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We are planning one of our favorite times of the year at the Kiwanis Club of Poughkeepsie! It's the time when we have the opportunity to recognize students for their community service.

We offer your graduating seniors the opportunity to write an essay which will be considered for the \$500 Clifford A. Crispell Memorial Community Scholarship. Please read details below:

**Clifford A. Crispell Memorial Community Service Scholarship**

Through a generous donation from Mid-Hudson Works, the Kiwanis Club proudly administers this annual scholarship. To be considered for this \$500 scholarship, graduating seniors need to submit an essay between 300-400 words entitled: "The Importance of Community Service and How I Have Contributed".

The Kiwanis Club of Poughkeepsie will choose one winner from all the entries. Submissions need to be in a word (.doc), word perfect document (.wpd) or pdf format and emailed as an attachment to me by Friday, April 26th. Please ensure the student's name and school are on the essay.

We are proud to honor these outstanding students and want them to know that their contributions of time and energy to their communities are important and appreciated. We hope to encourage them to choose a lifetime of giving back. Kiwanis is a community of volunteers dedicated to changing the world one community and one child at a time. We hope these awards make a difference to them.

Thank you and we look forward to hearing from you.

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