2020 Patrick Denne Scholarship LIVE AUCTION

By Lisa Schatz

The ND Rural Water Systems Association (NDRWSA) hosts a live scholarship auction every year during its EXPO and Conference. This year's auction raised nearly \$7,000 from items donated by exhibitors and attendees. In addition to the auction items, cash and prizes were given away to auction goers. No one should have left empty-handed.

In lieu of purchasing trophies for our corporate elite and diamond sponsors, cash was given to those names drawn while attending the auction. A special thank you to our corporate elite and diamond sponsors!

The Patrick Denne Memorial Scholarship is awarded in memory of a dedicated water circuit rider that traveled approximately 750,000 miles to provide assistance anywhere or anytime it was needed. To keep Denne's memory alive, the NDRWSA Executive Board awards money to deserving students. Students may use the money to defray tuition and college expenses. A selection committee reviews applications and selects the recipients based on academic performance, career goals,

extracurricular activities, leadership, financial need, and a brief essay on a predetermined topic. Watch for this year's recipients in an upcoming Spigot article.

For additional information, call 800-349-6951 or visit www.ndrw.org.

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