Students from Litchfield County towns received diplomas and awards in May.

**CCMC, Isidor Wise Scholarship**

TORRINGTON — For 29 years, Connecticut Children's has celebrated exceptional graduating high school seniors at the Isidore Wise Scholarship Awards Ceremony. While COVID-19 required that the 2020 event be a virtual experience, it did not diminish the caliber of talented students selected by this year’s review committee to receive scholarships toward their first year of college. Among the recipients is David Teti of Torrington.
Teti is a graduate of Torrington High School, where he was the captain of the swim team. He is a member of Rho Kappa Honor Society and Vice President of the National Honor Society. Stevie Ray Vaughan and Eric Clapton inspired him to learn to play the guitar, and he is now an accomplished musician. While managing his Crohn's disease, he has been an active volunteer in the Torrington community.

He serves as an usher at the Warner Theatre as well as Vice President of the Mayor's Committee on Youth, where he serves as a role model for committee members. In this position, his leadership and advocacy raised the legal age to purchase vaping products to 21. He is the recipient of the Brian Piccolo Memorial Award and the National Youth Service Day Award for his contributions to his community. Teti will attend the University of Connecticut in the fall to study biomedical engineering.

**Burlington students awarded**
BURLINGTON — Four Burlington residents were recently awarded scholarships from Main Street Community Foundation totaling $4,220.

Lauren Alvarez, Morgan O'Regan and Morgan Sokol each received a scholarship from the Burlington Lions Charities Scholarship Fund. This fund was established in 2000 by the Burlington Lions Club to support post-secondary educational opportunities for Burlington residents. The Lions Club seeks students who represent good citizenship and commitment to their community through volunteer service.

Samuel Dorman received a scholarship from GE's Industrial Solutions Scholarship Fund. This scholarship was transferred to the Main Street Community Foundation in 2015 by GE's Industrial Solutions and is available to eligible dependents of employees of ABB Industrial Solutions in Plainville, CT.

This year the foundation awarded a total of $228,742 in scholarships to 153 students at varying levels of their academic careers. The students - graduating high school seniors, current college students, adults returning to school and elementary and secondary school students - hail from the towns of Bristol, Burlington, Plainville, Plymouth, Southington and Wolcott as well as surrounding communities.

Lasell University graduates

NEWTON, MA — The following local students graduated from Lasell University in May.