

February 12, 2018

Hello,

It's with heavy heart that I find myself writing this letter at this time of year.

Souhegan Valley Dollars for Scholars has been awarding scholarships in Milford for over half a century. During this period based on the current level of scholarships awarded, the organization has provided over 4 million dollars in financial assistance to deserving local high school and college students. While I understand that in years past the committee has had a membership of several dozen people at a time, making the workload far more manageable, our current committee has dwindled down to a handful of dedicated persons. Unfortunately, this scholarship year will be the last for most of our key volunteers. The organizational positions of President, VP of Fundraising, Secretary, Treasurer, and Volunteer Coordinator will all become vacant as of July 31, 2018.

At this time we are seeking people to fill these very important roles. They will continue the vital task of guiding this organization in its quest to provide meaningful aid to the students of Milford. Students of Mason attending Milford High School are also included.

If not enough people volunteer in the key positions to continue the mission of SVDFS, the current Board of Directors may have to make the difficult decision to dissolve the organization.

It's my firm hope that this won't come to pass and that others will come forward. If you or somebody you know are interested in one of these vital positions, please contact one of the following.

President - Keith Ladeau - president@svdfs.org
VP of Fundraising - Joan Dargie - joandargie@aol.com
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Volunteer Coordinator - Gina Matthews - reginamatthews@msn.com

Respectfully, Keith Ladeau President, SVDFS