

Press Release: October 2020

Contact: Donna C. Maglio 203-597-7215

Frozen & Refrigerated Association of the Northeast (FRANE)

Announces 2020 Scholarship Winners!

The Board of Directors of The Frozen & Refrigerated Association (FRANE) and the family of Ryan Marrocco are pleased to announce the winners of this year's **Ryan Marrocco Memorial Scholarships**. Each of the applicants was varied in their accomplishments, but all with a commitment to excellence. This year, we are awarding 21 scholarships in Ryan's name, to deserving students from our members' organizations and families! To date, FRANE and The Marrocco Family have awarded over \$700,000 to deserving students of our member companies! This annual scholarship is funded exclusively by our annual FRANE/Ryan Marrocco Memorial Golf Tournament at Pinehills Golf Club in Plymouth Massachusetts. *Our 2021 Tournament is scheduled for Tuesday, August 24, 2021*. We applaud all of the applicants and congratulate the winners!

Ryan Marrocco Scholarship Winners:

Tyler Cicero	C&S	Justine O'Brien	Roche Bros.
Taylor Connolly	Highland Park	Lindsey O'Brien	Roche Bros.
Adam Dapolite	Unilever	Michaela Pantazelos	Roche Bros.
Bianca DeBarros	Mama Rosie's	Mia Rentmeester	Sargento
Bethany Diedrich	Sargento	Sarah Shewokis	JOH
Kathryn Dupere	JOH	Marissa Silva	Acosta
Emma Gibbons	Stop & Shop &	Kassandra Sloan	JOH
	Highland Park Mkt	Caleb Suchecki	Ateeco/Mrs. T's
Kevin Maxim	Roche Bros.	Jacob Suchecki	Ateeco/Mrs. T's
Serena McFarland	Bozzuto's	Jacob Wright	C&S
Sarah Newhall	JOH	Kylie Yarmaloff	JOH

In addition to the scholarships awarded in Ryan's name, the organization is also recognizing 6 additional students with the **FRANE Member Memorial Scholarship**. These scholarships are given in memory of FRANE Members and/or their family members who have contributed to the continued success and growth of the organization. The Frozen and Refrigerated Association of the Northeast, celebrating 65 years of supporting the perishable industry, has long supported deserving students with their various scholarship programs.

FRANE Member Memorial Scholarship Winners:

Ben Doucette	JOH	Isabel Martin	Agri-Mark (Cabot)
Justine Durand	Advantage	Keira Pantazelos	Roche Bros.
Kacper Kisala	HP Hood	Lauren Zouranjian	Roche Bros.

Upcoming events include FRANE/Ryan Marrocco Memorial Golf Tournament, Tuesday, August 24, 2021 at Pinehills Golf Club, Plymouth, MA. Join industry colleagues for a great day of golf, all in support of our annual Scholarship program!

FRANE's Annual Convention and Business Conference, October 22-24, 2021, AC Hotel Portland Downtown Waterfront, Portland, ME. Join industry leaders from throughout the Northeast for this amazing networking weekend, all in celebration of our 65th Anniversary!

SAVE THE DATE! Saturday, October 23, 2021 – FRANE's 65 Anniversary Gala Celebration! Join us as we celebrate this amazing milestone! More details coming soon!

Don't miss our **2021 Virtual Panel Series**! Mark your calendar and join us for our continuing series, designed to celebrate our essential teams, their efforts during the pandemic and the future of our growing categories! Upcoming panels – January 27th, March 3rd, April 14th, June 9th, October 23rd.

Information on the organization, other events and programs, including the scholarship programs can be found at www.frane.org.