

## **Nugget Markets Associates Awarded Educational Scholarships**

Local students and Nugget Markets associates receive CGA and the Eugene and Joan Stille educational scholarships

**Woodland CA** - Nugget Markets associates Sarah Engstrom and Samuel England have been awarded the \$2,000 CGA Don Beaver Memorial Scholarship and the \$1,000 Eugene and Joan Stille Educational Scholarship, respectively. A graduate of Christian Brothers High School, Engstrom is employed as a courtesy clerk at the Woodland Nugget Markets location and this fall she'll be attending California State University, Chico, majoring in business and management. England, whose mom is a long-time Nugget Markets associate, graduated from Woodland Christian High School and will be a freshman at UC Davis this fall, majoring in entomology.

“So many of our associates are also hardworking students,” says Eric Stille, president and CEO of Nugget Markets, Inc. “It’s an honor to help support our associates in pursuing their educational goals and securing their future careers.”

Two Eugene and Joan Stille Educational Scholarships (\$1,000 each) are available to high school seniors or undergraduate students employed by Nugget Markets or Food 4 Less. or is a dependent of an associate. Dependents of Nugget Markets or Food 4 Less executives, store directors and corporate directors are not eligible and only one recipient per family is awarded. The grocery industry offers more than 200 grocery industry scholarships. High school seniors or undergraduate students who are employed by a CGA member (like Nugget Market, Inc.) or whose parent is employed by a CGA member are eligible for scholarship awards. Graduate students pursuing a grocery industry career and who are employed by a CGA member are also eligible.

“The friendly culture here at Nugget has inspired me to really learn about business,” says Engstrom. “I’ve gained so much by helping and communicating with our guests and associates throughout the store, and my experience here at Nugget has really solidified my interest in the business world.”

“I’m interested in a degree in entomology because I hope to have a career in the bee industry,” says England. “I’m passionate about the field and am so grateful to Nugget Markets for this support. My mom and Nugget have made a huge impression on me, and this scholarship is a great help in furthering my education.”

Established in 1926 in Woodland CA, local grocer Nugget Markets is still family owned and operated and has nine Northern California stores located in Davis, Woodland, Roseville, El Dorado Hills, Vacaville, Elk Grove, Sacramento, and West Sacramento. The company also owns and operates three Food 4 Less stores in Woodland, Cameron Park, and Vallejo.

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