The 2022-2023 Scholarship Application will open on November 8th, 2021, and will close on February 25th, 2022. The Graduate Scholarship Application will open on March 1st, 2022, and will close on April 30th, 2022.

The EOD Warrior Foundation Scholarship is applicable to colleges and universities and trade and vocational schools. It may be applied to tuition, room and board, and other approved scholastic expenses.

This very important program allows us to meaningfully contribute to the educational growth of our EOD Community and we are extremely grateful to our donors for their support!

To learn more about the EOD Warrior Foundation Scholarship, to include eligibility requirements, visit us online at www.eodwarriorfoundation.org!

The EOD Warrior Foundation has begun the process of a Memorial Grounds Expansion, housing statue in remembrance of all EOD Techs. A vault will be buried beneath this expansion area and filled with memorabilia sent in by EOD warriors and families.

Please add your contribution to the vault by sending in a memorial item, letter, photo, or other item that you would like included. Item sizes should not exceed 4” x 4” x 4”.

Some ideas include: Photos, letters, cards, coins, shirts, etc. All items in sealed envelopes will not be opened, but must be properly labeled as follows:

EOD Warrior Foundation
Attn: Vault
716 Crestview Ave
Niceville, FL 32578

All items need to be received by December 3rd, 2021. Thank you all for sharing your memories and keeping the promise of "We Remember."

For questions please email: info@eodwarriorfoundation.org or call 850-729-2336.

Congratulations to Brad Snyder on becoming the first American man to win an individual triathlon event in either the Olympics or the Paralympics when he clinched Paratriathlon Gold in the Paratriathlon Visually Impaired (PTVI) category in Tokyo on Saturday August 28th, crossing the line with guide Greg Billington in a time of 1:01:16.

Brad began his professional career as an Ensign in the US Navy, having graduated from the US Naval Academy with a degree in Naval Architecture. Through his distinction as the swim team captain during his final year, he earned an assignment as an EOD Officer.

While in Afghanistan, he sustained complete vision loss as a result of the explosion from an IED, in support of Operation Enduring Freedom. As a part of his rehabilitation process he returned to the pool, and after a few months of training, earned a spot on the US Paralympic National Team for swimming.

His first Paralympics medals were earned in 2012, one year after his injury.

For a list of upcoming events and to stay connected, follow us on social media or visit us online at www.eodwarriorfoundation.org
This summer, thanks to a generous gift from Crescent City Charities and hundreds of EOD community volunteers, we were able to place EOD flags on the graves of almost 700 EOD Techs buried around the country. In addition, another 142 flags were placed along the walkways leading to the EOD Memorial to honor those who are missing in action, buried at sea, or in foreign cemeteries.

This was the inaugural year of the program and we have been thrilled with the results. Based on the feedback, photos, and stories from volunteers, this has also touched many in the community. The EOD Flag Program will create a yearly memorial to honor and remember all deceased EOD Techs, regardless of years of service, branch, or cause of death. The 2022 Program will begin in Spring 2022 and more information will be available at that time.

We are so grateful to all the amazing volunteers for your pictures, stories, and donation of time to support this program and, of course, the amazing Mike Vining and his upkeep of the EOD Virtual Cemetery on the Find a Grave website. This Virtual Cemetery served as the backbone to the entire program.

From townships in the Upper Peninsula of Michigan to villages in New Mexico and big and small towns across all 50 states, the entire community created a wonderful program that will continue to grow every year. Thank you for joining