at Prattsburgh Central School. Triston was one of the kindest, most caring students ever to walk the halls of PCS. He was compassionate and a model for all the younger students and was a friend to all.

Recipient: Mallory Patoine

Donor: Mr. Walt Schuchardt - In Memory of Helen and Hedwig Schuchardt

Award: \$2,000

Criteria: To the senior student or students who are working on bettering their lives and education by going to college or a trade school and who are in need of financial assistance.

Recipient: Divided between: Andrei Campbell and Jaden Tilley

Donor: NYS Education Department Scholarship for Academic Excellence

Award: \$1500 per year for up to 4 years

Recipient: Kendra Pinckney

Donor: Prattsburgh Wind Farm

Award: \$1500

Criteria: To a senior attending a 2 or 4 year college who was involved in extracurricular activities in school and the community.

Recipient: Annabella Putnam

Donor: The Gifford Family- In Memory of Barb Gifford and In honor of Ed Gifford's contributions to the community.

Award: \$500

Criteria: To the graduating senior who most exemplifies the characteristics displayed by Barb and her husband Ed. This deserving senior displays a sense of civic engagement, volunteerism, industriousness, that even with limited resources is able to get things done. Most importantly the recipient of this scholarship demonstrates teamwork. The Giffords didn't always need to be leaders, but always needed to be good team players, encouraging everyone to see their own strengths and have the confidence to engage others to get the job done. They believed everyone has talents and real success comes when everyone around you also succeeds.

Recipient: Kendra Pinckney

Donor: Timothy J. Rumsey Memorial Scholarship Fund

Award: \$1,000 each

Criteria: To a male or female graduate who recognizes the same values exemplified by Timothy J. Rumsey, deceased member of the class of 2011. This recipient should be interested in the military, environmental science, or a related field. Payment will be made at the successful conclusion of the first semester of college or at the successful completion of "boot camp".

Recipient: Susie Moore, Mallory Patoine

Donor: Prattsburgh Teacher's Association Memorial Award: In Memory of – George Reineke, Barbara Leach, Delores Glick, Paulette Peck, Ronald Haydon, Richard Yentzer, Monica Walls, Suzanne Ange, Nick Elward, Nancy Belanger

Award: \$1,000.00

Criteria: To a graduating senior who will be attending a two-year or four-year college in pursuit of a Bachelor's degree. Recipient will receive after successful completion of first college semester. Please forward transcript to Brad Burd, Teacher's Association President

Recipient: Kendra Pinckney

