

## Chris Reichwald Memorial Scholarship

### Background:

Chris Reichwald attended Wrightstown High School from 1995 to 1997. He was an avid golfer, playing varsity golf and earning letters in both his freshman and sophomore years. In the fall of his junior year, Chris died in a tragic automobile accident while crossing Highway 41. His death influenced the community to create the Highway 41 LAWS (Lives Are Worth Saving) Committee, which ultimately succeeded in convincing state and national highway officials to upgrade Highway 41 to freeway status.



This scholarship fund was established by Chris' parents, Carla and Harry Reichwald, to memorialize his life and to reward future Wrightstown High School students aspiring to continue their education at a college or university.

### Eligibility: (taken into consideration to determine recipients)

- Graduating seniors from Wrightstown High School
- Planning to attend a college or university
- Preference given to applicants as follows:
  - one award for a senior who is a member of the golf team who is a varsity Golfer (letter winner) with the highest GPA, minimum 3.0
  - one award for a senior who has maintained a minimum cumulative 3.0 GPA and has applied for other scholarships but has not received any

### Award Amount:

Two \$1,500 non-renewable scholarship awards for tuition expenses.

### Selection:

Recipients are recommended each spring by the Wrightstown High School Scholarship Selection Committee.

### Collecting the Award & Payment Procedure:

Recipients must fill out and submit Scholarship Acceptance Form and Scholarship Verification Form through the [Scholarship Portal](https://www.grantinterface.com/Home/Logon?urlkey=cffvrscholar) (<https://www.grantinterface.com/Home/Logon?urlkey=cffvrscholar>). Recipients are required to provide supporting documents *as instructed* in the Scholarship Verification Form, such as class registration/list **with** credits listed, proof of major, grade transcript, etc.

After approval of online Scholarship Verification Form, the scholarship check will be paid directly to the school the recipient will be attending. The **Community Foundation communicates with students via email**; it is the student's responsibility to keep their Scholarship Portal account updated with their current email address.

### Loss of Eligibility:

Failure to register as a full-time student for the first semester of the freshman year of college.

### Further Information:

- Wrightstown High School Guidance Office
- Community Foundation for the Fox Valley Region
  - Website [www.cffoxvalley.org/scholarships/](http://www.cffoxvalley.org/scholarships/)
  - Email [scholarships@cffoxvalley.org](mailto:scholarships@cffoxvalley.org)
  - Phone 920.702.7623