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**Twenty-five Hardin County students receive Llewellyn Memorial Scholarship
from Central Kentucky Community Foundation**

ELIZABETHTOWN, KY (June 13, 2020) – Twenty-five Hardin County students recently received the Llewellyn Memorial Scholarship from Central Kentucky Community Foundation. The scholarship is renewable for up to four years with a total value of \$6,000.

The Llewellyn Memorial Scholarship was established as a legacy gift from Charley Nell Llewellyn. Charley worked as a social worker for Hardin County Schools from 1967-1987. She spent her life advancing causes she cared about, with her most passionate pursuit being education. Through her most generous end of life endowment gift, she will forever continue to advance the lives of students in Hardin County.

The recipients from Central Hardin High School are Alexis King, daughter of Robert and Jennifer King, who plans to attend Western Kentucky University to study psychology; Allison Cundiff, daughter of Jeffrey Cundiff and Amy Middleton, who plans to attend the University of Louisville to study veterinary medicine; Ashelee Lohden, daughter of Christopher and Jennifer Lohden, who plans to attend Campbellsville University to study pre-medicine; Claire Pearl, daughter of Nick and Angie Pearl, who plans to attend Western Kentucky University to study nursing; Christopher Willis, son of Jeremy and Cynthia Willis, who plans to attend the University Louisville to study engineering; Elissa McKinney, daughter of Everett and Nancy McKinney, who plans to attend the University Kentucky to study human health sciences; Hannah Pence, daughter of Chad and LeAnne Pence, who plans to attend Elizabethtown Community and Technical College to study elementary education; Victoria Bratcher, daughter of Steve and Cindy Bratcher, who plans to attend Western Kentucky University to study nursing; Jaidynn VanBlijenburgh, daughter of Ron and Heather VanBlijenburgh, who plans to attend the University of Kentucky to study digital media; Kaleb Adams, son of Cameron Adams and Kristan Gaines, who plans to attend the University of Louisville to study mechanical engineering; Kevin Wheeler, son of Thomas and Amy Wheeler, who plans to attend Bellarmine University to study business; Lauren Wilson, daughter of James and Tracy Wilson, who plans to attend Western Kentucky University to study nursing; Gracie Osborne, daughter of Douglas Osborne and Kristen Hornback, who plans to attend Bellarmine University to study pre-medicine; Logan Green, son of Keith and Deana Green, who plans to attend Elizabethtown Community and Technical College to study agriculture; Madelyn Ditto, daughter of Keith Ditto and Whitney Thomas, who plans to attend Western Kentucky University to study exercise science; Mallory Vowels, daughter of Patrick and Susan Vowels, who plans to attend Western Kentucky University to study nursing; Shelby Fugate, daughter of Henry and Robin Fugate, who plans to attend the University of Kentucky to study engineering; and Sydney Rich, daughter of Don and Julie Rich, who plans to attend the University of Kentucky to study pre-medicine.

The recipients from John Hardin High School are Jacob Hunter, son of Jason and Tiffany Hunter, who plans to attend the University of Kentucky to study forestry; Naiya Sims, daughter of Jason and Nicole Sims, who plans to attend Western Kentucky University to study pre-medicine and biology; and Sarah Jones, daughter of Robert and Christy Jones, who plans to attend Western Kentucky University to study pre-veterinary medicine.

The recipients from North Hardin High School are Gabe Stalcup, son of Curtis and Carrie Stalcup, who plans to attend Elizabethtown Community and Technical College to study education; Greysen Lowery, daughter of Steven Lowery and



Jessica Helgert, who plans to attend Johnson University to study preaching and youth ministry; Maxton Campbell, son of Marcus and Connie Campbell, who plans to attend Western Kentucky University to study pre-pharmaceutical medicine; and Miranda Reed, daughter of Randall Reed and Tiffany Bell, who plans to attend Western Kentucky University to study nursing.

"Through the generosity of our donors, students across our region can continue their education," said Davette B. Swiney, President and CEO of CKCF. "Our scholarship program, Scholarship Central, is a great way to empower local students and show them the impact of philanthropy. It's an honor to connect people to the causes they care about while helping people pursue their educational goals."

The Llewellyn Memorial Scholarship is a part of the 170 scholarships being awarded by CKCF this year through Scholarship Central. The scholarships total nearly \$322,000 and were awarded to 145 students from 17 high schools and four colleges in the region. All scholarship awards were announced during Celebrating Achievement, Central Kentucky Community Foundation's scholarship awards program. You can watch it at https://youtu.be/qqlS2Y_XyKw.

To establish a scholarship fund or to find out more information on this scholarship and other scholarships available to students, go to <http://ckcf4people.org/scholarships/>.

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