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For Immediate Release

{CITY} Area Student Receives Prestigious Scholarship

{CITY}, Texas – {CITY} area student, {RECIPIENT NAME}, has been selected to receive the {SCHOLARSHIP NAME}. {RECIPIENT NAME} attended {HIGH SCHOOL NAME} where she {ACTIVITIES, for example: was captain of the volleyball team and president of the school’s community service organization, Interact Club.} {RECIPIENT NAME} was also very involved in {ACTIVITIES, for example: the Waxahachie community, volunteering for Habitat for Humanity, the Special Olympics and numerous other organizations.} She will enter The University of Texas at Austin in August and plans to study {RECIPIENT MAJOR}.

The {SCHOLARSHIP NAME} is given to {# OF STUDENTS} each year and is funded through the {CHAPTER NAME}. The {CHAPTER NAME} have given {# OF SCHOLARSHIPS} to students entering The University of Texas at Austin over the years. To find out how to contribute to the scholarship fund, visit {CHAPTER WEB ADDRESS}.

{RECIPIENT NAME}, along with other chapter scholarship recipients, will be presented with the scholarship at a dinner to be held in the Etter-Harbin Alumni Center on the University of Texas at Austin campus in September. This year the Texas Exes will award more than \$2 million in scholarships to 716 students.

The Texas Exes was founded in 1885 to praise, promote, and protect the university. Today there are more than 90,000 members whom the association strives to connect to each other and to the past, present, and future of the university through career counseling, travel, reunions, continuing education, fellowship, and *The Alcalde* magazine.

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