Eugene Kinasewich Fund

Fall 2013



The Eugene Kinasewich Fund is in its Eighth Year.

The Eugene Kinasewich Fund has Provided more than \$1,300,000 in Scholastic Aid

Dear Friends,

This issue of the Genes Fund Newsletter is dedicated to the memory of our close friend and Lead Founder of the Eugene Kinasewich Fund, Tim Taylor, who succumbed to cancer on April 27, 2013.

Without Tim's leadership the Fund never would have happened.

Since it's incorporation on February 28, 2005, thirty young men and women from Ukraine, where the average gross monthly salary is \$400, have received the benefit of over \$1,300,000 providing them with life changing secondary school and college experiences in America.

The gratitude of these students is expressed in excerpts from some of their letters included in this Newsletter.

From the bottom of our hearts, we thank you, Tim, for having made your friend Gene Kinasewich's dream become a reality.

And, we also thank again all of you who have so generously contributed to Gene's Fund over the years.

With warmest regards,

Bill Beckett, President

THE EUGENE KINASEWICH FUND ENABLES STUDENT ATHLETES TO ACCEPT SHOLASTIC AID

In order to accept a scholarship a Kinasewich Fund student needs as much as \$10,000 annually from the fund to pay for room, board, books, transportation, and other living expenses.

THEREFORE, EVERY DOLLAR DONATED TO THE FUND CAN LEVERAGE AS MANY AS FOUR DOLLARS IN SHOLARSHIP AID.

The Eugene Kinasewich Fund, Inc.

2013 LETTERS FORM KINASEWICH FUND RECIPIENTS



Thomas Warren

"Hello, I would like to address the members of Eugene Kinasewich Fund. I would like to express my gratitude to those who gave us a very warm welcome in their homes and to those who are continuing the idea Gene Kinasewich once created. I cannot find the words to express my appreciation for all you have done, and to have had the opportunity to be part of the fund. After I finished my degree, I was offered a full time job as an interior decorator at Pottery Barn. I really enjoy what I do. I will keep in touch and would like to be part of Genes' continuing idea. I am proud to be part of such a great team."

Oleg Koval, Edmonton, Alberta

"With K-fund support, I graduated from Hebron Academy in 2007 and The University of New England in 2011. With the help the K-fund gave me to go to school, today I have a chance to run my own small business.--- I truly believe that the K-fund is directly responsible for the opportunity I have to make something out of myself, and hopefully in the future to help people have the opportunity in their life that I got nine years ago. Thank you very much."

Dmytro Naida, Portland, Maine

"I can't even think of a better life experience. Right now I am back in Ukraine, but I know my world is larger. I am using all of the language skills that I developed in the US. I work on two business projects, all of this could not be possible without my experience in North America. I can't thank enough The Eugene Kinasewich Fund for all the opportunity that was provided for me. Thank you."

Roman Khromushkin, Kharkiv, Ukraine

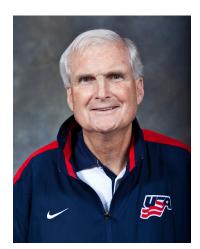
"The Kinasewich Fund has helped me tremendously. Without their financial help and support I would not be where I am today. When I first got in contact with the Kinasewich Fund, I was a 16 year old boy trying to expand my experience in hockey. Not only was I able to graduate from high school, I went on to earn my Associate's degree in Business Administration from Morrisville State College. I recently continued my education at The North Bennett Street School located in Boston. I graduated from the carpentry program. Without the Kinasewich Fund, I would not have been able to take part in these amazing experiences. I am now a successful tradesman and have many professional dreams including owning my own carpentry business one day. I can not fathom where I would be today without the Gene Kinasewich Fund. I am living a life that I never thought possible. I will forever be grateful for their honorable contributions and unconditional support"

Ivan Oliinyk, Lexington, MA

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TIMOTHY BLAKE TAYLOR March 26, 1942 - April 27, 2013



The Eugene Kinasewich Fund has lost one of its Founders. Tim Taylor passed away on April 27th.

As a Kinasewich Fund Board member, Timmy was always available and ready to help either the Board or a Fund recipient. His years of experience coaching both college and USA hockey teams were a great help in guiding and advising the Board in the task of helping Gene Fund recipients become student athletes. His love of coaching and teaching was evident in his compassion for, and involvement with fund recipients. He would think nothing of doing a six hour round trip drive to a hockey game in order to encourage or advise one of the Funds' recipients. That trip was always in addition to his on-going hockey obligations.



Timmy and Gene Kinasewich were teammates and friends at Harvard. The game of ice hockey was a year-round passion for both Tim and Gene. In the summer of 1974, Tim and Gene took a group of Boston area students to Russia in order to experience hockey as a vehicle for international exchange and good will.

It was natural for Tim, the well known Yale, US Olympic, and US World Cup team hockey coach, to enthusiastically join the effort to help Gene found a fund that would empower a group of young men and women to find a way to have their passion and talent for hockey lead them to realize educational goals and experiences. Tim's knowledge of the New England secondary schools and the process of applying for college was crucial in helping both Gene Fund recipients and the Board navigate the application process. He was always selfless and would act as an active participant

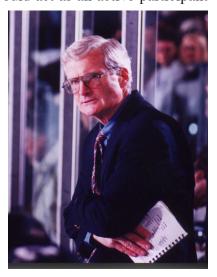
in the process of helping students transition from secondary school to college, in addition to being a life coach for many recipients.

The success stories of thirty Gene Fund recipients

are a testament to the diligence and compassion of Tim Taylor. We will miss his contributions. A Board meeting with Tim present was always a positive for all those involved in the Gene Fund mission.

Tim Taylor was a hockey purist who became a life teacher over the course of his coaching career. He was a gift to those he coached, those he coached with, and the Board of the Eugene Kinasewich Fund.

Tim Taylor leaves a meaningful guidepost for life; follow your passion and do it well!



Students supported by the Eugene Kinasewich Fund, Inc. 2005-2013

*Afanasiev, Alexey Bezuglyy, Yegor *Gavrik, Vladyslav Gumenyuk, Artem Guryev, Danil *Ignatenko, Misha Khromushkin, Roman *Kornelyuk, Taras Koval, Oleg Koval, Oleksii Kozhokin, Pavlo Krivda, Roman Laptyev, Sergiy Mykolenko, Oleksandr Mykolenko, Viktoriya Naida, Dmytro *Naida, Pavlo Oliinyk, Ivan Podkosov, Maksym Ponomar, Oleksandr * Pylypenko, Denys Romanenko, Oleksandr Ryabkina, Yelyzaveta *Smirnov, Nikita Sorokolat, Sergiy *Tkachenko, Oxana *Yasynetskyy, Artem Yegorychev, Igor Zemelyev, Artem * current recipients

St. Joseph Prep - 2015 Needham High/Brewster/Norwich Hebron Academey/Skidmore - 2014 South Kent/Manhattanville - 2011 South Kent/NH Bobcats/Neumann - 2012 White Mountain School/St. Scholastica - 2015 Kents Hill/University of New England - 2012 St. Joseph Prep - 2014 Vermont Academy/Grant MacEwan - 2013 Albany Academy/Hobart - 2010/Broad St. CG Canterbury/ Boston Bulldogs/Norwich - 2012 Trinity-Pawling/Fargo/Norwich Vermont Academy Northwood/Skidmore - 2011 Dexter/Proctor/Brown - 2012 Hebron/SNHU/Univ of New England - 2011 Hebron Academy - 2015 Winchendon/Morrisville/NBSS - 2013 **Trinity-Pawling** Culver Nat'l Sports Academy/St Joseph Prep - 2014 Hebron Academy/Manhattanville - 2011 Berkshire/Harvard - 2011 Nat'l Sports Academy/Hoosac School - 2014 South Kent/Manhattanville - 2011 Southfield/White M'tn/Colby Sawyer - 2015 Nat's Sports Academy/Bridgeton Academy – 2014 Brewster/University of New England - 2012 Arlington Catholic/Grant MacEwan

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