The Tommy Sgrignoli Scholarship Fund, an endowment fund of The Foundation for Enhancing Communities, awards a scholarship for graduating seniors of East Pennsboro High School to help further their education. The scholarship memorializes Tommy Sgrignoli, a 1999 graduate of East Pennsboro High School, who was tragically killed in a motorcycle accident on June 22, 2005. Through this scholarship, the life and story of Tommy will never be forgotten. To have known Tommy was truly a blessing.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

1. Graduating Senior of East Pennsboro High School with plans to attend a school of higher education
2. Leadership and Community Service
3. Extracurricular activities
4. Active in Sports and Outdoor activities
5. Financial need

HOW TO APPLY

Please see your school counselor to pick up the application. Applications must also be turned into the school counselor upon completion.

A Personal essay is required. Describe in 400 words or less, why you feel you would be most qualified for this scholarship. Tommy had excelled in sports, was a wonderful role model for the youth, and had gained the respect of his family, friends and community through his achievements, giving heart, and his endearing smile that he always had for everyone.

RENEWABILITY

This scholarship is a one-time only award.

MATCHING AWARD OPPORTUNITIES

AES/PHEAA's PATH Program: Scholarship recipients are eligible to have their awards matched on a dollar-for-dollar basis by AES/PHEAA's PATH ("Partnerships for Access to Higher Education") Program. PHEAA may grant matching funds to scholarship recipients who are enrolled in an approved Pennsylvania college or career school as an undergraduate student on at least a half-time basis, who are a Pennsylvania state grant recipient and who demonstrate financial need. Students must also be a resident of Pennsylvania, not in default on any educational loans, maintain academic progress, and not be considered an incarcerated student. The match provides last-dollar support for tuition and fees. Scholarship funds used for reimbursement of textbook purchases are not eligible for a PATH Program match. The scholarship recipient's information is submitted to PHEAA by TFEC staff. No additional work will be asked of the scholarship recipient. For more information regarding AES/PHEAA, please refer to their website at www.phea.org.