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**Wisconsin Cervid Farmers' Foundation (W.C.F.F.)**, which is the educational arm of **Whitetails of Wisconsin (W.O.W.)**, awarded a \$500 scholarship to Morgan Birkenholz at the W.O.W. Annual Spring Meeting previously held at The Three Bears Resort in Warrens, Wisconsin. According to W.C.F.F., Morgan is one of four winners selected each year. The applicant is either a member of W.O.W. or a child/grandchild of a member.

Morgan attended Gilman High School and was able to graduate a semester early from UW-Green Bay with a degree in Business Administration with emphases in Marketing, HR Management, and Business Management. She is the grandchild of Bob and Elva Drier, members of Whitetails of Wisconsin since 2010. Behind Morgan's success includes Valedictorian and secretary of her class, team captain for volleyball, basketball and softball, vice president of FBLA, historian of NHS, participated in FFA, Student Council, band, VICA, Letter Club and Life of an Athlete Club all while maintaining a 4.0 GPA and holding a job at Fencing Plus, Inc. As reported by her former English teacher, "A testimony to her personality is that Morgan was voted both homecoming and prom queen by not just the senior class, but the entire high school."

W.O.W. is an association representing an industry that has an annual economic impact on Wisconsin's economy of \$75 million. W.O.W. is a political voice for approximately 400 deer breeders in Wisconsin. They represent the deer industry by working closely with state and federal legislators and regulatory agencies to develop rules and regulations that govern the deer industry.

**W.C.F.F. dedicates the promotion of deer farming and ranching as an agricultural pursuit. The Foundation serves its members through educational programs, research and publications providing industry leadership while maintaining quality industry standards.**