Thanks also to the nearly 100 candidates who sent in their applications and competed for these scholarships. It was an extremely tough field of applicants this year which made the evaluations extremely difficult. Hopefully, as we continue to grow this program we will be able to increase the number of recipients for years to come.

Congratulations awardees!

**Navy SEAL Michael P. Murphy Foundation Scholarship Awardees**

- Matthew Thomas  
  McKinney, Texas  
  $5000.00  
- Edward Walsh  
  Brooklyn, New York  
  $5000.00

**Military Order of the Purple Heart Scholarship Awardees**

- Kadyn Casteel  
  Stillwater, Oklahoma  
  $1000.00  
- Ainsley Hufford  
  Temecula, California  
  $1000.00  
- Quinn Humphreys  
  Portland, Oregon  
  $1000.00  
- Ella Kluesner  
  Peasta, Iowa  
  $1000.00  
- Hanna Kluesner  
  Peasta, Iowa  
  $1000.00  
- Gwenyth Metz  
  Clarksville, Tennessee  
  $1000.00  
- Liam Raney  
  Middletown, Pennsylvania  
  $1000.00  
- Highland Roberts  
  Thomaston, Georgia  
  $1000.00  
- Jody Taller  
  Forest Falls, California  
  $1000.00  
- Derek Tewksbury  
  Portland, Connecticut  
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