



National Trailer
Dealers Foundation

A photograph of a line of graduates in black caps and gowns, smiling and looking to the right. The image is partially obscured by a large blue geometric shape in the lower half.

2024 National Trailer Dealers Foundation Annual Report

<https://trailerdealersfoundation.org/>

LETTER FROM THE CHAIRPERSON

As we reflect on another year of growth, impact, and progress, I am filled with immense pride and gratitude for what we have achieved together since forming the National Trailer Dealers Foundation (Foundation) in May 2023.

The work of the Foundation is driven by the need to make life better for trailer industry families by supporting education for children and employees of National Trailer Dealers Association (NTDA) members who wish to continue their education. Thanks to your support, 2024 has been a year of meaningful accomplishments.

This year, thanks to your generosity, we awarded 14 scholarships — opening doors of opportunity for high school graduates and college students pursuing their dreams. These scholarships are more than financial support; they represent hope, potential, and a brighter future for the children of National Trailer Dealers Association (NTDA) employees who aspire to continue their education.

Looking ahead our vision remains clear: continue building a brighter, more inclusive future for the trailer industry and the members it serves.

To achieve this, we will continue to innovate and collaborate with you — our valued supporters.

We will continue to communicate with industry leaders, create partnerships with vocational schools, and to continue fundraising efforts through donations and grants. Ensuring that the next generation is well-equipped to meet the challenges and opportunities of the future is bolstered through the efforts of the Foundation.

The Foundation continues to strive of endowing the Foundation to provide support for scholarship recipients in 2025 and beyond. During these times of uncertainty non-profit organizations like ours become a vital lifeline, ensuring the continuity of programs that directly impact lives. Your support, no matter the amount, empowers us to keep providing scholarships and opportunities.

To our donors: thank you for your extraordinary generosity, especially during these challenging times. To our volunteers: your tireless dedication and belief in our mission inspire us to aim higher and achieve more. Together, we are creating a powerful legacy that will shape the future of the trailer industry and the lives of those it touches.

Richard Bloomquist

Chairperson

National Trailer Dealers Foundation





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2024 SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

- | | | |
|----------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1 Christian Perez-Santiago | 6 Lauren Wade | 11 Paige Gerads |
| 2 Connor Ross | 7 Camden King | 12 Dhanush Kondapalli |
| 3 Riley Ledure | 8 Anna Stratton | 13 Ella Kang |
| 4 Ava Santillan | 9 Cheyenne Tunnel | 14 Anna Young |
| 5 Sarah Filamonte | 10 Isabella Arguelles Avilla | |

2023 SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

- | | | |
|------------------|----------------------|-------------------|
| 1 Angelia Buford | 4 Aiden Henning | 7 Allyson Shansky |
| 2 Alannah Gray | 5 McKenzie Hinz | 8 Emma Tjaden |
| 3 Alyvia Hall | 6 Yasdelin Rodriguez | 9 Jessica Wade |



ACCOUNTABILITY

Unpaid, volunteer Board members and staff completely support the Foundation. The Board past and present as well as staff of the Foundation have incredibly dynamic backgrounds with an incredible passion. Our only administrative expenses are accounting audits and an annual IRS 990 Form filing fee required of all nonprofit organizations.



IMPACT

The impact of our Scholarship Program extends far beyond financial assistance. By providing funding for education, we are investing in the future leaders, innovators, and change makers of tomorrow. Foundation scholarship recipients go on to excel academically, contribute to their communities, and inspire others to pursue their dreams, creating a ripple effect of positive change that reverberates within our industry and throughout society.



LEARN MORE

Learn more about the Foundation at: <https://trailerdealersfoundation.org/>.



DONATE

Donate online at: <https://nationaltrailed.securepayments.cardpointe.com/pay>.

Any tax-deductible donations made via check should be made out to the National Trailer Dealers Foundation and mailed to: 9864 E. Grand River Ave., Ste. 110-290, Brighton, MI 48116.

Questions? Contact the Foundation toll-free at (800) 800-4552 toll-free, (810) 229-5960 direct dial, or email foundation@ntda.org.

ABOUT US

The Foundation was established in May 2023 as a 501(C)3 Non-profit Organization with the goal of providing scholarships to children of NTDA member employees as well as to trailer industry professionals who wish to further develop their technical skills by attending trade schools, vocational schools, colleges, or universities.

OUR MISSION

At the Foundation, our mission is simple yet profound: to make life easier for the families of trailer industry families. We believe that every individual deserves the opportunity to pursue their dreams and make a positive impact.



HOW THE FOUNDATION HELPS

Through the generosity of individual donors and corporate underwriters, the Foundation offers a range of scholarship opportunities to students pursuing higher education. Whether it's covering tuition fees, purchasing textbooks, or supporting living expenses, our scholarships provide crucial financial aid to deserving individuals, helping them navigate the journey to success.

Prior to establishing the Foundation in 2023, the NTDA awarded nearly a quarter million dollars in scholarships since 1998. That sounds like a lot of money, but there is still a tremendous need to support the families of semi-trailer industry professionals. To reach a broader range of students and employees wishing to pursue their education, we established a 501(c)(3) that is exempt from state and federal tax. This means more funds can go

directly toward scholarships rather than to taxes. Likewise, your donations to the Foundation are tax-deductible. Donating to the Foundation allows individuals and companies alike to leave a lasting legacy by supporting education and helping students and employees achieve their academic and career goals.

This year, the Foundation awarded scholarships to graduating seniors. We also added a continuing education scholarship for employees of NTDA Dealer Members, Dealer Branch Members, or Allied Members seeking to further their education. Through scholarships provided by the Foundation, we strive to remove financial obstacles and enable students to focus on their studies and personal or professional growth. Your donations make a meaningful difference in the lives of students and employees within the semi-trailer industry.

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2023



Donations Made BEFORE Foundation Was Formed in May 2023

DONOR	AMOUNT
Anonymous	\$5,000
Overseas Hardwoods Company	\$5,000
Cash Donations from Golf Tournament	\$4,070
1580 Utility Trailer	\$2,500
Craig Czupka	\$2,400
Anonymous	\$2,000
Stoops Freightliner - Quality Trailer	\$2,000
Transglobal Door	\$1,000
Central Valley Trailer Repair	\$500
Country Supply, Inc.	\$500
US Tarp	\$500
Cramaro Tarpaulin Systems	\$250
Great Dane of Utah LLC	\$250
Johnsen Trailer Sales	\$150
American Equipment & Trailer	\$100
Amston Trailer Sales	\$100
Blyth Trailer Sales, LLC	\$100
Border International Trucks	\$100
Chattanooga Trailer & Rental, Inc.	\$100
Fleetco, Inc.	\$100
HAVCO Wood Products LLC	\$100
Lawrence Trailer Service, Inc.	\$100
Midco Sales LLC	\$100
Ocean Trailer - Delta	\$100
onewaytrailers	\$100
	\$27,220

DONATIONS

Donations Made AFTER Foundation Was Formed in May 2023

DONOR	AMOUNT
Aurora Parts & Accessories LLC	\$5,000
Fleet XL, Inc.	\$1,000
Ocean Trailer	\$2,500
HAVCO Wood Products LLC	\$1,000
Country Supply, Inc.	\$2,000
Royal Truck & Utility Trailer	\$2,500
M&E Global Group, Inc.	\$1,000
PLM Trailer Leasing	\$1,000
Pinnacle Trailer Sales, Inc.	\$1,000
KG Industries Ltd.	\$1,000
William R. Schaffer	\$5,000
	\$63,500

Total Donations Received in 2023
\$90,720

2024

DONOR	AMOUNT
Anonymous	\$10,000
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MAC Trailer Enterprises	\$10,000
Peak Trailer Group, LLC	\$7,000
Anonymous	\$6,000
Atlantic Great Dane	\$7,500
Central Valley Trailer Repair, Inc.	\$5,000
HDNABI North America Brake Industry	\$5,000
Ocean Trailer	\$5,000
MONA Payment Solutions	\$5,000
Thomas Benton Reynolds, Jr.	\$5,000
Utility Trailer Sales Southeast Texas	\$5,000
W&B Service Co. & Superior Trailer Sales	\$5,000
William R. Schaffer	\$5,000
Dorsey Trailer	\$2,500
Extreme Trailers LLC	\$2,500
Vanguard National Trailer	\$2,500
Cash Donations from Golf Tournament	\$2,463
Doleco-USA	\$5,000
Pressure Systems International, Inc.	\$2,000
Anonymous	\$1,000
Country Supply, Inc.	\$1,000
Fleetco, Inc.	\$1,000
Freuhauf	\$1,000
Great Dane of Utah LLC	\$1,000
John & Laurie Carr	\$1,000
KG Industries Ltd.	\$1,000
Pressure Systems International	\$1,000
Ridewell Suspensions	\$1,000
Transglobal Door	\$1,000
Utility Trailer Sales Southeast Texas	\$1,000
WABASH	\$1,000
Fryfogle Manufacturing, Inc.	\$500
Vernon Gene's Mega Store	\$500
Wolf Pack Marketing, LLC	\$500
James Fernamberg	\$300
Cramaro Tarpaulin Systems	\$250
Lonestar Truck Group	\$250
Blyth Trailer Sales, LLC	\$100
Johnsen Trailer Sales	\$100
Total Donations Received in 2024	\$121,963



**Scholarship Awards Paid
in 2023/2024
= \$150,900**

**2024/2025 Fund Balance
= \$78,450**



FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP ENDOWMENT DONATION FORM

DATE: _____

YOUR DETAILS

FIRST NAME:

LAST NAME:

TITLE:

COMPANY:

ADDRESS:

CITY

STATE/PROVINCE:

ZIP/POSTAL CODE:

PHONE:

EMAIL:

☐ I Would Like my Donation to be Anonymous

☐ Donation is Corporate

☐ Donation is a Gift in Memory of:

☐ Please send me Future Updates, News, and Information About the Foundation

☐ Donation is from an Individual _____

DONATION DETAILS

The National Trailer Dealers Foundation is seeking three-year donation commitments with a fundraising goal of \$3 million by Dec. 31, 2026 to create an endowment for the scholarship fund. All donations are tax-deductible. Per IRS regulations, the Foundation may not provide goods or services in exchange for your donation. The Foundation is a 501C3 Non-profit organization that is separate from the National Trailer Dealers Association (a 501C6 Non-profit organization). Thank you for making life better for trailer industry families!

☐ I WILL DONATE THE FOLLOWING AMOUNT EACH YEAR IN 2025-2027: ☐ \$5,000 ☐ \$2,500 ☐ \$1,000 ☐ Other

☐ I WILL DONATE THIS AMOUNT EACH YEAR IN 2025-2026

ENTER DOLLAR AMOUNT: \$ _____

☐ I WILL DONATE THIS AMOUNT IN 20245

ENTER DOLLAR AMOUNT: \$ _____

PAYMENT DETAILS

YOUR PAYMENT:

☐ Check

☐ Visa

☐ MasterCard

☐ AMEX

☐ Cash:

CARD NUMBER:

EXPIRATION DATE:

CVV CODE:

NAME ON CARD:

YOUR SIGNATURE:

Please scan and email form to foundation@ntda.org or make check payable to:

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Thank you for your continued support of the National Trailer Dealers Foundation!