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The Erie County Community Foundation in conjunction with the Ohio Athletic Committee is pleased to announce the 2024 OAC Scholarship winners with each Wrestling Scholarship recipient receiving a \$1,250.00 scholarship and the Football and Cheerleading Scholarship recipients receiving a \$1,000.00 scholarship. This year's OAC Wrestling Scholarship winners are Chase Vanderhorst, Hayden Jarvis, Nathaniel Parks, and Alec Lentz. The OAC Football Scholarship winner is Bryce Phillipps and the OAC Cheerleading Scholarship winner is Mackenzie Nevison.

- 1) Chase Vanderhorst of Covington, Ohio is a senior at Covington High School, has a GPA of 4.00, is a member of the National Honor Society and is captain of Covington's wrestling team. He is planning to attend Ohio Northern University to major in Mechanical Engineering.
- 2) Hayden Jarvis of Westfield Center, Ohio is a senior at Cloverleaf High School, has a GPA of 3.92, is a four-year member of Cloverleaf's football and wrestling teams, and is a member of the National Honor Society. He is planning to attend Ohio State University and major in Electrical or Environmental Engineering.
- 3) Nathaniel Parks of Bellevue, Ohio is a senior at Seneca East High School, has a GPA of 3.98, is a member of the National Honor Society and is a four-year member of Seneca East's wrestling and baseball teams. He is planning to attend Ashland University and major in Exercise Science.
- 4) Alec Lentz of Sandusky, Ohio is a senior at Sandusky Central Catholic High School, has a GPA of 4.00 and is a four-year member of SCCS's wrestling and football teams. He is planning to attend Ohio State University and major in Biology.
- 5) Bryce Phillipps of Piqua, Ohio is a senior at Piqua High School, has a GPA of 3.92, is a four-year member of Piqua's football and baseball teams, and is a member of the National Honor Society. He is planning to attend Cedarville University and major in Business Management.
- 6) Mackenzie Nevison of Huron, Ohio is a senior at Huron High School, has a GPA of 3.70, is a member of the National Honor Society and Student Council, and is captain of Huron's cheerleading squad. She is planning to attend Ohio University and major in Speech Pathology and Audiology.

With all the excellent applications received, selecting only six was extremely difficult and the committee is extremely proud of the six scholarship winners. We hope that the OAC Scholarship becomes even more known throughout the State of Ohio and that top notch student athletes will continue to be assisted in their educational endeavors.

