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Dear Fellow Derryfield Members:

I enter my second full year at Derryfield, after enjoying myself immensely last season. I am asking for support from you, again, for the McDonough Foundation.

I have served on the Board of Directors beginning in the late 1990s. Many of you are familiar with the Foundation. A number of our scholars have worked at Derryfield for many years. In fact, there is a scholarship specifically dedicated to students who worked at Derryfield. **The Walter T. Philippy Scholarship** is scholarship is endowed in Mr. Philippy's memory by Matilda Philippy and her family. The scholarship is awarded annually to a deserving candidate employed at Derryfield Country Club or another Manchester golf course.

Last year, we awarded \$122,500.00 to our scholars. Most of the financial support comes from direct donations from clubs. We have attempted to establish a mechanism for a voluntary donation when annual dues are paid.

Every dollar we received is critical in carrying out our mission. I am hoping each of you would consider making a minimum \$10.00 donation to McDonough when paying your annual dues. I hope to have that listed as an option on your application/renewal form.

If anyone has any questions, please do not hesitate in tracking me down or calling me. I sincerely hope you will help our scholars.

Very truly yours,

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