# West Fork High School

## Senior Scholarship Opportunity

Seniors graduating from West Fork High School who wish to be considered for the many scholarships from the Rockwell Community must submit the following by March 27, 2017 to Mrs. Parker in the high school office. Please type the following items listed below.

- Please use the following criteria to develop a list/resume of your achievements: (Example on back)
  - Name, Address, Phone, and Email
  - · Leadership positions and offices held
  - Membership and participation in school, community and volunteer activities
  - Jobs that you have held during high school
- ESSAY-In a one page, typed, double-spaced essay explain why you should be selected for this honor. Include your name, parent(s) name, future goals and how you plan to meet these goals. Please name the college or colleges you are considering and field of study.
- 3. Copy of High School Transcript

### Submission Requirements:

- 1. 8 (8) copies of the list/resume, essay and transcript stapled together. (Copies can be made in the HS office)
- 2. Copies must be given to Mrs. Parker in the high school office on or before March 27, 2017
- 3. NO LATE APPLICATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED

#### FRANKLIN GENERAL HOSPITAL AUXILARY

1720 Central Ave. East Hampton, IA 50441

#### SCHOLARSHIP

The Franklin General Hospital Auxiliary of Hampton, Iowa, offers scholarships valued up to \$500 to encourage young people attending Franklin County schools to enter the professional field of nursing or a health-related occupation.

### **QUALIFICATIONS**

- 1. The applicant must be a high school student in his/her senior year.
- 2. The applicant must be attending a high school in Franklin County (CAL, Hampton-Dumont, West Fork).
- 3. The applicant must be accepted by a school of nursing which is accredited by the National League of Nursing or by an accredited school for education in any health-related field.

#### **PROCEDURE**

- 1. The applicant shall request a Scholarship Application from his/her school guidance counselor or principal.
- 2. The application shall be completed and returned to the FGH Auxiliary Scholarship Committee Chairperson no later than March 15. INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.
- 3. The application must be accompanied by
  - a. College letter of acceptance (preferred) or letter of application
  - b. Two letters of recommendation
  - c. High school transcript through first semester of senior year.
- 4. The applicant will be notified by May 1 if they will receive a scholarship.
- 5. If entering a one year training program, the scholarship shall be paid to the school at the beginning of the second semester. If entering a two to four year program, the scholarship shall be paid at the beginning of the second year.
- 6. Upon completion of the first year, a transcript from the school shall be sent to the scholarship chair.
- 7. If the recipient changes their major to a non-health related field, no scholarship money will be awarded. Please contact the scholarship chair as soon as possible with this information.

#### Foster and Evelyn Barkema Charitable Trust Scholarship

Foster and Evelyn Barkema were life-long residents of rural Alexander, both passing away in the summer of 2013. Foster attended Alexander Consolidated School, withdrawing part way through the tenth grade when his help was needed on his family's farm during the economic decline of the 1930's. Because of an injury, he was disqualified from service in WWII and spent the war years working in meat packing plants, construction, as an apprentice machinist, and as a railroad switchman. He later returned to Alexander to begin hi successful farming career.

Evelyn graduated from Alexander High School, received a B.S. degree in Home Economics Education from Iowa State College, and taught in southwest Iowa high schools for several years until she and Foster were married. Evelyn was an active participant in the farming operation.

Foster and Evelyn were very active in their church and community, serving on many boards and committees. They were a very giving couple throughout their lives, always willing to help those in need. They also recognized the value of education and were strong advocates for their community's schools and the opportunity for higher education. An important principle in the lives of Foster and Evelyn Barkema was a commitment to fairness. They felt strongly that every student should have the opportunity for higher education. This scholarship shall be awarded to every qualified graduating senior.

Please see attached document (West Fork Scholarship Fund) for direction on receiving your Foster and Evelyn Barkema Charitable Trust Scholarship.

Please submit appreciation to the following:

Foster and Evelyn Barkema Charitable Trust Scholarship C/O Zoe Brown, Trustee PO Box 461 Hampton, IA 50441

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