



**Evans Scholarship Foundation
PAR CLUB Notice**



RED RUN GOLF CLUB

June 11, 2020

Dear Fellow Members,

Red Run Golf Club continues to cultivate and foster one of the strongest youth caddie programs in Michigan. Surely one of the best ways to enjoy a round of golf with friends is to walk with a caddie. There is no doubt the camaraderie of the round is enhanced through this experience. One of the ways we support our caddies as a Club is with a proud tradition of contributing to the Evans Scholars Foundation through the annual Par Club fundraising campaign. The Par Club is critical to the Foundation's ability to award full tuition and housing college scholarships to deserving caddies with limited financial means.

We are honored to announce that Ethan Price (Michigan State University '24) was awarded an Evans Scholarship to begin college in fall 2020.



Ethan Price

Our Club has a rich history of producing qualified candidates for the Evans Scholarship. Since 1956, nearly 100 Red Run caddies have graduated from college as Evans Scholars. Currently, there are nine caddies from Red Run enrolled as Evans Scholars — Kevin Lalik (Michigan State '20), Trevor Marrs (Michigan State '20), Sean Rudy (Michigan State '20), Logan Susalla (Michigan State '21), Mitchell Susalla (Michigan State '21), Ainslie Woodward (Michigan '21), Myles White (Michigan State '22), Nickluas Feimster (Michigan State '23), Andrew Hendren (Michigan State '23).

Our Scholars are all doing quite well in school contributing to an overall 3.3 GPA among Evans Scholars at Michigan State University and the University of Michigan!

The value of each Evans Scholarship for the nine current Evans Scholars who are enrolled is a combined \$1.08 million. There are 129 young men and women living in the two Scholarship House Chapters in Michigan. These Evans Scholars are making the most of the opportunity they have been given as 95% of all Evans Scholarship recipients graduate. This graduation rate is significantly higher than the national graduation average for the student population our program serves.

To assist the Western Golf Association & Evans Scholars Foundation with administration of this scholarship program, all Red Run members will be conveniently billed an annual Par Club contribution of \$250 on their Club account in June. This contribution includes the recognition of your spouse, if you desire. You will receive a 2020 individual bag tag acknowledging your contribution. In addition to your bag tags, you will be able to select an attractive golf gift online and will be recognized in the annual Par Club Donors Report that is distributed nationally. The Evans Scholars Foundation is a 501(c)(3) organization, and your contribution is tax deductible.

Please note, with the passage of the Coronavirus, Aid, Relief & Economic Security (CARES) Act in late March, the law will now allow an above-the line income tax charitable deduction up to \$300 (\$600 for a married couple), even if you don't itemize your 2020 income tax return.

Please click [here](#) to adjust your donation no later than June 26, 2020.

Thank you for your support of this outstanding program and your help sending our academically and financially deserving caddies to college.

Sincerely,

Tim Colosimo
WGA Director
Alum MSU 1986

David Robinson
Chairman
2016-17

Bob McMasters
Chairman 1996-1997
Alum U of M 1956

Doug Krause
WGA Director
Alum MSU 1991

Rick Robinson
WGA Director