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Ocean Ridge Charities Association (ORCA)

by Kath Larson

OCEAN RIDGE CHARITIES EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIAN SCHOLARSHIP

Ocean Ridge Charities Association (ORCA) is proud to announce the establishment of the "Ocean Ridge Charities Emergency Medical Technician Scholarship", at Brunswick Community College (BCC). This scholarship will be awarded to a student pursuing their Emergency Medical Techni-

cian (EMT) certification beginning this Fall.

Claudia Piccarelli (treasurer) and Maggy Schlink (president) presented a check for \$8500 to Elizabeth Wassum, the head of the Brunswick Community College Foundation on behalf of the Ocean Ridge community. The money for this scholarship came from final donations made to Ocean Ridge Charity Association many months after the tornado. At the time of the tornado, many residents benefited from the skills and kindness of our local EMTs.



This scholarship represents an opportunity to invest in the future of emergency medical technicians in Brunswick County. Each semester, a \$500 scholarship will be awarded to a student pursuing an EMT certification. ORCA hopes to hold events in the future to add to the total of the donation. Individuals are encouraged to consider donating to this scholarship fund.

This is the second scholarship that Ocean Ridge Charities Association has at Brunswick Community College. The first was the Ocean Ridge-David Kelly Nursing Endowment, which provides a scholarship to a nursing student each semester. This program has helped many students finish their requirements and receive nursing degrees.

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Upcoming Events—Mark Your Calendar



Sept. 15th-Nov. 5th

Raffle Tickets on sale for Beautiful Christmas Quilt

\$5.00 each or 6/\$20.00

Winner drawing during Holiday Arts & Craft Show at the Nature Pavilion Nov. 5th

Questions? Contact Mary Perno at: MPERNO@verizon.net

Nov. 5th 11AM-2PM

Holiday Arts & Craft Show More details coming soon.

Questions? Contact Mary Pat Lynch at: mphlynch@yahoo.com

Nov. 5th-Dec 3rd

Purchase Luminaries Minimum donation: \$10 per set of 10 Questions? Contact Mary Perno at: MPERNO@verizon.net Purchase Holiday Marketplace Raffle Tickets* \$20 per set of 10 Questions? Contact Kathy Sanchez at: semester, a \$500 scholarship will be awarded impolismp@0028 s , retsemes

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Dec. 4th 5PM-8PM

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Questions? Contact Judy Cunningham at: mjcunningham@atmc.net

^{*} Proceeds from these events support Brunswick Electric's Warm Homes, Warm Hearts charitable program.