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The Erie County Community Foundation in conjunction with the Ohio Athletic Committee is pleased to announce the 2014 OAC Sporting Events Scholarship winners. This year there over 160 applications received with three \$500.00 scholarships being awarded. This year's winners are Jacob LaPoint for football, Avery Bogart for cheerleading, and Michael Petrecca for Cross Country.

- 1) Jacob LaPoint is the son of Jan and Debra LaPoint of Toledo, Ohio. Jacob is first in his class at Toledo Whitmer Senior High School with a 4.00 GPA. He is captain of Whitmer's football, wrestling and track teams, vice-president of the National Honor Society, and was first team all league in football and wrestling. Jacob is undecided on his college but plans to major in either computer science or engineering.
- 2) Avery Bogart is the daughter of Richard and Lisa Bogart of Westlake, Ohio. Lisa is a senior at Westlake High School where she has a GPA of 3.844. She is captain of her high school's Cheerleading Competition squad and is a member of the track team. She is planning to attend Michigan with a major in Biochemistry.
- 3) Michael Petrecca is the son of Joseph and Julie Petrecca of Munroe Falls, Ohio. Michael is eleventh in his class at Stow-Munroe Falls High School where he has a GPA of 4.397. He is captain of his high school's cross country and track teams and is a member of the National Honor Society. Michael is planning to attend Ohio State University and major in Chemical Engineering.

With over 160 excellent applications, selecting three was challenging and extremely difficult and the committee is extremely proud of the three scholarship winners. We hope that the OAC Scholarships become even more known throughout the state of Ohio and that top notch student athletes will continue to be helped out in their educational endeavors.