



PHHA Announces 2016 Manderino Scholarship Recipients

CHESTER, PA (January 23, 2017) — The Pennsylvania Harness Horsemen's Association (PHHA) is proud to announce the recipients of its James Manderino Scholarship.

Nine students will equally share the \$10,000 award: Melissa Becker, Garrett Thomas Chellis, Barton W. Dalious, Mary Grace McDermott, Ashley Ray, Carly Ray, Alleysha Reynolds, Sara Zidek and Ryan John Zidek.

Awarded annually since 1993, the scholarship was created to encourage future generations to participate in harness racing and foster a culture of lifelong learning. It is open to children of owners, trainers and drivers who have participated in Pennsylvania harness racing on a regular basis. Children of deceased members are also eligible. Students enrolled in a curriculum related to the harness racing industry may receive special consideration.

About the Pennsylvania Harness Horsemen's Association

Founded in 1967, the Pennsylvania Harness Horsemen's Association (PHHA) is a trade group that promotes the development of harness racing in Pennsylvania. The organization represents horsemen at The Downs at Mohegan Sun Pocono and Harrah's Philadelphia Casino & Racetrack. Its mission is to provide a stable foundation for horsemen by encouraging competitive racing that increases fan participation and enhances the reputation of Pennsylvania harness racing on the national scene. The PHHA maintains branch offices at the tracks it represents.

###

PENNSYLVANIA HARNESS HORSEMEN'S ASSOCIATION

Mohegan Sun at Pocono Downs
1280 Highway 315
Wilkes-Barre, PA 18702
570.831.2129

Harrah's Philadelphia Casino & Racetrack
1001 Harrah's Boulevard
Chester, PA 19013
610.874.5200

phha.org