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**FAIRFIELD COUNTY FOUNDATION ANNOUNCES LANCASTER HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 1964 SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT**

LANCASTER, Ohio --The Fairfield County Foundation has announced the 2012-2013 scholarship recipients for the Lancaster High School Class of 1964 Scholarship. Last year, the Foundation provided $775,518 in scholarships to 348 area students.

This fund was established for the purpose of providing educational scholarships for a senior graduate of Lancaster High School. Recipient must not be a recipient of any other scholarship at the time of application. Fairfield County Foundation will confirm with the LHS Guidance Department, before the actual selections of the recipient. Recipient must be attending any post-secondary education program and/or a traditional 4 year college. This could include: community college, Liberal Arts College, universities, vocational schools, and trade schools, institutes of technology or professional schools. Recipient must be a student who, in the committee’s opinion, deserves assistance, even though they haven't qualified for other scholarships. Recipient should also be involved in school and community activities.

This year, the recipient of the Lancaster High School Class of 1964 Scholarship is Chase Dawson, a graduate of Lancaster High School who will be attending the University of Cincinnati’s Linder College of Business to study business administration and marketing.

*The Fairfield County Foundation is a 501 (c) (3) non-profit that, along with its supporters, helps to enhance the quality of life and economic viability in our community. Its scholarship program helps to sustain opportunities for local youth to achieve their academic goals. The Foundation was formed in 1989 and grants today continue to support the arts, children’s programs, health and wellness projects, community development, academics, and more. The Foundation is a recipient of the National Standards Seal, indicating official confirmation from the Council on Foundations that it has met the most rigorous standards in philanthropy and affirming the Foundation’s commitment to financial security, transparency and accountability. For more information about the Foundation, please call 740-654-8451 or visit* [*www.fairfieldcountyfoundation.org*](https://ch1prd0102.outlook.com/owa/redir.aspx?C=4v7yUAy5FUuak2R8t5cQoSSDaTxlps4IfF4dm2477ucggFU36ntN56Z_ZYPNNgrMGr5Zl5HRweg.&URL=http%3a%2f%2fwww.fairfieldcountyfoundation.org)*.*

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