The James A McNeil Family will be awarding $1000.00 scholarships to two individuals pursuing a Fire Science Degree. One scholarship will be awarded to a graduating Senior from Merrimack Valley High School and the other will be awarded to a graduating Senior residing in New Hampshire. This scholarship award of $1000.00 will be paid directly to an accredited post-secondary school of the recipient’s choice.

As a young teenager, Jim always aspired to serve his community through the fire service. He first joined the Concord Fire Explorers Program where he transitioned to a member of the Loudon Fire Department. His love for the service, hard work ethic and pride, carried him to a 20-year career with the City of Manchester Fire Department. Jim was an individual that carried a lot of pride in everything he touched and thrived to find ways to make people’s lives better, both personally and professionally. This scholarship recipient should exemplify Jim’s characteristics of hard work ethic, pride, community involvement and the kind willingness to help people in general.

The criteria for Eligibility for this scholarship is as follows:

- Applicant must be a graduating Senior from Merrimack Valley High School or a graduating Senior from New Hampshire.
- Student will attend an accredited post-secondary school.
- Scholarship will be paid upon receipt of documentation from post-secondary school certifying students’ enrollment.
- All information on this application will be held in strict confidence by the James A McNeil Family.

Include with the scholarship application:

- 250 words or less essay stating how you will use your course enrollment to help within your community.
- Two current letters of recommendations from a school representative and/or fire department peer.
- Official copy of high school transcript.
- Graduating Seniors from New Hampshire must provide proof of New Hampshire residency.

Scholarship application deadline is April 30, 2021.

Completed application must be submitted in a sealed envelope to:

James A McNeil Memorial Scholarship  
c/o Stacey McNeil  
284 Lovejoy Rd  
Loudon NH 03307
STUDENT INFORMATION:

Name: ____________________________________________

Address: __________________________________________

Town: __________________________ State: ___________ Zip: ___________

Phone: __________________________ Email: ______________

COMMUNITY SERVICE:
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EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES:
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FINANCIAL DATA:

Father’s name: _______________________________________

Employer: __________________________________________

Occupation: _________________________________________

Gross income from all sources as reported on the current year’s tax return.

Mother’s name: _______________________________________

Employer: __________________________________________

Occupation: _________________________________________
Gross income from all sources as reported on the current year’s tax return.

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Siblings living at home and their ages:

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