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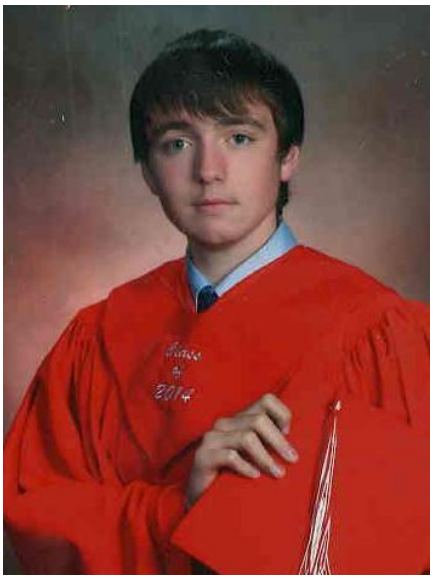
# Morris Hills High School student Owen Taggart is an NJCTS Children's Scholarship Award winner

The New Jersey Center for Tourette Syndrome & Associated Disorders (NJCTS) is proud to announce Owen Taggart of Rockaway as an honorable-mention recipient of the 2014 NJCTS Children's Scholarship Award.



Taggart, who is graduating from Morris Hills High School, was selected for his academic achievement, community service and accomplishments as an individual with Tourette Syndrome – an inherited, misunderstood, misdiagnosed neurological disorder that affects 1 in 100 children.

Taggart's award essay was titled "Tourette Syndrome: From a Curse to a Blessing" His list of extracurricular activities reflects an deep appreciation for art and his community. Taggart was a state qualifier for DECA, a member of the National Art Honor Society and is active in his church.

NJCTS congratulates Taggart – who will attend either the County College of Morris, William Paterson University or Caldwell College- on his achievements and wishes him continued success in his academic and career endeavors.

Since 2001, the NJCTS Children's Scholarship Award has been awarded to more than 200 outstanding high school seniors in the state of New Jersey who have excelled in their schools, communities and lives – representing themselves as excellent advocates for Tourette. To learn more about the scholarship or discover other NJCTS programs, please visit **www.njcts.org** or visit the **Teens4TS blog**.

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