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## THE 2009 NEWSLETTER OF THE GTCSF

### *THE YEAR IN REVIEW*

On behalf of all the volunteers and scholarship recipients of the Granville-Tolland Citizens' Scholarship Foundation (GTCSF), our heartfelt thanks to all of you for your generosity in supporting the Foundation's ongoing work. Here are the 2009 highlights:

- Scholarships were awarded to **22** undergraduate students from our two towns, totaling **\$20,875**. Scholarships ranged from \$575 to \$1,175 based upon financial need, merit, and history of community service.
- Over \$5,000 was donated to the GTCSF permanent endowment. Scholarships were provided, honoring the following sponsors of our permanent endowment: Dorothy Miller, Jane & Stuart Watson, Everett O. and Miriam T. Rockwell, Walter A. and Katherine E. Phelon, and 1<sup>st</sup> Lt. Travis Fuller.
- Through the continued generosity of the Granville Village School's teachers and staff, GTCSF scholarship recipients continue to be beneficiaries of the school's Dress-Down Days fundraiser.
- We participated in Granville's 2009 Harvest Fair by providing a joust for kids and families. Between wonderful weather and the support of the community, we raised over \$1,300. We wish to thank the following GTCSF Sponsors for their generous support: **Jerome's Taylor Rental/Party Plus, John and Mark Beckman, the Granville Country Store, Holmes Construction, Humphrey's Garage, Pat's Greenhouse, Ernie Sattler Construction, and Rick and Cindy Vincunas.**
- We held our 6th Annual Rockathon in November, 2009. Nineteen students participated in this overnight event, raising nearly **\$ 1,000**. Along with our gratitude to our corporate sponsors, we want to acknowledge a special thanks to the following local sponsors: **The Gran-Val Scoop, The Tunxis Club, The Granville Country Store, Amelia Park, Blandford Ski Club, Otis Ridge Ski Area, Wal-Mart, National Amusements, Majestic Theater, Big Y, McDonald's, and the Tolland Selectmen.**

We hope you are pleased with the Foundation's ongoing progress in providing financially meaningful aid to our towns' undergraduates. We will continue to work to earn your trust and support.