

# Decatur Township

## Scholarship Association Inc.

Decatur Township Scholarship Association Inc., is composed of volunteers dedicated to the advancement of our student's post-secondary education.

Each year fund-raisers are held to finance this Scholarship program. A Decatur Central High School student may have called you in Jan. from our annual Phon-a-thon. We've also had Yard Sales, run Concessions stands and various other fundraisers. Other fundraisers include our Chili Supper at Snowcoming, as well as other groups such as PTA/PTO/PTC from most Decatur schools including Decatur Central High School. Many schools also have "jean or hat days" to raise funds for our scholarships. In Sept. the Dick Collins Golf Classics were being held, which along with other funds has raised enough to fund 47 scholarships in his memory.

We also receive funds in Memory of other Loved-Ones. Endowment donations can fund permanent scholarships. The business community has also been very generous with their donations, which are too many to list here.

To earn a Scholarship, students submit applications. The Committee evaluates anonymously and places each in order of their scores to be awarded. The criteria doesn't include need, but instead rewards scholastic achievement, community service and school involvement among other qualifications. Some of the special awards, depending on the donor of the award, may also include athletic ability or special trade skills as an example.

Application will be available online after Thanksgiving at [DecaturProud.org](http://DecaturProud.org) (see below)

With all of this support we have awarded the following:

	No. Recipients	Total of Scholarships
1992	12	\$ 6,000
1993-2010	900	\$679,550
2011-2015	215	\$214,000
2016	39	\$39,000
2017	47	\$47,000
2018	43	\$43,000
<b>Total</b>	<b>1256</b>	<b>\$1,028,550</b>

For more information about how to get involved in this very rewarding committee; how to apply for Scholarships; or how the selection process works contact any committee member. This committee is desperately looking for new volunteers to continue our mission, **please consider spending a few hours a month to make sure DTSA keeps awarding scholarships.**

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Online: [www.DecaturProud.org](http://www.DecaturProud.org) (find Decatur Township Scholarship Assoc. under Community)

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