



# G. MICHAEL GREENE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

## RECIPIENTS:

### 2013

Dulce Roche \$500

Meghan O'Hern \$500

Kelly Gutierrez \$500

### 2014

Meghan Markwell \$1,000

### 2015

Laura Tran \$1,000

### 2016

Jack Duffy \$1,000

### 2017

Hailey Bowier \$1,000

### 2018

Rhianna Christensen \$1,000

Emily Renteria \$1,000

Through the Elgin Breakfast Rotary Club, the G. Michael Greene Memorial Scholarship Program was established to honor the life of Gene Michael Greene. Michael began his teaching career with U-46 in 1978. He made a career change and pursued positions in sales and became a successful stock broker in the Elgin area. He made a difference in the Elgin community when serving as president of the Elgin Breakfast Rotary Club in 1996-1997 and made many friends along the way. Eventually his commitment to the youth and his passion for education brought him back to U-46 in 2001. Teacher Greene was known in the classroom for adapting lesson plans to meet a variety of learning styles and fostering a genuine mutual respect with his students. He most recently was a math teacher at Kenyon Woods Middle School when his life was unexpectedly cut short in July of 2012. This one year non-renewable \$500 - \$1,000 scholarship given in his memory is available for eligible graduating seniors from a U-46 High School with plans to pursue a degree in teaching or math or existing college students who graduated from a U-46 High School. The scholarship may be used at a two year or four year accredited college or university of choice for tuition and/or books during the year following graduation from high school. The value of the scholarship will be paid directly to the college.