



Pines Village Retirement Communities Announces Scholarship Awards

Pines Village Retirement Communities, Inc., announces the 2011-2012 winners of the Margaret M. Rivers and Anne Lauterbach scholarship awards. The scholarship program was created to foster employee longevity and encourage employees to pursue their higher education goals. Through the generosity of our residents, their families, the Board of Directors and staff, over \$99,000.00 in scholarships have been awarded to undergraduate student employees of Pines Village since 1996.

The Margaret M. Rivers fund was created in honor of Midge Rivers, founding director of Pines Village Retirement Communities.

The Anne Lauterbach fund was created in honor of the late Anne Lauterbach, Lauterbach was an educator and a Pines Village resident.

Over \$11,700.00 was awarded to the following seven (7) undergraduate student employees:

Caitlin Elizabeth Gooding, employed in Dining Services for 6 years, attends Purdue University majoring in Hospitality and Hotel Management. Her parents are Tom and Maria Gooding.

Cassidy Alexander Kozik, employed in Dining Services for 3 years, attends Purdue University majoring in Business Management. His parents are Mike and Honna Kozik.

Alexandria Marek, employed in Dining Services for 3 years, will be attending Indiana University majoring in Business. Her parents are David and Lisa Marek.

Taylor Michelle Mayes, employed in Dining Services for 1 year, will be attending Purdue University North Central majoring in Elementary Education. Her parents are Greg and Laurie Mayes.

Matthew Bernard Sullivan, employed in Dining Services for 3 years, attends Butler University majoring in Finance. His parents are Tim and Alene Sullivan.

Gwendolyn Marie Trapp, employed in Dining Services for 4 years, attends Purdue University majoring in Human Services and Spanish. Her parents are Paul and Annie Trapp.

Lauren Kathleen Van Zuidam, employed in Dining Services for 2 years, will be attending Purdue University North Central majoring in Elementary Education and Social Work. Her parents are Mark and Karyn Van Zuidam.



Pines Village Retirement Communities is a nonprofit organization that has been celebrating the lives of older adults since 1983. We celebrate life – past, present and future. We strive to create an enlightened future where older adults enjoy the respect and honor they have earned. Donations are accepted at 3303 Pines Village Circle, Valparaiso, IN 46383. For more information call 219-465-1591 or visit our website at www.pinesvillage.org.

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Pictured from Left to Right:

Row 1 - Alexandria Marek, Taylor Mayes, Margaret Rivers, *Founding Director of Pines Village Retirement Communities*

Row 2 - Lauren Van Zuidam, Gwendolyn Trapp, Ruth Lemster, *Pines Village Resident Council*

Row 3 - Matthew Sullivan, Lou Foster, *Pines Village Resident Council*

Row 4 - Pam Jarnecke, *Pines Village Employee Relations Assistant*, Pat Platt, *Pines Village Employee Relations Director*

Scholarship recipients not pictured - Caitlin Gooding and Cassidy Kozik