

The children and their families of James and Rosemary Campenni are offering this annual scholarship of \$1000.00 in memory of their parents, Rosemary and James, both lifelong residents of West Pittston. Rosemary was a wonderful mother and friend and a beloved employee of the Wyoming Area School District. The Campenni children and their families wish to honor their mother, "Rosie", whose commitment to family, community and the Wyoming Area School District were an inspiration to all who knew her. James was a dedicated father and community activist, and the former Public Address Announcer for the Wyoming Area Football Team. James' passion for his community and Wyoming Area Football were only exceeded by the love for his family. This annual scholarship will be awarded to a West Pittston resident completing his or her senior year at Wyoming Area High School. Preference will be given to athletes who have participated in at least one full year of a varsity sport during his/her junior or senior year. The applicant must continue their post secondary education, following the year graduated, at a four year accredited college. In the event that the money is not used for an educational purpose, and/or the applicant does not attend college within the year of graduation, the award will be returned to the Campenni Scholarship Fund.

Applicants will be judged on the following: academic achievement, financial need, community service, character and extra-curricular activities.

Essay Required: Each applicant must include a <u>personal statement</u> (which can be the one sent to colleges with the applicant's applications for admission).

The selection committee which consists of the Campenni children will make the final selection of the recipient of this award. The top five qualifiers may be subject to (a) further screening through an interview process and (b) a reference check. A person designated by the Campenni family will conduct the interview if deemed necessary. Applications and supporting information become the property of the James & Rosemary Memorial Scholarship, which shall have final and discretionary authority in all matters pertaining to this award. All information presented by applicants will be held in strict confidence.