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### **DENTON COUNTY REPUBLICAN PARTY SPONSORS** **SCHOLARSHIP CONTEST**

The Denton County Republican Party is proud to announce its 2012 Scholarship Contest. Now in its seventh year, the scholarship program provides for two \$500 scholarships to be given to outstanding, conservative young Texans. Previous recipients have included students attending the University of North Texas, Texas Christian University, Dallas Baptist University, North Central Texas College, and Rice University,

The scholarships will be awarded to deserving conservative Republican students meeting the following requirements:

1. Denton County resident;
2. Either an entering Fall 2012 freshman or current student at a Texas institution of higher education;
3. Fulltime student taking 12 or more semester hours if in college;
4. If of voting age and eligible, must be a registered voter, and must show active GOP involvement.

“Our goal is to recognize two hard working, ambitious, exemplary young people with these scholarships,” Party chairman Dianne Edmondson states, “young people who share our conservative values and who are assets to the community and to Denton County.”

Scholarship applications and additional information are available online at the Denton GOP website at [www.dentongop.org](http://www.dentongop.org). **All applications must be received by June 1, 2012**, and must be accompanied by a current transcript

copy (or admission letter if entering freshman), resume and at least one letter of recommendation from a known Republican.

Scholarship Award recipients will be announced at the July 2012 Denton County Republican Executive Committee meeting.

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