

Major Beal High School Class of 1955



Robert M. Defino
1936 - 2007

Robert M. Defino Class of 1955 Memorial Scholarship

Robert M. Defino was President of the Class of 1955. At our 50th reunion, in 2005, Bob suggested that in appreciation for the education and leadership received at the former Major Beal High School, the class should provide a scholarship to a deserving Shrewsbury High Graduate who has overcome some hardship or difficulty in his or her life, and has been accepted at a 2 or 4 year college.

The Class of 1955 Memorial Scholarship was established in 2005. Bob passed away in 2007 and the class decided to rename the scholarship the Robert M. Defino Class of 1955 Memorial Scholarship.

We take great pleasure in awarding this scholarship to a graduating senior who has overcome personal hardship, shown improvement in academics, and has been involved in extra-curricular activities at Shrewsbury High School and in the broader community.

Awarded To:

Corey Costanzo



Having maintained a 4.033 GPA while participating in a myriad of extra curricula activities, you have also become a leader as Captain of the Varsity Softball and Junior Olympic Softball Teams.

You were selected to the National Honor Society at Shrewsbury High School and successfully completed three advanced placement courses.

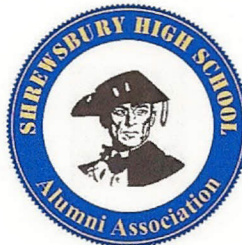
You have proven to overcome adversity with hard work and a commitment to help your family when faced with financial obstacles.

Your next journey as a pre-med student, at one of the several colleges that have accepted you, will be filled with mountains of challenges that we know will not be too high for you to climb.

It is with great pride that the Shrewsbury High School Alumni Association honor you, **Corey Costanzo** as the 2009 recipient of the Robert M. Defino Class of 1955 Memorial Scholarship.

Gail Biseceglia

Gail (Anish) Biseceglia
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