

December 10, 2018

Dear Mr. Makarewicz:

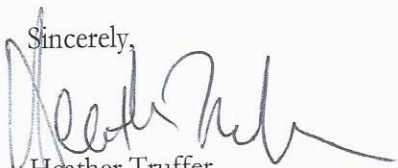
Each year in May and December we celebrate the graduation of thousands of NEIU students. Northeastern graduates have and will continue to go on to do wonderful work in their community and around the globe, and with each commencement we are excited to see what Northeastern alumni will do next. Our students and alumni are amazing, each with their own story to tell. For many, the story includes scholarship support from donors like you. This support is essential for many of our students, and I have seen, first hand, the impact that gifts from our donors have on students' lives.

I am thrilled to be able to tell you that Adrian Antos was selected to receive the 2018-2019 Chicago Society Foundation Scholarship. Adrian is a sophomore, majoring in Performance in the College of Arts & Sciences and carries a GPA of 3.02.

A scholarship is the gift of opportunity, and we thank you for giving Northeastern students the opportunity to graduate. Your leadership and giving is a testament to how wonderful our donors are. Please know that without you, we could not carry out the mission of Northeastern, and that our students' lives and aspirations would be that much harder to attain.

Again, thank you for providing scholarship support for our students, we are fortunate to have you as part of the NEIU family.

Sincerely,



Heather Truffer
Assistant Director of Development

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Nov. 15th 2018

Dear Chicago Society Foundation Scholarship Donor,

Thank you very much for the very generous scholarship money. It really means a lot to me. When I opened up the letter I was ecstatic because as you probably know college can be quite expensive so saving a bit on it brings me a great joy. Getting this scholarship has shown me maintaining an above 3.0 GPA is especially a good idea as it awards me more opportunities. I don't think I'll ever allow my GPA to fall to a 2.5 again. This scholarship has given me quite a bit more motivation to strive for great grades, so thank you very much for that.

My favorite class this year has been my vocal lessons. These lessons have taught me a great deal and most importantly challenged me to excel in my craft. After I have a good lesson I feel much joy because learning new techniques and improving gives me much joy. I always strive to make my teacher proud because I am proud to be her student. My voice has gone from a pinched pitchy nightmare to something I myself find great pride in. I always wanted to be able to sing without an insane amount of tension in my voice and with every lesson I'm correcting bad habits I've formed throughout my life. We have also worked on my diction which is very good because I tend to mumble my words.

I attend many outside activities outside the classroom. One recent development is that I've become massively interested in space and the universe as a whole. I want to take an astronomy class next semester to explore that fascination. I am also in a band with my best friend and we've been working hard on this new album that I'm very excited about. We've come a long way since we started and we have learned a lot. I plan on doing promotion, and marketing for our album, and to try to get it out to as many people as possible. It's an upward climb, but it's one I'm excited about.

I look very much forward to my future. I look forward to the difficulties and lessons to be learned. I look forward to becoming a more full me. My aspirations after college is mostly to follow my passion in music. I want to try my hardest to have a successful career out of it, and I truly believe in myself and that I can accomplish my dreams as long as I stay smart and keep learning.

Sincerely,



Adrian Antos



Life in a Jar

The Irena Sendler Project

"One person can change the world" **Tikkun Olam**

December 17, 2018

Chicago Society Foundation
Mr. Thaddeus Makarewicz, President
6348 Milwaukee Ave. -PMB 360
Chicago, IL 60646

Dear Mr. Makarewicz,

On behalf of the Life in a Jar Foundation, I would like to thank you for your recent generous grant of \$1,000 for curriculum and project development in Chicago area schools.

Using Irena Sendler's maiden name, Krzyzanowski in promotions and program development is wonderful and a great boost to the Polish-American community. We are very grateful for your advice as we work with students in the Chicago area.

Thank you, and we look forward to working with students in the Chicago area.

Sincerely,

Norman Conard
Executive Director
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December 9, 2018

Dear Chicago Society Foundation,

Thank you for your generous donation of \$1000. This contribution is tax-deductible to fullest extent allowable of the law. No goods or services were received for this donation.

All donations to Lechici, a member of The Polish Scouting Organization of Illinois, are deductible from your federal taxes as provided in the Federal Tax Code under section 501(c)(3) for non-profit tax-exempt organizations. Our federal tax identification number is 23-7295774.

Our organization has been registered with the State of Illinois since December 11th, 1958, under Charter #11093. The purpose of this organization is "...to develop the physical, mental and moral strength of American Youth of Polish descent and to train such youth for good citizenship; to perpetuate in the American youth of Polish extraction the traditions of their forefathers and their contributions to American culture; to organize said youth of both sexes; and to conduct meetings, hikes, lectures and camps". Time and effort devoted to the functions of our organization are voluntary. Directors and officers receive no monetary or material compensation for their services.

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