RWSPEA is proud to announce the winners of the 2024 RWSPEA Scholarships. Each recipient will receive \$750 for the college or trade school of their choice. Congratulations to all!

CHLOE SWANSON - DAUGHTER OF RETIRED TROOPER JEFF SWANSON

Hi, my name is Chloe Swanson. I grew up in Ellensburg, WA, and attended school in Yakima, WA, up until my senior year of high school. I then moved down to San Antonio, TX, and continued my last high school year at Cornerstone Christian School. I recently finished my freshman year of college at Texas A&M. I am majoring in Political Science, pursuing my goal of becoming a criminal defense attorney. My dad has greatly influenced my decision to become an attorney through his dedication to helping others and his strong work ethic. My father has always motivated me to set big goals for myself and has consistently provided me with the opportunities to reach those goals. I am forever thankful to have him as an influence in my life.



LAUREL STURDEVANT - GRANDDAUGHTER OF RETIRED TROOPER JAMES KEAN

My name is Laurel Sturdevant. I am currently attending Whatcom Community College to finish my pre-requisites for the nursing program. My ultimate career goal is to earn my Bachelor of Nursing Degree at Western Washington University. I am honored to have this scholarship and continue my education that allows me to make a positive impact on other people's lives. Thank you for helping me with my goal!

Thank you for much for the opportunity.



CHARLIZE BLAIN – GRANDDAUGHTER OF RETIRED TROOPER DANNY O'NEILL

In June, I graduated with honors from Mark Morris High School and Lower Columbia College. I have two part-time jobs right now, and I'm working full time this summer. In the fall, I'll be attending Central Washington University as a student-athlete enrolled with the Douglas Honors College and committed to the women's soccer team. Since I have four years of eligibility and already have my associates degree, I plan to double major in Law & Justice and Sports Management and will be looking for opportunities to study abroad. My long-term goal is to work for the FBI, making me third generation law enforcement!

I'm incredibly proud to represent my community at CWU and be part of a program built on high expectations and uncompromising values. Go Wildcats!



LANDON STURDEVANT – GRANDSON OF RETIRED TROOPER JAMES KEAN

My name is Landon Sturdevant, and I'm a third-year student at Western Washington University. My plans for the next two-three academic years are to finish my major in kinesiology and then eventually apply to PT school, where I intend to attain a doctorate in physical therapy.

