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REED SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED



From Left. Ruth Johnson, Natalie Patton, Aimee Bruner, Kylee Souders, Hannah Ramsey

Oregon, June 29, 2016---- Five recipients of 2016 Mark E. Reed Scholarships were recently named by the program's Oregon Board, according to Ursula Walters, board secretary. The winners each received \$3,000 awards on May 20, 2016, after touring Green Diamond Resource Company timberlands and a lunch celebration at the Oregon headquarters.

This is the 69th year that scholarships have been presented in the memory of Mark E. Reed, who was Simpson Logging Company president from 1914 until his death in 1933. Today, eligible individuals must be Green Diamond employees, sons or daughters of employees, or reside in one of the company's Oregon operating communities.

The 2016 scholarship recipients are:

Ruth Johnson is currently majoring in nursing at Klamath Community College. She is the spouse of Brett Johnson, Oregon Operations. Ruth is a second year recipient.

Natalie Patton, a 2016 graduate from Mazama High School, plans to attend Northern Arizona University majoring in Anthropology. Her parents are Charles and Malgorzata Patton.

Aimee Bruner, a 2016 graduate from Henley High School, plans to attend Oregon Institute of Technology. She will major in Renewable Energy Engineering. Her parents are Kazuhiko Fukase and Christina Bruner.

Kylee Souders, a 2016 graduate from Klamath Union High School, plans to attend Boise State University, majoring in Mathematics. Her parents are Scott and Julie Souders.

Hannah Ramsey, a 2016 graduate from Lakeview High School, plans to attend Pacific University or Oregon State majoring in Biology. Her parents are Michael and Carol Ramsey.

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