

**EDWARD WATSON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP/  
CHARLOTTE COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP  
2020**

The **Charlotte Community Association** is pleased to announce the 2020 recipients of the \$2000.00 Edward Watson Memorial Scholarship and the \$2000.00 Charlotte Community Association Scholarship awarded annually to a Charlotte area high school senior and a Leadership Academy for Young Men (formerly Charlotte High) senior who is planning to attend college in the fall in order to help young men and women in the community further their education. They are **Skyler Pentycofe**, son of Tonya and John Pentycofe of Primrose St. and **Jared Coffey**, son of Susan and John Coffey of River Heights.

**Skyler** was accepted to SUNY Morrisville majoring in Culinary Arts and because of Covid 19 concerns has to delay enrollment to next semester or next fall. The scholarship committee and CCA board voted to hold this scholarship until the 2021 deadline.

**Jared** will be attending The University of Rochester majoring in Data Science

The **\$2000.00** award in memory of Edward Watson, a Charlotte resident and former student of Charlotte High School is funded by donations provided by the former congregants of the Lakeside Presbyterian Church and the late Edward Watson. The **\$2000.00** award Charlotte Community Association award is funded by donations and various fund raising events throughout the year.

The criteria used to determine the recipients of The Edward Watson Memorial Scholarship and the CCA Scholarship is as follows: For the Edward Watson Scholarship the college bound senior must attend The Leadership Academy for Young Men (formerly Charlotte High). For the CCA Scholarship the college bound senior must reside in Charlotte, but can attend any area high school. Both are based on academics, extracurricular activities, and community service, as well as any honors received, letters of reference and finally a short essay from the applicant. The Scholarship Committee assigns a weight to each of these categories and independently scores each application.

We congratulate **Skyler** and **Jared** and thank all of the young men and women who took the time to submit an application. There is a lot to be proud of in Charlotte, as you are all on the way to a bright future.