

## DOLLARS FOR SCHOLARS SPOTLIGHT

It's a tradition.....

### Floodwood graduates succeed

Erik Johnson, son of Jeff and Mary Johnson, graduated with the class of 2005. He earned his BA in Business Management and his BA in Marketing, with a minor in Finance, from The College of St. Scholastica.

While in high school, Erik was no stranger to hard work. Not only did he work to keep up his grades, he also participated in football, basketball, baseball and Knowledge Bowl, developing his quiet leadership skills. His hard work has paid off, giving Erik a successful career with Ameriprise Financial at their headquarters in downtown Minneapolis. Erik is a securities trader, which means he is fully licensed in the financial world to transact with securities. He trades things like stocks, bonds, options, etc...on the major exchanges like the New York Stock Exchange, working with Ameriprise's thousands of advisors nationwide on executing these trades to further ensure the success of their client's financial goals.

Erik makes his home in Burnsville, MN.

His message to the community of Floodwood: A very special thank you to everyone who has, and who continue, to donate to such a great organization like Dollars for Scholars. Each donation helps those looking to continue their education make that step a little easier. I'm proud to say that I was a former recipient of these generous donations and am a proud alumni of Floodwood High School.

The people of Floodwood can be proud of their support to young men and women such as Erik.

