

## Catherine Abbitt/Jefferson School Memorial Scholarship

Cathy Abbitt was a third grade teacher at Jefferson Elementary School. She was mother to two sons, Nathan and Matthew, and daughter, Amy. After Catherine's battle with cancer ended, her friends and family made gifts in her memory to establish this fund to help Jefferson Elementary School alumni pursue their college dreams.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduating senior of Warsaw Community High School
- Attended Jefferson Elementary School
- Demonstrates financial need

#### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

 Outstanding record of achievement as demonstrated by academic performance and involvement in extracurricular activities and community service

### Preference may be given to:

- Those studying elementary education
- Those who have had cancer affect their immediate family\*

## Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

## The Bob and Kay Ahrns Scholarship Fund

Established by Kay Ahrns to provide scholarships to graduates of Wawasee High School or Fairfield Junior-Senior High School.

#### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduate of Wawasee High School or Fairfield Jr/Sr High School
- Upper 1/3 of graduating class
- Demonstrates financial need
- Pursuing certificate/license, associate or bachelor degree

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

Demonstrated work ethic

## Preference may be given to:

• Past recipients must maintain a "B" average

#### Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

<sup>\*</sup>Applicants must answer an additional essay question about how cancer has affected their family.



## American Teen Scholarship

This fund was created with gifts from Paramount Vantage and Warsaw Community High School in celebration of the movie American Teen, which debuted in theaters in 2008 and featured the lives of Warsaw Community High School students during their senior year.

### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduate of Warsaw Community High School
- Field of Study: Performing Arts
- Demonstrates financial need

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

· Participation in performing arts activities

### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

## Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

## Cecil Armstrong Educational Endowment

Mr. Armstrong initiated this scholarship to assist those who were in financial need and had a desire to attend vocational or skilled trades education. Second preference goes to other applicants on the basis of need and personal situation.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Citizen or legal resident of the United States
- Resident of Kosciusko County for at least one year <u>OR</u> graduate of a high school serving Kosciusko County
- Demonstrates financial need

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

· Likelihood to succeed in improving skills

#### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

## Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing



# The Beattie Scholarship Endowment

This fund was established by Sue Ann Beattie to provide financially needy students with scholarship assistance to attend a college, university or trade school.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident at the time of high school graduation
- Demonstrates financial need

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

Sincerity and ability to pursue chosen course of study

## Preference may be given to:

- Those with a "C" average
- Those pursuing vocational/technical training
- Residents of Warsaw, Indiana
- Past recipients

#### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- · Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

## Fred and Nedra Beebe Scholarship Endowment

This fund was established by Nedra F. Beebe. Nedra and Fred Beebe believed that education was extremely important in today's society and they desired to increase the educational opportunities to deserving students, who are residents of the Beebe's community.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Resident of Washington or Monroe Township in Kosciusko County
- High school graduate (excludes GED)
- Demonstrates financial need

#### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

- Desire of the student for education beyond the high school level
- · Mental attitude, citizenship, and character of the student

## Preference may be given to:

- Those that have maintained active church membership
- Those that desire to pursue a career in nursing and/or physical therapy
- Those that may not necessarily have the highest scholastic standing

#### Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing



## The Max and Kathryn Beigh Educational Endowment Fund

This fund was created through a trust established by Max and Kathryn Beigh as part of their estate planning. Max grew up in Claypool. He and Kathryn moved to Anderson, Indiana after graduating from Manchester College and getting married. They both spent many years teaching. The scholarship will help members of the Claypool United Methodist Church attain an education beyond high school.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Members of Claypool United Methodist Church
  - Church "membership" is defined and verified by church trustees

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

## Preference may be given to:

No preferences

## Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

# The Helen and Carl Berkey Educational Endowment

Helen and Carl Berkey were a sister and brother who lived in Kosciusko County. Helen was a teacher and Carl was a farmer. This fund provides scholarships to worthy high school graduates who need financial assistance to obtain higher education.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident at the time of high school graduation
- Graduate of a high school serving Kosciusko County
- Demonstrates financial need

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

#### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

### Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing



## The Everett and Fern Besson Memorial Scholarship Fund

This fund was established by Thomas A. and Janet S. Tucker and Judy E. Bowerman in memory of their parents, Everett and Fern Besson. This scholarship provides financial assistance to deserving students who are pursuing post-secondary education in an area related to agriculture.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident
- Graduate of a high school or homeschool program serving Kosciusko County residents (excludes GED)
- Field of Study: Agriculture or Veterinary/Animal Science
- GPA: 3.7 or higher on a 4-point scale (or its equivalent)
- Active church membership
- Participation in a community or youth-oriented service program such as 4-H, FFA, or scouting

### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

Demonstrated work ethic and positive attitude

## Preference may be given to:

No preferences

## Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- · Pastor/Church Youth Leader
- Peer
- Service Group Leader

## Ben Bibler Body for LIFE Memorial Scholarship Fund

This fund was created in memory of Ben Bibler through gifts from Experimental Applied Sciences (EAS), Inc., the Kosciusko County Community Foundation and Ben's friends and family. Ben won the EAS Most Inspirational Award from Body for LIFE after his death. The scholarship is awarded to a Kosciusko County resident who has overcome obstacles and is pursuing higher education.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident
- High school graduate or GED recipient
- · Currently employed

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

- Demonstrates good work ethic and good character
- Participation in community service through church, service organization or youth group activities for at least two hours per week
- Willingness to contribute to education through employment

### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

#### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Current or previous employer
- · Pastor/Church Youth Leader or Service Group Leader

Applicants must provide a handwritten essay addressing how they have overcome a personal obstacle.



## Scott "Bibs" Bibler Memorial Scholarship Fund

This fund was established by Stephanie Bibler in memory of her beloved husband, Scott Bibler, who was a long-time educator and coach with Tippecanoe Valley High School. Scott had a servant's heart and loved athletics. This fund awards scholarships to high school athletes who have strong character and servants' hearts and who are pursuing a degree in the field of education.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduate of a high school located in Kosciusko County (excluding homeschool)
- GPA: "C" average or above

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

- Strong character with servant's heart
- Participation in extracurricular activities

## Preference may be given to:

- Those pursuing the field of education
- Those who participated in high school athletics
- Preference will be given in the following order:
  - 1. Graduating seniors from Tippecanoe Valley High School
  - 2. Graduating seniors from another high school in Kosciusko County
  - 3. Graduates of a high school in Kosciusko County

### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Coach or Pastor/Church Youth Leader

Applicants must provide an additional essay response.

# Big Brothers Big Sisters Scholarship Fund

Established by Bill and Vicki Morton to provide educational scholarships for Kosciusko County students who were "littles" in a Big Brother or Big Sister match for at least one year, or be a student from Kosciusko County who was in a Lunch Buddies program operated by Big Brothers Big Sisters in a Kosciusko County school for at least one school year.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

Participant in a Big Brothers Big Sisters program for at least one year

### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

Impact of the Big Brothers Big Sisters involvement on school and personal life\*

#### Preference may be given to:

- Kosciusko County residents
- Those who demonstrate financial need

#### Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing
- Big Brother or Big Sister (optional)

<sup>\*</sup>Applicants are asked to provide a brief description of the impact the Big Brothers Big Sisters program has had on their school and personal life.



## Lisa Anne (Boggs) Fawley Memorial Scholarship Fund

Established by the parents of Lisa Anne (Boggs) Fawley, Robert and Marita Boggs, to award scholarships to graduates of Tippecanoe Valley High School (TVHS). Lisa was a 1975 graduate of TVHS, Grace College and Manchester University. She taught physical education in the Manchester and Tippecanoe Valley school systems. Lisa never allowed her physical challenges to stop her from achieving her goals. She served as an inspiration to many that nearly any obstacle could be overcome.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduating senior of Tippecanoe Valley High School
- GPA: "C" average or above
- Acceptance into a two or four year college or vocational training program
- Demonstrates financial need

### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

Participation in extracurricular activities or community service or part-time employment

### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

## Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

# Darrell Boling Memorial Scholarship Fund

Created by Darrell's family and friends in his memory. Darrell was a longtime teacher in the Warsaw School Corporation, a member of the American Legion, Warsaw Kiwanis and Retired Teacher's Association.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduate of a high school located in Kosciusko County
- Accepted to a college or university in Indiana
- Pursuing certificate/license, associate or bachelor degree

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

Involvement outside of the classroom with preference given to well-rounded individuals

#### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

## Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Coach, teacher, advisor or adult leader for extracurricular activities



# Bott Science Scholarship Fund

Mike Bott dedicated 35 years to teaching and coaching in the Warsaw School system. When he died unexpectedly in 2003, Mike's family wished to continue his teaching legacy by establishing the Bott Science Scholarship to assist WCHS students who are pursuing a post-secondary education in the field of science.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident
- Graduate of Warsaw Community High School
- Field of Study: Science
- Demonstrates financial need

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

## Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

# The Priscilla and George Bowser Educational Endowment

George and Priscilla Bowser lived in Warsaw. George graduated from Indiana University and Harvard Law School. Priscilla graduated from Purdue and was a teacher. This fund awards scholarships to high school graduates in need of financial assistance to pursue degrees as teachers or in the study of law through Harvard University, Indiana University or Purdue University.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident at the time of high school graduation
- Graduate of a high school serving Kosciusko County
- Attending Harvard University, Indiana University or Purdue University
- · Field of Study: Education or Law
- Demonstrates financial need

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

#### Preference may be given to:

Past recipients

## Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing



# Edward and Huldah Brandenburg Scholarship Endowment

The Brandenburg Scholarship Trust was established in 2006 by Ed and Huldah Brandenburg to provide financial assistance to students pursuing higher education. The Brandenburgs created a strong bond with the Kosciusko County Multi-Township EMS and throughout their lives donated funds in support of the organization. Preference is given to students pursuing higher education in the medical field.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- · Citizen or legal resident of the United States
- Kosciusko County resident at the time of high school graduation
- Demonstrates financial need

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

- Scholastic record
- Record of experience, accomplishments and goals

### Preference may be given to:

• Those pursuing studies and careers in the medical field

#### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

# Breakfast Optimist Club of Warsaw, IN Scholarship Fund

This fund was established by the Warsaw Breakfast Optimists to fulfill their mission "Friend to Youth."

### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduate of Warsaw Community High School or Lakeland Christian Academy
- Pursuing full-time course of study
- Demonstrates financial need

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

- · Ability to satisfactorily complete chosen course of study as demonstrated by academic record
- Not a dependent of an Optimist Club member

#### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

#### Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing



# Robert E. and Susan R. Brennan Scholarship Fund

This fund is in memory of Robert and Sue Brennan. Robert owned a pharmacy in Warsaw and Sue was a retired teacher who was active in her church and the American Association of University Women. Awards are presented to area students pursuing careers in music or pharmacy.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduate of a high school serving Kosciusko County
- Field of Study: Music or Pharmacy

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

- Maintenance of high academic standards
- Participation in school and/or community activities

### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

## Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

# Payton David Brettell Memorial Scholarship Fund

This fund was established by David and Nova Brettell in memory of their son, Payton. Payton David Brettell was 18-months-old when he passed away. This fund will provide scholarships for students who are Kosciusko County residents, graduates of Warsaw or Wawasee High Schools and entering into a medical degree program with the intent to provide pediatric medical care.

#### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident
- Graduating senior of Warsaw Community High School or Wawasee High School
- Field of Study: Health

#### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

Plans to use degree for the care and treatment of children

## Preference may be given to:

No preferences

#### Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing



# Camelot Scholarship Fund

This fund was created by the Shoop Sports and Youth Foundation in memory of their founder, J. Homer Shoop, to provide scholarships to graduates from Wawasee, Whitko or Warsaw High Schools. Mr. Shoop was a prominent banker in North Webster and was the founder of the International Palace of Sports, which promoted sports and tourism in the North Webster community from 1974-1989.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduate of Wawasee High School, Whitko High School or Warsaw Community high School
- GPA: 2.9 or higher on a 4-point scale (or its equivalent)
- Demonstrates financial need

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

- Demonstrated work ethic
- Participation in community service through church, service or youth group

### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

#### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

Awards will be equally distributed amongst the three school corporations.

# David L. Carey Memorial Scholarship Fund

Dave Carey was a well-respected business owner and friend of the community. He operated Carey Excavating in North Webster for 40 years and Carey Realty in Warsaw for 20 years. Among his many community service activities, Dave was a 14-year board member of Wawasee Community Schools. Dave's father taught him the masonry trade and he felt learning a trade was important for young people. This fund assists Wawasee High School seniors.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduating senior of Wawasee High School
- Pursuing vocational/technical training

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

• Involvement in sports or extracurricular activities or employment history

#### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

## Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Coach or Employer
- Teacher in the Field Being Pursued



## Carlson Family Educational Fund

Neal M. Carlson and Joy M. Carlson established this scholarship fund to provide financial assistance to students who are in their junior or senior year of college, seeking degrees in elementary education or special education. Recipients must either be Kosciusko County residents attending any university or college in Indiana OR attending Grace College. The Carlsons established this fund in honor of their family members making careers in education of children and youth.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Citizen or legal resident of the United States
- Kosciusko County resident who graduated from a high school serving Kosciusko County and attending any school in Indiana OR current Grace College student
- Field of Study: Elementary Education or Special Education
- Entering Junior or Senior year of college
- Demonstrates financial need

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

- Academic success determined by a passing GPA
- Demonstrated work ethic
- Participation in community service demonstrated by active involvement in church, civic, nonprofit service or student organization groups

## Preference may be given to:

No preferences

## Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

# Claypool Knights Legacy Scholarship

The Parent Teacher Council of Claypool Elementary School established this scholarship to provide assistance to students who reside in Clay Township in Kosciusko County and who have graduated from Warsaw Community High School.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Citizen or legal resident of the United States
- Attended Claypool Elementary School
- Graduate of Warsaw Community High School
- GPA: 2.9 or higher on a 4-point scale (or its equivalent)
- Demonstrates financial need

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

Participation in athletics, extracurricular and/or community service

#### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

#### Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing



## Deborah M. Cooley Memorial Scholarship

Patricia and George Lenke established this fund in memory of Patricia's mother, Deborah Cooley. Scholarships help students pursuing nursing, physical therapy, radiology, medical technology or pharmacy degrees.

### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident
- Field of Study: Health
  - 1. Pursuing nursing, physical therapy, radiology, medical technology, or pharmacy
- Demonstrates financial need

### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

• No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

### Preference may be given to:

Past recipients

### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

# Donny R. Craw Memorial Scholarship Fund

This fund was established by Alice Lykins in memory of her nephew, Don Craw. Don taught Spanish in the Tippecanoe Valley school system. Scholarship awards benefit students from Tippecanoe Valley.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- GPA: "B" average
- Demonstrates financial need

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

#### Preference may be given to:

- Graduates of Tippecanoe Valley High School
- Those who have studied the Spanish language during high school

#### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

Past recipients are not eligible to apply.



# Henry and Martha Daniel Memorial Scholarship Fund

Established by Dale and Patty Pace, in honor of Patty's parents Henry and Martha Daniel, to provide scholarship support to graduates of Tippecanoe Valley High School.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduate of Tippecanoe Valley High School
- Field of Study: Agriculture or Veterinary/Animal Science
- Demonstrates financial need

### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

• Participation in 4-H, FFA, or other agriculture or veterinary science clubs

## Preference may be given to:

No preferences

### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

## DePuy Memorial Scholarship Fund

Initial gifts to this scholarship fund were given by DePuy employees and friends in memory of longtime DePuy employee, Trudy Bradford. Income from this fund helps the children or step-children of DePuy employees reach their educational dreams.

#### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduate of an accredited high school serving Indiana residents
- GPA: 2.9 or higher on a 4-point scale (or its equivalent)
- Child (step included) of a DePuy Employee\*

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

- Demonstrated work ethic
- Participation in community service through church, service or youth group

#### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

#### Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

<sup>\*</sup>Applicants will be asked to provide the name of the DePuy employee for verification.



# The Megan Easterday – Harrison Elementary Scholarship

This fund was established by Larry and Anne Easterday in memory of their daughter, Megan. Many community members helped fund the endowment, which provides scholarships to qualified graduating seniors who attended Harrison Elementary School.

### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduate of Warsaw Community High School
- Attended Harrison Elementary School
- GPA: 2.9 or higher on a 4-point scale (or its equivalent)
- Demonstrates financial need

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

- Demonstrated work ethic
- Participation in community service through church, service or youth group

### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

## Ronald C. and Doris A. Everson Scholarship Fund

Established by Doris Everson, in memory of her husband Ron Everson, to provide scholarships for students pursuing a degree in Business or Education.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduates of a high school located in Kosciusko County (homeschool excluded)
- Field of Study: Business or Education

#### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

- Involvement in extracurricular activities and community service
- Employment history

## Preference may be given to:

- 1. Graduating seniors or Warsaw Community High School
- 2. Graduating seniors from a high school in Kosciusko County
- 3. Graduates of a high school in Kosciusko County

#### Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing



## William E. Farrar Memorial Scholarship Fund

This scholarship fund was created by family and friends of William Farrar in his memory. Mr. Farrar served as a principal in the Warsaw school system. His love of learning will live on through this fund in his name.

### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduate of a high school serving Kosciusko County
- Attended Madison Elementary School for at least 3 years

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

- Ability to overcome personal or family challenges\*
- Academic performance indicative of success (high academic performance is not a criterion for selection)

## Preference may be given to:

Those pursuing the field of education

### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

# Robert and Julia Ferguson Memorial Scholarship Fund

Established with gifts from friends and family of Robert and Julia Ferguson to provide scholarship assistance to students seeking degrees related to agriculture or education.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident
- Field of Study: Agriculture or Education
- Demonstrates financial need

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

- Good to average academic standing
- Demonstrated good work ethic
- Participation in extracurricular or sports activities

#### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

#### Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

<sup>\*</sup>Applicants must answer an additional essay question.



## Ralph and Lucetta Frantz Scholarship Fund

Ralph and Lucetta Frantz were a brother and sister who grew up on a farm south of Warsaw. They were both very community minded, serving as volunteers with the American Red Cross, Kosciusko County Historical Society and the Lakeland Community Concert Association. Lucetta taught Sunday School at the Walnut Creek United Methodist Church for 68 years. This fund provides scholarship assistance to Kosciusko County students pursuing higher education.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident
- Demonstrates financial need

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

• No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

#### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- · Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

# Dorothy Frauhiger Memorial Art Scholarship

This fund was established by Donna Keough, in memory of her mother, Dorothy Frauhiger, to award an annual scholarship to a Warsaw Community High School graduate who is majoring in art or art education. Dorothy was a talented artist.

### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduate of Warsaw Community High School
- Field of Study: Art/Design

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

#### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

#### Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing



## Lance Corporal David Fribley Memorial Scholarship Fund

This fund was established by many donors in honor of David Fribley, who died serving his country in Iraq on March 23, 2003. The fund provides scholarships to county students who are pursuing education beyond high school.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident
- · Pursuing certificate/license, associate or bachelor degree
- Demonstrates financial need

### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

- Demonstrated work ethic
- Demonstrated community service and making a difference in the lives of others

### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

## The Edward B. and Mary Edith Funk Educational Endowment

Edward and Mary Edith Funk were lifelong residents of Warsaw. Although they had no children of their own, they believed in the importance of supporting youth. This scholarship fund was established at their deaths to provide assistance to students wishing to further their education.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident
- Demonstrates financial need

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

#### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

## Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing



## The Gasaway Education Fund

This fund was created by Anabelle Gasaway in tribute to her husband Dr. Gasaway, a dentist in Warsaw. Anabelle was a PE teacher and an active volunteer for the Girl Scouts and the hospital. The Gasaways attended the First Presbyterian Church in Warsaw. This fund aids area students in obtaining a higher education.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident
- Graduate of a high school located in or serving Kosciusko County
- Demonstrates financial need

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

## Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

# Merl M. and Jean M. Gibson Scholarship Fund

This fund was established by Jean M. and Merl M. Gibson, from Mentone, for the purpose of providing post-secondary, undergraduate scholarship assistance to students who are residents of Kosciusko County. Jean was involved with several charities, and Merl was a World War II veteran who farmed and enjoyed aviation.

### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Citizen or legal resident of the United States
- Kosciusko County resident
- Pursuing certificate/license, associate or bachelor degree
- · Demonstrates financial need

#### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

## Preference may be given to:

Kosciusko County residents at the time of high school graduation

#### Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing



## Gill Family Charitable Endowment General Scholarship

Calvin R. (Mike) Gill and Sue E. Gill established this fund to help Kosciusko County students pursue a college education. Mike and Sue operated Mike Gill Auto Parts for many years. They attended St. Anne's Episcopal Church and they believed in the importance of an education.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident for at least one year
- GPA between 2.0 and 3.0 on a 4-point scale (or its equivalent)
- · Pursuing bachelor, master or doctorate degree
- Demonstrates financial need

### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

## Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

# Gill Family Charitable Endowment Veterinary Scholarship

Calvin R. (Mike) Gill and Sue E. Gill established this fund to help Kosciusko County students pursue a college education. Mike and Sue operated Mike Gill Auto Parts for many years. They attended St. Anne's Episcopal Church and they believed in the importance of an education.

#### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident for at least one year
- Field of Study: Veterinary/Animal Science
- Demonstrates financial need

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

## Preference may be given to:

No preferences

#### Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing



## Gill Family Charitable Endowment Vocational Scholarship

Calvin R. (Mike) Gill and Sue E. Gill established this fund to help Kosciusko County students pursue a college education. Mike and Sue operated Mike Gill Auto Parts for many years. They attended St. Anne's Episcopal Church and they believed in the importance of an education.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident for at least one year
- Pursuing vocational/technical training
- Pursuing a certificate/license or associate degree
- Demonstrates financial need

### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

## Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

## The Robert T. and Emma Gilliam Memorial Fund Endowment

Florence Gilliam Clark created this scholarship fund in tribute to her parents, Robert and Emma Gilliam, to aid area students in obtaining higher education. Robert owned a lumber business in Leesburg and was active in civic affairs and the Masonic Lodge. Emma was a homemaker, a member of the Eastern Star Lodge, and a parishioner of Leesburg Methodist Church.

#### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduate of Warsaw Community High School
- · Attending institution located in Indiana
- Demonstrates financial need

#### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

- Scholastic record indicative of success
- Mental attitude
- Genuine desire for education beyond the high school level

## Preference may be given to:

No preferences

### Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing



## Chauncey L. Griffith Educational Fund

This fund was established by Helen Griffith through her will in memory of her father, Chauncey, to provide scholarships to area students. Helen was born in 1905. She graduated college with a degree in Civil Engineering and was employed by the U.S. government as an architect for the Panama Canal Zone. She retired to North Webster. Helen established this fund to honor her father and the values she learned from him - including the importance of a college education.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident
- Graduated from high school located in Kosciusko County
- GPA: 3.7 or higher on a 4-point scale (or its equivalent)
- Demonstrates financial need
- Under 25 years old

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

• No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

## Preference may be given to:

No preferences

### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

## Steve Grossnickle Memorial Scholarship Fund

Established by Lori Grossnickle and members of the Grossnickle Family to honor Steve's memory and to provide medical scholarships to graduates of Warsaw Community High School.

#### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduate of Warsaw Community High School
- Field of Study: Health

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

- Academic record that is indicative of future academic success
- Demonstrated community involvement by participating in extracurricular activities

## Preference may be given to:

Past recipients

#### Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- · Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing



# Jeanette Harvuot Memorial Scholarship Fund

This fund was established by the family of Jeanette Harvuot after her passing in January of 2015. Mrs. Harvuot spent more than 50 years as a teacher, having taught most of those years in the Warsaw Community School system. This scholarship helps graduates of Warsaw Community High School who are pursuing a degree in education.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduate of Warsaw Community High School
- Field of Study: Education
- Demonstrates financial need

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

• Demonstrated ability to be academically successful

### Preference may be given to:

Past recipients

## Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

# Paul, Gloria and Judy Heiman Scholarship Endowment

Created by Judy Heiman as part of her estate planning to provide scholarships to graduates of Warsaw Community High School with preference given to students who participate in community service and extracurricular activities. Judy learned values like personal responsibility, sound financial planning and a love of her home community from her parents, Paul and Gloria Heiman. They instilled in her a desire to give back to Kosciusko County and support the next generation.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduate of Warsaw Community High School
- Attending school in Indiana or a trade school in any state
- Demonstrates financial need

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

#### Preference may be given to:

Those who participate in community service or extracurricular activities

## Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing
- An adult who can speak to the applicant's volunteer activities



## Roy Hine Performing Arts Foundation Fund

This fund was created by the Roy Hine Performing Arts Foundation, Inc. in memory of Roy Hine, who served as the artistic director at the Wagon Wheel theatre in Warsaw, Indiana from 1995 until his death on November 21, 2007. The Fund provides scholarships for students from Indiana, with preference given to residents of Kosciusko and Wabash Counties, who are pursuing a course of study in the performing arts.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Indiana residents
- Field of Study: Performing Arts
  - 1. Examples include but are not limited to vocal, music, radio or television broadcasting, theatre, acting, directing, screen writing, film editing, costume, lighting and cinematography

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

## Preference may be given to:

Residents of Kosciusko County or Wabash County

#### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

# Phillip D. Hochstetler Scholarship Fund

This scholarship was established by the Kosciusko County Sheriff's Department to honor Phillip Hochstetler, a detective killed in the line of duty. Scholarships from this fund are awarded to Kosciusko County graduating seniors planning to attend college to study criminal justice.

#### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident
- Graduating high school senior
- Field of Study: Criminal Justice
- Demonstrates financial need

#### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

#### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

## Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing



## The Deborah Hohman Animal Care Scholarship Fund

This fund was established in memory of Deborah Hohman to provide scholarships to graduates of Warsaw or Tippecanoe Valley schools to pursue a career in small animal care, or to help with the equipment needs of those desiring to work in small animal care. Deborah was an elementary school teacher. She was fond of dogs and was active in dog obedience and agility clubs.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduate of Warsaw Community High School or Tippecanoe Valley High School
- Field of Study: Veterinary/Animal Science
- Demonstrates financial need

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

- Demonstrated work ethic
- Ability to pursue chosen course of study
- Plans to pursue a career associated with small animals

## Preference may be given to:

No preferences

### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- · Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

## Brady Houck Scholarship Fund

This scholarship fund was established in memory of Brady Houck by many friends and family members. Brady was a senior at Warsaw Community High School when he died tragically in a car accident just before graduation in 2007. Brady was a football player, enjoyed racing go-karts and had jobs at both Biomet and Bogg's Automotive. Preference is given to applicants who are pursuing vocational or technical training.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Citizen or legal resident of the United States
- Kosciusko County resident
- Graduate of Warsaw Community High School
- Demonstrates financial need

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

- Demonstrated work ethic
- Participation in athletic team activity
- Work experience evidenced by employment at a summer or part-time job

### Preference may be given to:

- Past recipients
- Those pursuing vocational/technical training

#### Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing



# Indiana Vac-Form, Inc. Scholarship

This fund was established by Donald and Donna Robinson, owners of Indiana Vac-Form, Inc., to provide scholarships to Warsaw Community High School students who participated as senior members of the Warsaw Community High School Band or Color Guard.

### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduating senior of Warsaw Community High School or Homeschool program
- Participated in Warsaw Community High School Band or Color Guard during senior year of high school

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

- Demonstrated a positive work ethic
- Willingness to work toward a goal

### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Band or Color Guard Director
- Employer

## Stephen G. Jones Memorial Scholarship Fund

Established by friends and family of Stephen Jones to honor his memory and to provide scholarships to students majoring in Criminal Justice or Education.

### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident
- Field of Study: Criminal Justice or Education
- Demonstrates financial need
- Participated in a varsity sport during high school

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

GPA and test scores will not be considered

#### Preference may be given to:

- 1. Graduating seniors of Warsaw Community High School or Wawasee High School
- 2. Graduating seniors from a high school serving Kosciusko County
- 3. Graduates of a high school serving Kosciusko County residents

## Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Coach

Applicants must answer an additional essay question about the most influential person in their life.



# Teresa K. Jones Memorial Scholarship

This fund was established in memory of their beloved daughter, Teri, by the late Robert and Bettye Jones to award a scholarship to a female student graduating from Warsaw Community Schools. A committee of Teri Jones' former classmates recommends the annual recipient. Teri was a news broadcaster at the time of her passing.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Female
- Single or unmarried
- Citizen or legal resident of the United States
- Kosciusko County resident
- · Graduating senior of Warsaw Community High School

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

## Preference may be given to:

No preferences

#### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

# KCH Medical Staff Scholarship Fund

Established with a donation from the Kosciusko Community Hospital medical staff to provide scholarships to Kosciusko County students pursuing a two-year, four-year or graduate degree in a medical field of study related to direct patient care.

#### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County residents OR Graduating seniors of a high school in Kosciusko County
- Field of Study: Health
- GPA: "B" average or above

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

- Intention to pursue a medical field of study that involves direct patient care\*
- Demonstrated community engagement through volunteer activities, solid work history or extra-curricular activities

#### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

#### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

Applicants must provide an additional essay response explaining why they are interested in a career in the medical field.



## The Kay A. Kindig Memorial Scholarship

This fund was established in Kay Kindig's memory. Kay was a secretary for Tippecanoe Valley High School. After she passed away after battling cancer, then high school principal, Charlie Mills, and other friends and loved ones established this scholarship in her honor to provide scholarship assistance to needy and deserving graduates of Tippecanoe Valley High School.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduate of Tippecanoe Valley High School
- Field of Study: Business
- GPA: "C" average or above
- · Demonstrates financial need

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

# Dan Kinsey Memorial Scholarship

Friends and family of Dan Kinsey established this scholarship in his memory. Dan was a native of Warsaw. He taught English and was involved in many extracurricular activities at McCutcheon High School in West Lafayette, Indiana. This fund provided scholarships to graduates of Warsaw Community High School with preference given to those majoring in education.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduate of Warsaw Community High School
- Field of Study: Education
- GPA: "B" average or above
- Accepted into a four-year public or private institution of higher learning
- Demonstrates financial need

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

## Preference may be given to:

No preferences

## Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing



# Andy Kryder Memorial Scholarship Fund

Established by Eric Schaekel and Ben Christoffel in memory of their friend, Andy Kryder. Many friends of Andy's gave gifts to this fund in his honor. Andy was a graduate of Wawasee High School where he was an accomplished swimmer. Andy had a career in finance for many years before becoming a business teacher and swim coach at Wawasee High School. Andy was married to Colleen. They had three children: Cammy, Nate and Zack. This fund provides scholarships for students from Wawasee High School with priority given to graduating seniors who are on the varsity swim team, and second preference given to graduating seniors pursuing the study of business.

### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduate of Wawasee High School
- GPA: 3.0 or higher on 4-point scale (or its equivalent)

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

## Preference may be given to:

- 1. Graduating seniors participating on Wawasee High School's varsity swim team
- 2. Graduating seniors who are pursuing the study of business
- 3. Graduates of Wawasee High School

## Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

# Ruth Ladd Memorial Scholarship Fund

Ruth Ladd was born in 1897 in Warsaw. Her father was a local doctor and as a girl, Ruth would sometimes accompany her father, by horse and carriage, as he made house calls. Ruth served as the treasurer for the Kosciusko County Chapter of the Amerian Cancer Society for many years. She created this scholarship fund to help students who are pursuing medical careers.

#### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident
- · Field of Study: Nursing

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

#### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

#### Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing



# Glen "Jug" Leek Scholarship Fund

Created by an anonymous donor in memory of Glen "Jug" Leek to provide educational scholarships for students attending a vocational, mechanical, trade or technical studies program in high school or post high school.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident
- Pursuing vocational/technical training

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

## Preference may be given to:

Those pursuing education or training in Indiana

#### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- · Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

## Seth V. Lewis Advised Scholarship Fund

This fund was created by Mrs. Christiane Lewis in memory of her husband, Seth, to provide scholarship assistance to students interested in pursuing nursing or medical degrees.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- · Kosciusko County resident for at least one year
- Field of Study: Health
- Demonstrates financial need

#### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

#### Preference may be given to:

- Those pursuing a career in nursing
- Those pursuing licensure in the state of Indiana

## Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing



# David F. Lichtenauer Memorial Scholarship Fund

This fund was established by the Wawasee Property Owners' Association (WPOA) and the Lichtenauer family in memory of David Lichtenauer's years of contributions to the association as a director, president and editor of the WPOA newsletter. His visionary leadership and devotion to his beloved Lake Wawasee and the Syracuse Community resulted in the completion of many projects as well as the Syracuse/Wawasee Trail initiative. The fund provides college and university scholarships to graduates of Wawasee High School, based on community service and academic standing.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduating senior of Wawasee High School
- Top 10% of high school class

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

- · Strong academic achievement
- Involvement in community service

## Preference may be given to:

No preferences

## Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

## Martee Mitchell Lollar Memorial Scholarship Fund

This fund was created in memory of Martee Mitchell Lollar, who served as a Special Needs Job Coach at Warsaw Community High School. This fund provides scholarships to students who demonstrate care for people who have special needs or other life challenges.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Citizen or legal resident of the United States
- Graduate of Warsaw Community High School, Lakeland Christian Academy, a homeschool program in the Warsaw school district, <u>OR</u> a GED program and currently residing in Warsaw school district

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

 Demonstrated value of service through involvement in their church, community, nonprofit service, or student organizations

### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

#### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

Applicants must answer an additional essay question about how they demonstrated care for people who have special needs, have life challenges, or who are underserved in some way and how they demonstrated characteristics of the DARE program including a commitment to a drug and violence free lifestyle.



# Felipe A. and Azucena F. Lopez Memorial Scholarship Fund

This fund was established by Maria Oler and her brothers Felipe J. Lopez and Juan J. Lopez in memory of their parents, Felipe and Azucena Lopez. This fund will provide scholarship assistance to needy and deserving students who are pursuing a postsecondary education at an accredited college, university or technical school with preference given to students pursuing degrees in Spanish education, translation, medical studies or other human services.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident
- Citizen or legal resident of the United States
- Graduate of a high school serving Kosciusko County
- GPA: "B-" average or above
- Demonstrates financial need
- Completed at least 3 years of Spanish at the high school level or tested out of the equivalent

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

- Demonstrated work ethic
- Participation in service for community work demonstrated by active involvement in church, civic, nonprofit service or youth group organizations

### Preference may be given to:

Those pursuing degrees in Spanish education, translation, medical studies or other human services

## Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

Applicants must provide an additional essay response about overcoming challenges and how pursuing freedom through education will impact their future.

# James and Deborah Ann Lotz Memorial Scholarship Fund

Established by the estate of James and Deborah Ann Lotz. James and Deborah Ann noticed a need for skilled trade workers and chose to support students in trades programs, such as welding, plumbing, electrical, masonry, etc. The scholarship benefits traditional and non-traditional students from Kosciusko County who are pursuing vocational training from an accredited program.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident
- Pursuing vocational/technical training

#### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

## Preference may be given to:

No preferences

### Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing



## Madison PTO Scholarship

This scholarship is made possible by the Madison PTO, whose members raise money each year to fund a scholarship for a student who attended Madison Elementary School.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduate of Warsaw Community High School
- Attended Madison Elementary School for at least two years
- Demonstrates financial need

### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

- Academic achievement
- Community involvement
- Church involvement
- School activities

## Preference may be given to:

No preferences

### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

# LeRoy Markley Scholarship Fund

Established by LeRoy Markley to provide scholarships to students from Tippecanoe Valley and West Noble High Schools who are pursuing a medical career. Mr. Markley taught at West Noble for 30 years and resided in the Tippecanoe Valley School District.

### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduating senior from West Noble High School or Tippecanoe Valley High School
- · Field of Study: Health

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

Academic achievement

Eligible students are nominated by their high school guidance counselor and principal. This scholarship is renewable to recipients who maintain a B average for up to and including 8 years of advanced study.



# Dr. Harold Mason Memorial Scholarship Endowment

This fund was established by Margaret Mason in memory of her husband, Harold Mason, to fund scholarships for students who are graduating or have already graduated from Lakeland Christian Academy, to assist them in obtaining college degrees in a medical field or in foreign missionary service. Dr. and Mrs. Mason served as missionaries for many years in the Central African Republic. Dr. Mason also operated a medical practice in Warsaw.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduate of Lakeland Christian Academy
- Field of Study: Health or Foreign Missionary Service
- GPA: "B" average or above
- Demonstrates financial need

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

## Preference may be given to:

No preferences

#### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Pastor/Church Youth Leader

# McDonald Memorial Scholarship Fund

Dr. Angus C. McDonald came to Warsaw in 1892. He established the first hospital in Warsaw, and was one of the founders and the first president of Bakers' Boys Club. This scholarship helps traditional and non-traditional students from Kosciusko County achieve their educational dreams.

#### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident
- Demonstrates financial need

#### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

## Preference may be given to:

No preferences

#### Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing



## Selma McKrill Brown Educational Fund

Realizing the benefits of higher education and the cultivation of individual talents, Selma Brown generously created the Selma McKrill Brown Educational Trust. This scholarship benefits worthy students from Kosciusko County. Selma lived from 1898 to 1986. She was married to Dale Brown.

### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident at time of high school graduation
- Citizen or legal resident of the United States
- Demonstrates financial need
- Active church member

#### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

- Scholastic record
- Record of service in the armed forces (if any)
- Goals

## Preference may be given to:

No preferences

## Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

# The Paul K. and M. Magdalene Miller Scholarship Fund

This fund was established by the nephew of Paul and Magdalene Miller, in their memory. Paul and Magdalene were lifelong teachers, and Paul was a devoted Kiwanian. Members of the Warsaw Kiwanis Club provided early support of scholarships in Paul Miller's memory and they continue to serve as the selection committee for this scholarship, which provides assistance for those intending to become professional teachers or instructors.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident at time of high school graduation
- Field of Study: Education
- Demonstrates financial need

#### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

## Preference may be given to:

Students entering their Junior or Senior year of college

## Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing



# Ray and Jan Monteith Scholarship Fund

Created by Jan Monteith to provide scholarships to graduates from Kosciusko County high schools who are pursuing education leading to careers in social services, education or human services. Ray and Jan and their family moved to Warsaw in 1966 and opened Monteith Tire.

### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduate of a high school serving Kosciusko County
- Attending college in Indiana
- Field of Study: Education or Behavioral & Social Science
- Demonstrates financial need
- Pursuing undergraduate or master degree

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

- Pursuing a career in social services, education or human services (i.e. teachers, social workers, nonprofit leaders)
- Demonstrate ethical behavior
- Demonstrate an ability to succeed in post-secondary education

## Preference may be given to:

Students with a GPA above 3.0 on a 4-point scale (or its equivalent)

### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

## Winston "Win" and Carolyn Morrison Scholarship Fund

Win Morrison was born in West Virginia, but came to Indiana when he was very young. He served in the Army Air Corp in World War II, then attended Purdue University. He worked for a brief time at a steel mill before being employed by NIPSCO, where he stayed until he retired. Carolyn was a stay at home mom and was involved in her church, singing in the choir until she was 80-years-old. This fund was established in memory of Win and Carolyn in tribute to what they most valued: their faith, children and education.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduating senior of Warsaw Community High School
- Accepted into Ball State University, Grace College, Purdue University or Indiana University
- GPA: "B" average or above
- Active church member

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

- Demonstrated ability to achieve academic success
- Participation in extracurricular activities

#### Preference may be given to:

• Members of Warsaw Evangelical Presbyterian Church

#### Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Pastor/Church Youth Leader or Service Group Leader



## The Rob Morton Scholarship Fund

This fund was established in 2004 from the Estate of Marjorie Morton in memory of Marjorie's son, Rob Morton. Rob was a 16-year-old junior at Warsaw High School, and is believed to have suffered a massive brain hemorrhage after a head injury during football practice. Rob was a member of the Methodist Church, was an Eagle Scout and a member of the Explorer's Club.

### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident
- Graduate of a high school serving Kosciusko County
- GPA: 2.9 or higher on 4-point scale (or its equivalent)
- Demonstrates financial need

#### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

- Participation in community service through church, youth groups, or other civic organizations
- Demonstrated social skills through participation in extracurricular activities

## Preference may be given to:

No preferences

#### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

## Judy Mugg Scholarship Fund

Established by Judy Mugg, a retired educator who served in many capacities in education including as the Principal of Sacred Heart Elementary School. This fund will provide scholarships to area students.

#### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident
- Attending college in Indiana
- Entering Sophomore, Junior or Senior year of college
- Field of Study: Education

### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

• Ability to be successful in post-secondary education

#### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

#### Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing



## Murphy College Fund

This fund was created by Dr. Samuel Murphy to assist worthy and ambitious students in their need for higher education. Dr. Murphy practiced medicine in Claypool, moving his practice to Warsaw in 1914. He acquired a reputation as an outstanding physician and as a citizen concerned with civic welfare.

### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident
- Demonstrates financial need

### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

• No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

#### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

#### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

## Deborah J. Nelson Memorial Scholarship Fund

This scholarship fund was created in memory of Deborah Nelson by her husband, Jack Nelson. Deborah was a Kindergarten teacher at Syracuse Elementary School. She loved working with children, being with family and friends, and spending time at the lake. The scholarship benefits Wawasee High School seniors who will major in Education in college with preference given to students who have shown perseverance in the face of adversity.

#### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduating senior of Wawasee High School
- Field of Study: Education

#### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

Willingness to work toward a goal and show perseverance in the face of adversity

### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

#### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

Applicants must answer an additional essay question explaining how they have overcome an obstacle in their life to achieve a goal.



## Robert and Lenny Nichols Scholarship

During the lifetimes of Robert and Colleen Nichols, they funded scholarships through Madison School's Parent-Teacher Organization in memory of their son Lenny, who passed away in 1961 at the age of 12. Colleen made a bequest to continue this scholarship after her death.

### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduate of Warsaw Community High School
- Attended Madison Elementary School for at least two years
- Demonstrates financial need

### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

- Academic achievement
- Community involvement
- · Church involvement
- School activities

### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

#### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

## Elmer E. Ostrom Scholarship Endowment

Mr. Elmer Ostrom established this fund in memory of his grandfather, Eric Ostrom, an organist in the Lutheran Church in Liden, Sweden. The fund provides scholarships for students pursuing a course of study in music.

### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident
- Field of Study: Music
- · Demonstrates financial need

#### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

• No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

#### Preference may be given to:

- 1. Those studying to be an organist for the Lutheran Church
- 2. Those studying to be an organist for any church
- 3. Those studying to be an organist
- 4. Those pursuing a course of study in music

#### Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing



## Marcia and Homer Ousley, Jr. Fund

Established by Homer Ousley, Jr. to benefit students from the communities where he and Marcia worked and lived including Manchester Schools, Tippecanoe Valley Schools and Whitko Schools. Homer was a farm manager for Creighton Brothers for 40 years and operated his own corn and soybean farm. Marcia taught elementary school for nearly 30 years. Homer and his late wife valued education and believed that education is the best tool against poverty.

### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- · Citizen or legal resident of the United States
- Graduate of Manchester Jr/Sr High School, Tippecanoe Valley High School or Whitko Jr/Sr High School

#### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

Demonstrates good character

### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- · Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

# Dennis Overmeyer Memorial Scholarship

This fund was created by Keri Overmeyer-Glennie and Angela Markwalder in memory of their father, Dennis Overmeyer. It provides scholarship assistance to students who have graduated from Tippecanoe Valley Schools and are pursuing a postsecondary degree at a university or college. Dennis was a U.S. Marine veteran, a volunteer fire fighter and a volunteer board member for Four Way EMS in Mentone.

#### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduate of Tippecanoe Valley High School
- Top 50% of high school class
- Demonstrates financial need

#### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

- Demonstrated work ethic
- Participation in school sports for at least three years (not limited to all three years in the same sport)

## Preference may be given to:

High school seniors

### Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing



## Kenneth and Cecile Parks Memorial Scholarship for Nursing

This fund was created by Gerald and Sherry Smalley in memory of Sherry's parents, Kenneth and Cecile Parks. The fund provides scholarship assistance to students who have graduated from Tippecanoe Valley or Warsaw School Corporations and are seeking degrees in the field of nursing.

### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduate of Tippecanoe Valley High School or Warsaw Community High School
- Field of Study: Nursing
- GPA: 3.7 or higher on 4-point scale (or its equivalent)
- Demonstrates financial need

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

• Participation in community service through church, service, or youth group

#### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

#### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

## Bruce V. Petro and Janet H. Petro Education Endowment

This fund was established by Janet Petro and the late Bruce Petro, in honor of Bruce's parents, Dresdon and Dortha Hammer Petro. Bruce Petro owned a Buick dealership in Warsaw for many years. Dresdon and Dortha Petro had five sons. Dortha was a teacher. This scholarship assists students who intend to pursue teaching.

#### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident at the time of high school graduation <u>OR</u> Graduate of Monroe Central Jr/Sr High School in Randolph County
- Field of Study: Education
- Demonstrates financial need

#### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

## Preference may be given to:

- 1. Graduates of Monroe Central Jr/Sr High School pursuing a career in teaching at a school in Indiana
- 2. Kosciusko County residents at the time of high school graduation who are pursuing a career in teaching at a school in Indiana

#### Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing



## Pfeiffer-Rarick Scholarship Endowment

Established by Robert T. Pfeiffer and Isobel L. Pfeiffer in memory Isobel's parents, Frank and Ethel Rarick. Frank and Ethel lived in Warsaw where they raised two daughters. Robert and Isobel were both college educators. They enjoyed playing Bridge, traveling and collecting original artwork. They were members of Trinity United Methodist Church.

### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident for at least three years <u>OR</u> Graduate of a high school serving Kosciusko County
- Attending Manchester University
- Demonstrates financial need

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

• No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

#### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

#### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

## Larry and Shirley Polk Endowment Fund for Agriculture

This fund was established by local agricultural entrepreneurs, Larry and Shirley Polk, to provide scholarships to students who are pursuing post-secondary education in an agricultural field.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident
- Graduate of a high school or authorized program serving Kosciusko County residents
- Field of Study: Agriculture or Veterinary/Animal Science
- GPA: "C" average or above

#### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

- Demonstrated successful ability in classroom
- Demonstrated work ethic and positive attitude
- Participation in a community service, youth-leadership, or faith-based service such as 4-H, FFA or scouting

#### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

#### Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Pastor/Church Youth Leader or Service Group Leader
- Employer



## Sergeant Terry Polston Memorial Fund

This fund was created by many friends and family members of Terry Polston, a beloved Drug Abuse Resistance Education (DARE) officer, when he passed away in 2008 after a long battle with cancer. As a tribute to Terry, this scholarship benefits students who exemplify the characteristics taught in DARE.

#### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

• Graduate of Warsaw Community High School, Lakeland Christian Academy, or homeschool program

### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

 Demonstrated characteristics of the DARE program (living productive drug and violence-free life, resisting negative peer pressure

#### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

#### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

Applicants must answer an additional essay question about their participation in the DARE program. Financial need may be taken into consideration in the event of equally qualified candidates.

## Janet Marie Rager Memorial Scholarship Fund

This fund was established by Janet Marie Rager through a gift in her will. Janet was a senior at Whitko High School in 1979. She was fun, energetic and very bright. On her way to a college visit, she was severely injured in an auto accident. As a result of her head injuries, she lived with and was cared for by her parents, Jack and Mary Lou Rager for the last 22 years of her life. This fund provides scholarships for graduates of high schools located in Kosciusko and Whitley Counties.

### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduate of a high school in Kosciusko County or Whitley County
- Demonstrates financial need

#### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

#### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

## Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing



## Reach Higher Scholarship Fund

Established by Wil and Kristi Boren as an advised scholarship endowment benefitting Kosciusko County graduates who have overcome learning challenges. Preference is given to students who have an individualized Education Program (IEP).

### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident
- · Graduate of a high school serving Kosciusko County

#### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

Demonstrated ability to overcome learning challenges\*

### Preference may be given to:

- Students with an Individualized Education Program (IEP)
- Past recipients

## Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

## Margaret Reafsnyder Memorial Scholarship Fund

This fund was established by Margaret Reafsnyder in her will to provide scholarship assistance to graduates of Warsaw Community High School for the study of pharmacy, nursing, and/or medicine.

#### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduate of Warsaw Community High School
- Field of Study: Nursing, Pharmacy or Pre-Med
- GPA: "B" average or above

#### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

Promise and interest in chosen field of study

## Preference may be given to:

No preferences

#### Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Additional Teacher
- Practitioner in the field being pursued

<sup>\*</sup>Applicants must provide a brief statement about how they have managed to overcome learning difficulties in order to meet their educational goals.



## June Reed Nursing Scholarship Fund

This fund was established by the Kosciusko County Nurses Society in memory of Dr. June Reed to provide scholarships to students pursuing nursing. Dr. Reed has an enormous impact on nurses throughout the community and the Hoosier state. She served on the faculty of Indiana University School of Nursing. She pursued ways to improve nursing through legislation and was President-elect of the Indiana State Nurses Association.

### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident
- Field of Study: Nursing

#### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

• No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- · Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

## Dave and Diana Reinhart Tuition Scholarship Fund

Established by the Estate of Charles David Reinhart for educational scholarships. Specifically, this fund supports graduating high school seniors from Pierceton or Washington Township in Kosciusko County. The scholarship is for students pursuing a degree in education, or electrical, electronic or digital technology - career paths which reflect the interests of both Dave and Diana Reinhart. Dave Reinhart was a self-taught electronics technician and life-long innovator and entrepreneur. Diana held a master's degree in Elementary Education and taught at Pierceton Elementary School.

#### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- High school senior
- · Resident of Pierceton, Indiana or Washington Township in Kosciusko County
- Demonstrates financial need
- Field of Study: Education or Technology (Electrical, Electronic or Digital)

### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

## Preference may be given to:

No preferences

#### Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing



## The B. Franklin and Eleanore Ringle Educational Endowment

The Ringles believed that an advanced education was becoming more important to a successful career at the time they established this fund. The Ringles wanted to aid as many area students as possible in obtaining a college education. B. Franklin Ringle lived from 1887 to 1979. Eleanore Ringle lived from 1899 to 1989.

#### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident at the time of high school graduation
- Citizen or legal resident of the United States
- · Demonstrates financial need
- · Active member of any religious faith

#### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

#### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

#### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Pastor/Church Youth Leader

## Sacred Heart Scholarship Fund for Post-Secondary Education

This fund was established by Father Terry Fisher to assist an active member of Sacred Heart Parish, who is a graduate or a senior student of an area high school, in obtaining an undergraduate college or vocational degree.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Active members of Sacred Heart Catholic Church
- Pursuing certificate/license, associate or bachelor degree
- Demonstrates financial need

#### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

• Participation in sacramental life of the church and an active member of the church as evidence by attendance at Mass and the Religious Education Program

## Preference may be given to:

No preferences

#### Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing



## The Lyn Sasso Memorial Scholarship Fund

Friends and family established this fund in memory of Lyn Sasso, who passed away unexpectedly. Lyn was active in Tri Kappa and enjoyed tennis and bridge. Scholarship awards are given to deserving students from area high schools to achieve their educational dreams.

#### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduate of Warsaw Community High School
- Demonstrates financial need

### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

· Participation in athletics and/or organization providing community service

#### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

#### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

## Dr. Richard Sasso Memorial Veterinarian Scholarship Fund

Established by the family of Dr. Richard Sasso in his memory to provide scholarships to Kosciusko County students who are pursuing studies in veterinary/animal sciences. Dr. Sasso was born in Panama. He received his Doctorate of Veterinary Medicine from Michigan State University and opened Sasso Veterinary Hospital in Warsaw in 1966. He was a founding member of the Warsaw Rotary Club.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduate of a high school serving Kosciusko County
- Field of Study: Veterinary/Animal Science

#### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

- · Maintained an academic standing indicative of success
- Participation in sports, service clubs, church groups or other activities

#### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

#### Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing



## Jackie Rae Shilling Tucker Memorial Scholarship Fund

Established by Teresa Craig in memory of her aunt, Jackie Rae Shilling Tucker, to provide scholarships for graduates of Warsaw Community High School who participated in the high school choir, demonstrate financial need, maintain a C average or above, demonstrate community involvement or work a part-time job, and who are family oriented.

#### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduate of Warsaw Community High School
- GPA: "C" average or above
- Demonstrates financial need
- Participated in choir or choral music program for at least two years

#### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

- Demonstrated community involvement or work a part-time job
- Must be family-oriented\*

#### Preference may be given to:

· High school seniors

#### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

## Karo Smith Coy Nursing Scholarship Fund

Established through a trust by the American Legion-Wawasee Post 223 to provide scholarship assistance to graduates of Wawasee High School who are pursuing postsecondary education in nursing.

#### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduate of Wawasee High School
- Field of Study: Nursing

#### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

## Preference may be given to:

• No preferences

#### Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

<sup>\*</sup>Applicants must answer an additional essay question about why their family is important to them.



## Richard and Gladys Stewart Nursing Scholarship Fund

This fund was created through a trust established by Richard and Gladys Stewart. Richard and Gladys operated a successful venetian blind and drapery business in Lansing, Michigan. They retired to Mentone in 1976 to be nearer to Gladys' family. Gladys wanted to establish a nursing scholarship because she was proud of her nieces, who became nurses.

### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident
- Field of Study: Nursing
- Demonstrates financial need

### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

#### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

#### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

## Coach David Stookey Memorial Scholarship Fund

Established by Linda Stookey, Eric Stookey and Lisa McAdam to provide support for educational scholarships. Specifically, this fund supports Wawasee High School graduates who attend a public or private institution, or vocational, technical or trade school. David Stookey was a longtime, well-loved cross country and track coach at Wawasee High School. His wife, Linda, and his children, Eric and Lisa, created this fund to celebrate his life and perpetuate his legacy.

### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduate of Wawasee High School
- Demonstrates financial need

#### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

#### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

### Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing



## Jaden Stout Memorial Scholarship Fund

Jaden Stout lived a lot of life in his 13 years. He was a student at Edgewood Middle School where he played baritone in the school band and enjoyed cheering on the Warsaw Tigers basketball team. He loved animals, racing, and playing video games. After Jaden died unexpectedly of natural causes, on July 9, 2013, his family created a scholarship in his memory. It is awarded to a male student who attended Edgewood Middle School with preference given to a student who is interested in Information Technology, Veterinary Science, or Automotive Studies.

### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Male
- Attended Edgewood Middle School for at least one year

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

• No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

#### Preference may be given to:

- Those who may not have excelled academically, but showed evidence of turning their life around
- Those with a "C" average or above
- Those pursuing studies in Computer/Information Technology, Veterinary Science or Automotive Studies
- Those who demonstrate financial need

#### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

Applicants must answer an additional essay question about academic obstacles they have had to overcome.

## Sue Sutton Memorial Scholarship Fund

Vivian Sue Sutton served as a scholarship volunteer with the Kosciusko County Community Foundation for many years. She worked at Zimmer as a receptionist, and was an avid IU basketball fan. When she passed away on February 14, 2012, many family members and friends contributed to this scholarship fund as a way to honor her memory.

### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduate of a high school serving Kosciusko County
- GPA: "C" average or above
- Attending school in Indiana

### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

## Preference may be given to:

- Children or step-children of Zimmer employees
- Those pursuing an orthopedic-related field of study or a career within the orthopedic industry

#### Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing



## Pete and Fay Thorn Educational Fund

This fund was established by Fay Thorn. Pete and Fay were longtime teachers in the Warsaw Community School system. Pete was the first athlete at Wabash College to win 16 letters in four sports. He was the founder and initial director of Baker Boys Club, and was named Warsaw's first Man of the Year in 1959.

#### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident
- Under 25 years old
- Graduate of a high school in Kosciusko County
- GPA: 3.7 or higher on 4-point scale (or its equivalent)
- Demonstrates financial need

#### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

Demonstrated academic proficiency

#### Preference may be given to:

Those who have participated in the activities at Baker Youth Club

### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

## Max Truex Memorial Scholarship Fund

Memorial gifts from friends and family of Max Truex made this scholarship fund possible. It is awarded annually to a senior from Warsaw Community High School, with preference given to students who participated in track. Max was a runner for Warsaw Community High School and a two-time Olympian, competing in the 1956 and 1960 Olympics. He died at the age of 55 after battling Parkinson's disease for 15 years.

### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident
- Graduating seniors of Warsaw Community High School
- GPA: "B" average or above
- Participated in high school athletics

#### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

• Demonstrate good character as evidenced by recommendations

## Preference may be given to:

Those who participated in track during high school

### Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing



## **Everett and Ethel Vandermark Scholarship Fund**

Established by Ethel Vandermark to provide scholarship assistance to graduates of local high schools in Kosciusko County to pursue medical training. Ethel worked as a book keeper and office manager for Kosciusko County REMC for many years. Everett was a farmer. They were married 50 years. Mrs. Vandermark was also the original donor of the Good Samaritan Fund, which provides financial assistance to those suffering from a medical condition.

### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident
- Graduate of a public high school in Kosciusko County
- · Field of Study: Health
- Demonstrates financial need

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

• Likelihood to achieve a degree or skill in the medical profession

### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

#### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

## The Fleda C. Vandeveer Educational Endowment Fund

Ms. Vandeveer attained degrees from both Manchester College and Ohio University in Athens, Ohio where she graduated seventh in her class. She was a grade school teacher for more than 35 years. Her generosity in providing the gift that created this endowment will help numerous students, with preference given to students from Milford who are pursuing teaching as a career.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Resident of Milford, Indiana
- Field of Study: Education
- Demonstrates financial need

#### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

## Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing



## The Thomas R. Walter and Anne Marie Walter Educational Endowment

This fund was established by Thomas R. and Anne Marie Walter to assist students in obtaining education at accredited colleges and universities. Both Tom and Anne were very community-minded, participating in many community activities including Warsaw Presbyterian Church and Warsaw Rotary Club. For many years they owned Walter Drug Store.

### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident at the time of high school graduation
- High school graduate (excludes those who received a GED)
- Demonstrates financial need

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

- Desire for education beyond high school
- Mental attitude
- Likelihood of successfully completing education
- Scholastic attainment

#### Preference may be given to:

• Past recipients who have maintained a "B" average or above

### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

# Steve Watson Aviation Scholarship Fund

Established by Rebecca Watson, in memory of her husband Steve Watson, to provide scholarships for students studying for a career in aviation.

### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident or a graduate of Warsaw Community High School, Wawasee High School,
   Tippecanoe Valley High School, Whitko High School, Manchester High School, or Lakeland Christian Academy
- · Field of Study: Aviation
- · Demonstrates financial need

#### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

• Academic performance will not be a consideration

#### Preference may be given to:

Those who want to become a pilot

#### Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing



## Carl N. Wendel Scholarship Fund

This fund was created by Carl N. Wendel as part of his estate planning to help Kosciusko County residents, with preference given to those pursuing training to become a diesel mechanic, auto mechanic, motorcycle mechanic, small engine mechanic or auto repair service manager. The fund may also assist those seeking to improve and update skills in order to enhance their employment opportunities. Mr. Wendel owned W&W Truck Sales in Warsaw.

### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Kosciusko County resident
- Demonstrates financial need

#### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

### Preference may be given to: (in order of priority)

- Those pursuing education and/or training to become a diesel mechanic, auto mechanic, motorcycle mechanic, small engine mechanic or auto repair service manager
- 2. Those pursuing education in any trade such as HVAC, carpentry or plumbing
- 3. Those pursuing job retraining and/or new or different skills necessitated by loss of the individual's job as a result of mergers or downsizing at the individual's former employer
- 4. Those seeking to enter the job market for the first time or after a sustained period of lack of significant full-time employment due to health reasons, the raising of children and/or care of an aged or ill relative
- 5. Those pursuing any other non-traditional reasonable education leading to a recognized degree or certificate of completion
- 6. Those pursuing traditional college or university education

#### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

## Wilson-Rhodes Memorial Scholarship Fund

Friends and family established this fund in memory of Steven Rhodes and Jane Wilson-Rhodes who were graduates of Wawasee High School and Indiana University. They had been married a short time when they died in a traffic accident. The scholarship is granted to a student graduating from Wawasee High School.

### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Attending Indiana University: Bloomington
- Demonstrates financial need

#### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

- Academic record
- Participation in extracurricular activities

#### Preference may be given to: (in order of priority)

- 1. Wawasee High School graduating seniors
- 2. Wawasee High School graduates
- 3. Graduates of any high school located in Kosciusko County

#### Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

<sup>\*</sup>Applicants will select which preference best describes them.



## Dallas Winchester Memorial Scholarship Fund

Dallas Winchester was a well-respected public servant. He was employed by the Town of Milford as the Street Superintendent for many years before he passed away from malignant melanoma. Dallas was the President of the Wawasee School Board for multiple terms. He had a deep appreciation for the vocational and technical programs at the high school. Wawasee seniors pursuing vocational or technical training after high school receive preference for scholarships from this fund.

### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduating senior of Wawasee High School
- Pursuing vocational/technical training

### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

Love for community as evidenced by involvement in community service

#### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

#### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

## Tracey Ann Yeager Memorial Scholarship Fund

This fund was established by many friends and family of Tracey Yeager, in her memory. Tracey passed away on May 31, 2010 after a long and courageous battle with cancer. She served in the U.S. Navy as a helicopter pilot, earning the rank of lieutenant and was a wife and mother. The fund provides scholarships to young women, especially those pursuing careers considered non-traditional for women.

#### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Female
- Kosciusko County resident
- Graduating high school senior

### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

 Demonstrated leadership and community involvement as evidenced by participation in extracurricular and community service activities

#### Preference may be given to:

- Those who demonstrate leadership while attaining academic success
- Those pursuing education considered non-traditional for females

#### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

Applicants must provide an additional essay explaining why their education or career path may be considered non-traditional for females.



## Kailey Lynn Zehr Memorial Scholarship Fund

This fund was established by many friends and family of Kailey Zehr. Kailey was a student at Edgewood Middle School when she passed away after battling a lengthy illness. She is remembered for her kindness, perseverance, happy demeanor and love of life. Scholarships in Kailey's memory are awarded to graduates of Warsaw Community High School who exhibit good leadership and citizenship and are active in their school and community.

### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduate of Warsaw Community High School
- GPA: 2.9 or higher on a 4-point scale (or its equivalent)
- Demonstrates financial need

### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

- Participation in school and/or community activities or involved by way of attendance or activities through church or place of work
- Participation in community service through church, service or youth group
- Demonstrates good leadership and citizenship
- Demonstrates good work ethic
- Good attendance at school and workplace if employed

#### Preference may be given to:

No preferences

#### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Pastor/Church Youth Leader

Applicants must answer an additional essay question about how they have maintained a positive attitude while overcoming an obstacle or challenge.

## Zentz Family Scholarship Fund

Dean and Debra Zentz spent their careers in the service of others - especially young people. To further serve students, Dean and Debra established the Zentz Family Foundation and Scholarship Fund. The fund provides scholarships to varsity soccer athletes from Warsaw High School who plan to pursue higher education and are community-service minded.

#### Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Graduating senior of Warsaw Community High School
- · Participated in varsity soccer

## Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

No additional criteria specified so applicants will be evaluated on overall strength of application

#### Preference may be given to:

- Those with above average GPA
- Those with leadership experience
- Those with community involvement experience

#### Required recommendations:

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing



## Zimmer Biomet Scholarship Fund

This fund was established by Zimmer Biomet Foundation, Inc. to provide scholarships to children and step-children of Zimmer Biomet team members.

## Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible for this scholarship:

- Child or step-child of a current Zimmer Biomet employee or deceased Zimmer Biomet employee who was actively
  employed at the time of death at any continental US or Puerto Rico locations\*
- GPA: 3.0 or higher on a 4-point scale (or its equivalent)
- Under 26 years old

#### Reviewers will consider the following when selecting a recipient:

- Demonstrates strong work ethic
- Active participant in volunteer or community service activities

## Preference may be given to:

No preferences

#### Required recommendations:

Applicants must submit at least two recommendations for all scholarship opportunities.

- Teacher
- Unrelated person of the applicant's choosing

\*Employment will be verified. Parents must be an active employee at the time their child/step-child receives their first award. Past recipients may apply regardless of their parent's current employment status. Zimmer Biomet employees are not eligible to receive this award themselves.



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