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Dear Friend,

I am very pleased to announce that at our Scholarship Banquet in May, the Patrick J. DiPaolo Memorial Scholarship Fund awarded 12 scholarships to Erie City and County student/athletes. These awards were made possible in large part because of donations by various clubs from their games of chance revenues.

We sincerely thank the clubs, businesses and individuals whose generosity and donations to our 501 (c) (3) fund helped provide \$48,000 in scholarships to deserving student/athletes in both public and private schools. Each donor believed in Pat's lifelong dedication, as an Erie School District teacher, coach and administrator. Each donor helped to perpetuate Pat's vision by helping current and future generations of our student/athletes achieve their post-secondary educations.

Pat's years of teaching and coaching made the difference between success and failure in the lives of countless student athletes. Often, at his own expense, Pat provided food, clothing and athletic equipment, as well as moral support, for students in need. Understanding the importance of post-secondary education, Pat assisted many of his students in obtaining college and university scholarships. If not for Pat, some could not have attended college on their own. Because of Pat's tremendous and tireless efforts on behalf of his students, the Erie School District in 2016 named the auditorium at Central/Erie High after him and in 2018, they named the Transition School at Emerson-Gridley... The Patrick J. DiPaolo Student Success Center.

We are very thankful for the games of chance revenue donations from Erie County clubs. We respectfully ask that your club again consider the Patrick J. DiPaolo Memorial Scholarship Fund for your annual charitable contribution. By contributing in this meaningful way, you will help to keep Pat's vision strong and relevant in the lives of our student athletes.

Please help us help more student/athletes at our Fifth Annual Awards Banquet in May 2019 by sending your tax-deductible donation to:

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Thank you for your continued support.

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