

# WOODMAN'S®

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A Family Tradition Since 1914

## Gives Back

### SUPPORTING OUR COMMUNITY EDUCATING OUR KIDS

#### ❖ L. Dexter Woodman Family Foundation

In 1988, after Dexter passed away, his wife, Gini, created the L. Dexter Woodman Scholarship. When Gini passed away in 2011, the name was changed to the Mr. & Mrs. L. Dexter Woodman Scholarship. In 2022, we changed the name to the L. Dexter Woodman Family Foundation so we can broaden our giving. Instead of just giving scholarships to students for school, we want to be able to give to needy families and organizations such as Action, Inc., so kids can have a good Christmas. That's what our family is about. Since inception, we have awarded over \$882,997 in scholarships, to over 197 students as well as donations to many organizations that support education, as well as children.

#### ❖ Clamshells for Scholars

In 2011, we started Clamshells for Scholars, a spin-off from our original scholarship. It is a lottery-style drawing for students working at Woodman's who are in at least their sophomore year of college, post-graduate program or vocational school. Traditionally, two lucky students receive \$1,000 each towards their education. In 2023, we awarded 7 students each \$2,500!

#### ❖ College Book Money

As a show of gratitude for our student-employees' hard work and dedication, we support our college-age staff by assisting them with college book costs. Since 1998, we have given over 190 students up to \$300 in book money per year, totaling over \$72,000 to-date.

#### L. DEXTER WOODMAN FAMILY FOUNDATION

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### DEXTER & GINI'S FAMILY CARRYING ON THE TRADITION OF GIVING

#### SAVE THE DATE

Join us on Giving Tuesday, November 28, 2023, at Woodman's Restaurant. Woodman's will generously donate 10% of the proceeds from the entire day to the Foundation.

#### 2023 BOARD MEMBERS

Tracey Carlson – Kristi Leigh Swett – Emma DiZio  
Vanessa Woodman de Lazo – Dexter Viator

#### 2023 SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

Owen O'Leary – Grace Gerhardt - Aria Caputo - Rachele Connor  
Julia Keenan – Eve DiZio – Maddie Frost – Meredith McFadden  
Sophie Bertocci – Austin Pare – Brett Tardie

#### SCHOOLS ATTENDED

Franklin Pierce University – Framingham State University  
University of Vermont – Salem State University  
Colgate University – Endicott College  
Fairfield University – URI – Bentley University

#### ORGANIZATIONS THAT RECEIVED FUNDS 2023

Manchester-Essex Senior - \$5,000  
North Shore Chamber of Commerce - \$3,000  
Prep at Pingree - \$2,500  
ROOT North Shore - \$2,500  
Cape Ann Chamber of Commerce - \$3,000  
Essex Lions Club - \$3,000  
Mass Restaurant Association - \$2,000  
Clamshells for Scholars - Seven \$2,500 each  
Cape Ann Kids Holiday Fund - \$500  
Beverly Bootstraps Back to School Backpack Program - \$2,500  
The Jimmy Fund - \$500

#### LONG TIME SUPPORTERS

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