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## NEWS – SCHOLARSHIP NIGHT PRESENTATIONS

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The Redwood Area Chamber Ag Committee is pleased to announce the scholarship recipients for the 2022-23 school year.

One of the goals of the Redwood Area Chamber Ag Committee's Scholarship Program is to promote and strengthen area agriculture by supporting college-bound students from rural communities as they pursue their academic goals. With this support, we hope to develop future leaders for agriculture companies and our rural communities.

The Redwood Area Chamber Ag Committee is a committee of Redwood Area Chamber & Tourism and works to advocate and educate for agriculture in our area. One of their Scholarship Programs, through a partnership with Agriculture Future of America, funds scholarships for high school graduates, who live or go to school in Redwood County, that are pursuing post-secondary 4-year degrees in agriculture and related degree programs. Another scholarship program funds scholarships for high school graduates, who live or go to school in Redwood County, that are pursuing post-secondary 2-year degrees in agriculture and related degree programs.

Proceeds from two area golf tournaments fund the Scholarship Program. The Ribeye Open is scheduled for July 10, 2023, at the Redwood Falls Golf Club in Redwood Falls, and the Pork Chop Open is scheduled for July 27, 2023, at the Farmers Golf & Health Club in Sanborn. For more information about the Redwood Area Chamber Ag Committee, or its upcoming Golf Tournaments, visit [www.redwoodfalls.org](http://www.redwoodfalls.org).

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This Redwood Valley HS student plans to pursue a degree in Farm Operations at Ridgewater College. A \$1000.00 scholarship goes to **Lincoln Ourada!**



This Redwood Valley HS student plans to pursue a degree as a Veterinary Technician at Ridgewater College. A \$1000.00 scholarship goes to ***Brianna DeGonda!***



This Springfield HS student plans to pursue a degree in Veterinary Technology at Ridgewater College. A \$1000.00 scholarship goes to ***Courtlyn Runck!***



This Red Rock Central HS student plans to pursue a degree as an Electrician at Ridgewater College. A \$1000.00 scholarship goes to ***Charles Dammann!***



This Wabasso HS student plans to pursue a degree in Agriculture Production at Lake Area Technical College. A \$1000.00 scholarship goes to ***Chase Irlbeck!***



This Tracy Area HS student has been selected as a 2023 Redwood Area Chamber Ag Committee and AFA Scholarship Recipient. This scholarship includes a \$3200.00 academic scholarship and attendance at the AFA Leaders Conference in November (2022), in Kansas City, Missouri, valued at \$1000.00. The leadership conference is attended by over 650 top agriculture students from across the nation. This scholarship award from Agriculture Future of America and the Redwood Area Chamber Ag Committee totals \$4200.00. This student plans to pursue Agriculture and Biological Engineering at SDSU. ***Congratulations, Carter Campbell!***

