

OWEN NAKAMURA SCHOLARSHIP FUND

As a way to honor a coach and referee who has given so much to the game of volleyball we established the Owen Nakamura Scholarship Fund. This fund was created as a combined effort through Lakeshore Volleyfest and MJVBA State Championship and the scholarships are awarded to two coaches and two referees each year to be used towards college tuition. Each person will receive \$500 .

The recipients for 2023 are:

- ***Charlie Andrews- Assistant Coach for Far Out 16 Black. Charlie graduated from Battle Creek Harper Creek HS and played volleyball at Western Michigan University***
- ***Shelbie Schoenborn- Assistant Coach for Inside Out 14 Black. Shelby recently graduated from Coopersville High School and will be playing volleyball at Muskegon Community College in the fall.***
- ***Hayley Wegener- Referee. Haylee has been reffing for 3 years. She recently graduated from Coopersville High School and will be playing volleyball at Ferris State University in the fall.***
- ***Carley Baughman- Referee. Carley graduated from Normal Community West High School. She is currently studying business and playing volleyball at Grand Valley State University.***
- ***Ann Ketchum – Coach for Top Gun. Ann is currently attending Michigan State University and is majoring in Education.***
- ***Linsey Momrik – Coach for Top Gun. Linsey is currently attending Michigan State University and is majoring in Chemistry.***