

Fruitport High School Senior Scholars 2017

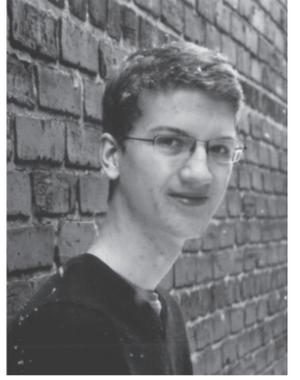
Rebekah Elizabeth Busscher, daughter of Brad and Tanya Busscher, will attend the University of Michigan to pursue a career in nursing. Rebekah was active in youth group, National Honor Society, Student Council, volleyball, and tennis.



Morgan Taylor Green, daughter of Steve and Sue Green, will attend Hope College to pursue a career in medical research. Morgan was active in drumline, Student Council, and National Honor Society.



Andrew William Harloff, son of John and Michelle Harloff, will attend the University of Michigan to pursue a career in aerospace engineering. Andrew was active in bowling, Skill Toy Club, and National Honor Society.



Hailey Jo Homoly, daughter of Rick and Debra Homoly, will attend Michigan State University to pursue a career as a small animal veterinarian. Hailey was active in National Honor Society and Imagery. She also volunteered at Noah Project.



Jonah Christian Krueger, son of James and Rhonda Krueger, will attend Western Michigan University to pursue a career in astrophysics. Jonah was active in soccer, marching band, and winterline.



Connor Liam McCollum, son of John and Tracy McCollum, will attend Ferris State University to pursue a career as an actuary. Connor was active in National Honor Society.



Allison Carol Michaels, daughter of Christopher and Jennifer Michaels, will attend college in the fall to pursue a career as an astrobiologist. Allison was active in chemistry club and Imagery.



Lion Pat Stressman at Edgewood Elementary

Camryn Elia Zeller, daughter of Thomas and Jillynne Zeller, will attend Hope College to pursue a career as a math professor or politician. Camryn was active in drumline, soccer, and National Honor Society.



Aaron William Simot, son of Scott and Pamela Simot, will attend Indiana Institute of Technology to pursue a biomedical engineering career. Aaron was active in cross country, outdoor track, and indoor track.



Lions Literacy Project

By Jim Kauppila

March 2017 marked our fifth year of the project with the Fruitport Community elementary schools. It all started with a challenge to involve youth in reading from Lions International President Wayne Madden in 2012. Lions Bob Szymoniak and Jim Kauppila put their heads together and came up with a plan hoping to encourage our kids to read more. Our plan was to read to every elementary class in the Fruitport Community Schools, and deliver three books to each. Our plan was to challenge the three schools to read as many books as possible, the first year Shettler Elementary came out on top, for their efforts, all students and teachers were treated to ice cream and a special program.

Year two, Edgewood Elementary students won. Year three, Beach Elementary took the prize. Year four brought a new challenge, how to keep track of books or reading logs to determine the winning school. There would be no contest between the schools, but the Fruitport Lions Club would continue to read and deliver books.

To date we have read to almost two hundred and fifty classrooms and delivered seven hundred and fifty books. In 2012 and 2013 the club saw fit to donate one thousand dollars to Fruitport Middle School, to support in class libraries in the English Language Arts classrooms.

Three Fruitport Lions have scored 100% participation in the project. Lions Pat Stressman, Bruce Gaultney and Jim Kauppila.

Max Armstrong Wright, son of Michael and Tina Wright, will attend Muskegon Community College to pursue a business or engineering career. Max was active in football, DECA, and National Honor Society.



Lion Ronnie Mykols at Edgewood Elementary

Special Memorial Day Service

Fruitport High School Band will be at Memorial services at Pine Hill Cemetery at 11:00am.

Battle Hymn of the Republic, Onward Christian Soldiers, and the Star Spangled Banner will be played per Max Riekse, Fruitport VFW Post Trustee.

Questions, call 231.865.3238.