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PENNAG AWARDS SCHOLARSHIPS TO INDUSTRY YOUTH:

Harrisburg, Pa. – Six students recently received scholarships from PennAg Industries Association, totaling \$9,000. The PennAg Scholarship Fund is generously supported by members and friends of the association, primarily through the PennAg Divots for Degrees Golf Outing. Unfortunately, the 2020 golf outing was cancelled due to COVID-19, but we look forward to coming back strong with a great outing in 2021 – stay tuned for further details regarding the May 2021 event.

Since its inception in 1991, the PennAg Scholarship Fund has awarded more than \$322,500 in scholarships to children of our industry's employees. To be eligible for a scholarship, applicants must be enrolled in a post-secondary educational institution and work for a PennAg member or be a child of a PennAg member. Applications for the 2021 program will be posted on the PennAg web site (www.pennag.com) beginning January 1, 2021. A committee of PennAg Board Members judge eligible applications for academics, activities, essay and interest in pursuing a career in agriculture.

Congratulations to the 2020 PennAg Scholarship recipients:

Taylor Halbleib, Elizabethtown, daughter of Merle and Erin Halbleib, *Kreider Farms*
Pamela Light, Denver, *Kauffman's Animal Health*

Emma Musser, Mount Joy, daughter of Greg and Jodi Musser, *Hostetter & Hostetter CPAs*

Madeline Musser, Mount Joy, daughter of Greg and Jodi Musser, *Hostetter & Hostetter CPAs*

Joshua Rickrode, New Oxford, son of Joe and Kristin Rickrode, *Ag Com, Inc.*

Samantha Shirk, East Earl, daughter of Jim and Stephanie Shirk, *CEVA Animal Health*

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