

## DOLLARS FOR SCHOLARS SPOTLIGHT

It's a tradition.....

### Floodwood graduates succeed

**Jane Weidmer**, daughter of Don & Kathleen Tahja, graduated with the class of 1984. She earned her BAA and BAS degrees from the University of Minnesota-Duluth and an M. Ed. and K-12 Administrative License from St. Mary's University.

When Jane walked across the Floodwood gym stage to receive her high school diploma, it was with high expectations and dreams. Recognizing that she needed to further her education to realize those dreams, she chose UMD, where she earned her teaching degrees. Jane has taught high school math and Spanish at Moose Lake, Cromwell, Floodwood and Pine Tree District in Texas. Jane is currently employed at Loyola College Prep in Shreveport, LA where she teaches higher mathematics.

Jane and her husband, Tomas make their home in Hallsville, Texas. Their 3 children, Stefano (just recently earned his college degree) while Marco and Pablo are attending college in Texas and Louisiana.

Her message to the community of Floodwood: "Thank you to all who contribute to Floodwood's Dollars for Scholars - your contributions helped me through college. Not only did you make a big impact in my life, but in my children's lives as well. As a non-traditional student married, with three children, and working full time, my kids saw me struggle but determined to get an education. Now the greatest reward, for me, is to see my three sons prioritizing their education, going to college, and laying out their life plans."

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

