



# SUPPORT THE SUTPHIN SCHOLARSHIP FUND

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**Montgomery County, Virginia** – Help support the Eric E. Sutphin Scholarship Fund by attending two community events in June!

Corporal Eric Sutphin's watch ended on Aug. 21, 2006. He was a member of the Montgomery County Sheriff's Office, a military veteran and veteran peace officer. Sutphin was dedicated to his family, community and country. To ensure Sutphin's continued involvement in the community he so loved, the Sheriff's office has created a 503 (c) tax deductible charity overseen by the Community Foundation of the New River Valley. Through community events, funds are raised to support this charity that awards a scholarship each year to children of law enforcement in the New River Valley.



Join the Sheriff's office and Sutphin's family and friends on Saturday, June 4 at Texas Roadhouse in Christiansburg for the annual Eric Sutphin Memorial Poker Run. All bikes are welcome! The ride starts and ends at Texas Roadhouse beside Wal-Mart in Christiansburg. The large ride begins at 10 a.m. and smaller groups can leave at their leisure starting at 9 a.m. You may pre-register for the event online at [www.EricSutphinMemorialEvents.com](http://www.EricSutphinMemorialEvents.com); on-site registration on the day of the event begins at 9 a.m.

The cost of the ride is \$15 solo or \$20 with a passenger. This memorial event is sponsored by the Montgomery County Sheriff's Office, Texas Roadhouse and Kroger.

Don't want to ride and still want to support the fund? Come on out to the event venue to participate in a bake sale, 50/50 raffle, silent auction and T-shirt sale! If you cannot make it to the event and would still like to support the cause, you may preorder a T-shirt at the website above. They are \$10 each.

There will be another chance to support the scholarship fund and Sutphin's memory at the Inaugural Eric Sutphin Cruise-In at Christiansburg High School on Saturday, June 11, 1 to 5 p.m. Bring your vehicle – old or new – to show off! There is a \$10 registration fee that will benefit the Eric Sutphin Scholarship Fund. This event is sponsored by the Montgomery County Sheriff's Office, Cambria Auto Repair, Auto Zone and Montgomery County Public Schools. To register, call 818-7610. Registration will also be available on the day of the event. Come on out for great company, great cars and a great cause!

All proceeds from each event go to the Eric E. Sutphin Scholarship Fund. Visit [www.EricSutphinMemorialEvents.com](http://www.EricSutphinMemorialEvents.com) for more information and 'like' Eric Sutphin Memorial Scholarship Fund Events on Facebook to keep up-to-date on the events!

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