



**Scholarship Book  
(student version)**

**2023**

## **Introductory Information**

This Scholarship Book (student version) contains descriptions of all scholarships currently administered by the Baraboo Community Scholarship Corporation (BCSC). Only one application form is necessary to be considered for any or all these scholarships. This Scholarship Book and application forms are available online at: <http://www.barabooscholarships.com>. High school transcripts can be requested online at <https://www.baraboo.k12.wi.us> under the "I Want To" tab. To be considered, the student will need to complete the application properly and on time, attach all transcripts, and make sure both letters of recommendation are sent.

Letters of recommendation can be sent the following ways:

1. Send directly via email to the reference when completing the application
2. Emailed with STUDENT'S NAME in the subject line to [barabooscholarships@gmail.com](mailto:barabooscholarships@gmail.com)
3. Mailed:  
Baraboo Community Scholarship Corporation  
Attn: STUDENT'S NAME/Reference  
PO Box 380  
Baraboo WI 53913-0380

The application, references, and transcripts must be submitted to BCSC on or before Monday, February 28, 2023. Applications received on or after March 1, 2023 will NOT be considered for scholarships. The following pages list the donor specified criteria used to consider each scholarship. Every scholarship has different criteria, so read each page carefully. We encourage you to apply if you qualify for one or many scholarships.

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**AAUW-Irene Clauson UWC-Baraboo/Sauk County Returning Student Scholarship**

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Amount:	\$1,000
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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Recipient graduated in past fifteen years, but NOT fur current BHS graduating class
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Grade point average:	3.00 or better
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Financial need:	
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Intended career and/or major:	
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Intended school:	UWC-Baraboo/Sauk County Campus
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Personal characteristics:	At committee's discretion
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Work history:	
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Extra-curricular activities:	
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Full or part-time student:	Full or part-time
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Other Information:	

Irene Clauson was a past member of the Baraboo AAUW branch. Upon her death, she left a trust to the Baraboo branch to be used for scholarships in the Baraboo community.

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**American Association of University Women -Baraboo Branch (AAUW) Scholarship**

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Amount:	3 @ \$2,500
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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Current year graduate
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Grade point average:	B or better
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Financial need:	Is considered
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Intended career and/or major:	
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Intended school:	Any accredited two or four-year college or vocational school
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Personal characteristics:	Female
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Work history:	Nothing specific, but is considered
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Extra-curricular activities:	Are considered - like to see a balance among activities
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Full or part-time student:	Full-time
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Other Information:	

AAUW was chartered in 1881 and named in 1921 through the merger of the Association of College Alumnae and the Southern Association of College Women. It is a network of 150,000 degreed members in 1,750 branches, which comprises the oldest and largest national organization working for the advancement of women and education. Our Baraboo branch is comprised of 50 members. The AAUW mission statement is: To promote equity for all women and girls, lifelong education, and positive societal change.

This scholarship is intended to support equal opportunity for access to higher education for the specified class.

**Baraboo Chapter #21 Order of the Eastern Star Scholarship**

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Amount: \$1,000 or \$2,000

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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School: In the past 10 years

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Grade point average: 2.60 or better in high school if high school applicant; 2.50 GPA or better in college for a college applicant

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Financial need: Is considered

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Intended career and/or major:

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Intended school: Any accredited two or four-year university, college or vocational school

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Personal characteristics: Student's goals are considered; Masonic affiliation, recommendations and family

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Work history: Student's work history is considered

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Extra-curricular activities: Participation in service is given more consideration than participation in sports

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Full or part-time student: Full-time unless extenuating circumstances

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Other Information:

Eastern Star is a Fraternal Organization of men and women - a part of the family of Freemasonry. The organization's inspiring examples of heroic conduct and moral values portray noble principles, which guide the lives of its members. They are dedicated to Charity, Truth, and Loving-Kindness. It is comprised of persons with religious convictions, but is NOT a religion. It is respected for family values, honesty in business and life, service in the community and fraternal love among its members. The organization is many things to many people, but most important of all, it is a way of life. Membership consists of Master Masons and their female relatives. Baraboo Order of the Eastern Star #21 was chartered over 120 years ago and has played a significant part in the history of Baraboo. Since 1990, the Baraboo Chapter has been able to grant scholarships of Baraboo High School seniors/graduates and have given over 240 awards assisting students in pursuing their goals. We also help to sponsor other community activities.

Baraboo Class of 1980 Scholarship

Amount:	\$1,000
Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Current year
Grade point average:	2.75
Financial need:	Is highly considered
Intended career and/or major:	
Intended school:	Any accredited four-year College or University located in Wisconsin. U of W Wisconsin-Platteville, Baraboo Campus is included
Personal characteristics:	U.S. Citizenship
Work history:	
Extra-curricular activities:	Preference given to individual who have worked summer or other part-time jobs. Consideration given to students working on the family farm.
Full or part-time student:	Full-Time; extenuating circumstances may be considered
Other Information:	

Scholarship fund was begun by the Baraboo Class of 1980



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**Baraboo Community Scholarship Corporation Scholarship**

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Amount:	\$1,000
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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Within the last two years
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Grade point average:	3.50 or 93%
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Financial need:	
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Intended career and/or major:	
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Intended school:	Any accredited two or four-year college
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Personal characteristics:	A sincere desire for further education
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Work history:	
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Extra-curricular activities:	
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Full or part-time student:	Full-time
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Other Information:	

BCSC is the organization that asks dozens of people, businesses and clubs to give scholarships and handles all of the voluminous paperwork involved in the application, selection and awards processes. In addition, they combine smaller donations to give this scholarship in their own name.

**BCSC Scholarship Book (Student Version) 2023**  
**Baraboo Education Association Scholarship**

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Amount: \$1000

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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School: Any year graduate

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Grade point average:

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Financial need:

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Intended career and/or major: Teaching profession

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Intended school: Must be enrolled in or accepted into a School of Education in any accredited two or four-year university or college

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Personal characteristics:

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Work history:

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Extra-curricular activities:

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Full or part-time student: Full-time

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Other Information:

The Baraboo Education Association is the organization of approximately 225 teachers in the Baraboo School District who want to encourage quality people to enter teaching.

**Baraboo High School Food Service Program Scholarship**

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Amount: \$500

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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School: Current Year Graduate or within last 5 years

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Grade point average:

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Financial need:

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Intended career and/or major: Culinary/Baking/Pastry Arts or Hospitality Related

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Intended school: Any accredited two- or four-year college or vocational school

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Personal characteristics: Good communication skills, dexterity and speed, endurance, time management, creativity and curiosity.

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Work history: Work experience in the food service industry

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Extra-curricular activities: Service hours/Family Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA) and/or Prostart or 4H

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Full or part-time student: Full-Time; extenuating circumstances may be considered

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Other Information:

Cate Gasser was a family and consumer sciences food service educator at the Baraboo Civic Center in Baraboo for 36 years. She believed that each student has a unique talent and that one can persevere in whatever he/she chooses in life. Various catering events taught students how to create and cost out recipes and cook, bake and serve for special groups ranging from 20-300. Participation in FCCLA and Prostart allowed students to gain confidence by planning, organizing, practicing and applying skills for competitive events. The popular fundraisers Cate created reached out to more than 80 local businesses and the "Halloween Cookie Sale" was a marathon that produced 1500 dozen cookies during the last few years of her secondary education career. The food service program was near and dear to her heart and she believed in helping students go out into the world and succeed in life.

**BCSC Scholarship Book (Student Version) 2023**  
**Baraboo Kiwanis Harlan Lambert Memorial Scholarship**

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Amount:	\$2000
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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Current year
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Grade point average:	
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Financial need:	
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Intended career and/or major:	Any worthwhile career
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Intended school:	Any accredited two or four-year college or vocational school
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Personal characteristics:	A sincere desire for further education
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Work history:	
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Extra-curricular activities:	Extensive volunteer service including 4 years membership in Key Club
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Full or part-time student:	Full-time
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Other Information:	

The Baraboo Kiwanis Club is a group of about 80 men and women who raise money for service projects that help the community and its youth. The club has teamed up with the City of Baraboo to design, build and maintain the Baraboo River Walkway. They also sponsor the Key Club and Builders Club.

**BCSC Scholarship Book (Student Version) 2023**  
**Baraboo Kiwanis Robert C. Dewel Memorial Scholarship**

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Amount:	\$2000
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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Within the last four years
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Grade point average:	
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Financial need:	
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Intended career and/or major:	Preference for music, history or journalism
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Intended school:	Any accredited two- or four-year college or vocational school
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Personal characteristics:	
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Work history:	
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Extra-curricular activities:	Community service desired; special consideration given to volunteers at Al Ringling Theatre or the Sauk County Historical Society.
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Full or part-time student:	Full-Time
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Other Information:	

Bob Dewel was a lifelong member of Baraboo Kiwanis, a service organization whose mission is serving the children of the world. Dr. Robert C. "Bob" Dewel, 96, of Baraboo died on Tuesday, June 21, 2016, following a brief hospitalization. Bob was born Dec. 9, 1919, in Algona, Iowa, the fifth son of William C. and Emma Louise (Patton) Dewel. After graduating from Algona High School in 1937 he attended Grinnell College and the University of Iowa, from which he graduated in 1942 with degrees in science and dentistry. He was a member of Sigma Chi social and Psi Omega dental fraternities.

On Aug. 30, 1942, Bob married the love of his life, Helen D. Chubb of Algona, Iowa at the Little Brown Church in the Vale. Shortly thereafter, he served in the 57th Field Corps and 111th Combat Engineers as a dentist in World War II from December 1942 to May 1946. During nearly two years in the European Theatre of Operations, he rose to the rank of Captain and served in the Battle of the Bulge.

**BCSC Scholarship Book (Student Version) 2023**  
**Baraboo Kiwanis Ron LaMasney Memorial Scholarship**

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Amount:	\$2000
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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Within the last four years
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Grade point average:	
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Financial need:	
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Intended career and/or major:	A career related to the construction building trades. A student who plans to pursue a technical education in the fields of engineering, architecture, construction, plumbing, HVAC, electrical, masonry or other related construction trades
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Intended school:	Any accredited two or four-year college or vocational school
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Personal characteristics:	A sincere desire for further education
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Work history:	
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Extra-curricular activities:	Special consideration shown for applicant with work history and a history of volunteer work
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Full or part-time student:	Full-time
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Other Information:	Applicants can reapply. However, each recipient cannot receive more than four Baraboo Kiwanis Club Scholarships.

The Baraboo Kiwanis Club is a group of about 80 men and women who raise money for service projects that help the community and its youth. The club has teamed up with the City of Baraboo to design, build and maintain the Baraboo River Walkway. They also sponsor the Key Club and Builders Club.

Ron LaMasney was very generous with his time volunteering for many organizations and individuals.

**BCSC Scholarship Book (Student Version) 2023**  
**Baraboo Lions Club - Zachary Onikul Memorial Scholarship**

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Amount: \$2500

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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School: Any year graduate

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Grade point average:

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Financial need: Major factor

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Intended career and/or major:

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Intended school: Technical college, vocational school, two-year program, or farm short course

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Personal characteristics:

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Work history:

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Extra-curricular activities:

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Full or part-time student: Full-time student

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Other Information:

Zachary Onikul was a longtime Baraboo businessman, a member of the Baraboo Lions Club, and a supporter of post-high school education. The Baraboo Lions Club - Zachary Onikul Memorial Scholarship has been given in memory of Mr. Onikul since 1980.

**BCSC Scholarship Book (Student Version) 2023**  
**Baraboo Masonic Lodge No. 34, F.& A.M. Scholarship**

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Amount:	\$1000
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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Current year graduate
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Grade point average:	
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Financial need:	A primary consideration
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Intended career and/or major:	
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Intended school:	Any accredited two or four-year college or vocational school
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Personal characteristics:	Attitude and effort in application, commendable academic record (not necessarily an honor student).
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Work history:	
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Extra-curricular activities:	
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Full or part-time student:	Full-time
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Other Information:	

The Baraboo Masonic Lodge #34 is a fraternity dedicated to friendship, morality and brotherly love.



Baraboo Rotary Club Scholarship

Amount:	\$1000
Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Current year graduate
Grade point average:	
Financial need:	
Intended career and/or major:	
Intended school:	Any accredited two or four-year college or university or vocational school
Personal characteristics:	Person who exemplifies the Rotary Four-Way Test - Is it the truth? Is it fair to all concerned? Will it build good will and better friendship? Will it be beneficial to all concerned?
Work history:	Must have exhibited leadership capability here, in number 11 or both
Extra-curricular activities:	Must exhibit leadership capability here, in number 10 or both; must have been an active participant of Interact club for at least two years
Full or part-time student:	Full-time
Other Information:	

The Baraboo Rotary Club, a chapter in the Rotary International service organization, earns money for this scholarship by holding various fund raisers in the community. They want to help students who adhere to the same values that Rotarians do in what they think, say and do:

- 1. Is it the truth?
- 2. Is it fair to all concerned?
- 3. Will it build good will and better friendships?
- 4. Will it be beneficial to all concerned?

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**Baraboo Young Professionals Scholarship**

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Amount:	Two at \$1,500
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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Any Year Graduate
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Grade point average:	
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Financial need:	
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Intended career and/or major:	
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Intended school:	Any accredited two or four-year college or vocational school
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Personal characteristics:	Those who have made an effort and show a desire to contribute to bettering the Baraboo area, whether shown through organizations, volunteering, jobs, etc.
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Work history:	Prefer they've held a job -- type and seasonal vs. year-round isn't applicable
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Extra-curricular activities:	Preferred; looking for "involved" candidates – type not applicable
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Full or part-time student:	Full- or part-time
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Other Information:	

The Baraboo Young Professionals is a group of professionals in the Baraboo area ranging from 18 - 40 and the young at heart. Our core values are networking, professional development, socializing and volunteering. Our goals are to give back to the community and help retain young professionals in the Baraboo area. We host several fundraisers, including the Baraboo Night Market. We meet monthly and encourage new members to join.

BBS Inc. Scholarship

Amount: \$1,500

Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:

Grade point average: 3.0

Financial need:

Intended career and/or major:

Intended school: Any accredited two- or four-year college or vocational school

Personal characteristics: Awarded to a candidate who suffered from breast cancer or had a close friend or family member who suffered from breast cancer.

Work history:

Extra-curricular activities:

Full or part-time student: Extenuating circumstances may be considered

Other Information:

The guiding mission of Baraboo Breast Savers Incorporated is to honor and assist individuals and families affected by breast cancer in the Baraboo area and surrounding communities. Our purpose is to raise funds, while enjoying the company of friends and family, in order to provide peace of mind through financial support to those in need.

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**Bonnie Carroll Memorial Scholarship**

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Amount:	\$1000
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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Any year graduate
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Grade point average:	
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Financial need:	Will be considered
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Intended career and/or major:	
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Intended school:	Any accredited one or two-year technical or vocational school or two or four-year college
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Personal characteristics:	It is required that the recipient be a student who has come through the special education program.
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Work history:	Will be considered and held to be more important than extra-curricular activities
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Extra-curricular activities:	Will be considered
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Full or part-time student:	
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Other Information:	

Through the generosity of family, friends, and colleagues, the family of Bonnie Carroll established this memorial scholarship. A unique personality and educator, Bonnie had a teaching career spanning 41 years, during which she helped establish the first Special Education Program in Baraboo, served as its Department Coordinator, and earned the "Teacher of the Year" award. A pioneer and champion for the cause of children with special educational needs long before present state and federal programs became popular, she fought hard and successfully for these needs to be addressed. The Bonnie Carroll Memorial Scholarship celebrates and commemorates her spirit and continues her dedication to students with special needs.

This scholarship is intended to support equal opportunity for access to higher education for the specified class.

Cole Scholarship

Amount:	\$1000
Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Any earlier year graduate - cf #8
Grade point average:	At least 3.00 in college work
Financial need:	
Intended career and/or major:	
Intended school:	UWC-Baraboo/Sauk County continuing student or former UWC-B/SC student at another college or university; in either case student must have earned at least 12 credits at UWC-B/SC
Personal characteristics:	
Work history:	
Extra-curricular activities:	
Full or part-time student:	Prefer a student taking at least 12 credits per semester
Other Information:	

David Cole taught on the UW-Baraboo/Sauk County campus from the time the campus opened in 1968 until he retired in 2004. This scholarship is given by his family to recognize his years of service and to continue his commitment to higher education and to the Baraboo/Sauk County Campus.

Colin Smyth Memorial Scholarship

Amount:	\$2000 (renewable each year up to 4 years by submitting transcript for previous year and maintaining 3.0 GPA)
Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Current year graduate
Grade point average:	3.0 or above
Financial need:	Considered
Intended career and/or major:	Prefer Liberal Arts/Associate of Arts/Liberal Arts Transfer: Humanities (e.g. literature, history, philosophy), Arts (e.g. theatre, painting, music), Social sciences (e.g. economics, psychology, sociology), Natural sciences (e.g. chemistry, physics, mathematics), Education
Intended school:	Any accredited technical school, or 2 or 4-year college or university
Personal characteristics:	Will be considered by Smyth selector(s) in combination with Work History and Extra-curricular Activities. Demonstrated strong and steady commitment to: ~personal growth; ~family and friendships across generations; ~academic and extracurricular achievement
Work history:	Will be considered by Smyth selector(s) in combination with Personal Characteristics and Extra-curricular Activities
Extra-curricular activities:	Will be considered by Smyth selector(s) in combination with Personal Characteristics and Work History:
Full or part-time student:	Full-time
Other Information:	

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**Dave and Sherry Koepp Family Scholarship**

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Amount:	\$1,500; 2 given
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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Current year graduate
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Grade point average:	
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Financial need:	May be a consideration
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Intended career and/or major:	engineer, architecture or Medical field
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Intended school:	Any accredited two- or four-year college or vocational school
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Personal characteristics:	
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Work history:	
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Extra-curricular activities:	
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Full or part-time student:	Full-time
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Other Information:	

This scholarship is given in memory of Keith Koepp. Keith received a degree in Architecture and worked as an Architectural Designer. He greatly enjoyed his work and this scholarship is given in the hope that other young people will find satisfaction and fulfillment in the same career or a related one.

**BCSC Scholarship Book (Student Version) 2023**  
**Devil's Lake Concession Employee Scholarship**

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Amount:	2 @ \$1000
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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Any accredited two or four year college or vocational school
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Grade point average:	
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Financial need:	
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Intended career and/or major:	
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Intended school:	Any accredited two or four year college or vocational school
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Personal characteristics:	
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Work history:	Current employee at Devil's Lake State Park or past employee for two or more years
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Extra-curricular activities:	
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Full or part-time student:	Full-Time
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Other Information:	

Devil's Lake State Park is Wisconsin's largest and busiest state park. Since 1949 all concession operations at the park have been run by the Devils' Lake Concession Corporation. The corporation was founded in 1949 to provide goods and services to park visitors with the proceeds benefitting the park. Since its creation, Devils' Lake Concession Corporation has returned over \$2.0 million dollars to the park and the State of Wisconsin.



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**Devil's Lake Concession Scholarship**

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Amount:	2 @ \$500
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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Any year graduate
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Grade point average:	
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Financial need:	
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Intended career and/or major:	Natural Resources Related Major
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Intended school:	Any accredited two or four year College or vocational school
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Personal characteristics:	
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Work history:	
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Extra-curricular activities:	
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Full or part-time student:	Full-Time
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Other Information:	

Devil's Lake State Park is Wisconsin's largest and busiest state park. Since 1949 all concession operations at the park have been run by the Devils' Lake Concession Corporation. The corporation was founded in 1949 to provide goods and services to park visitors with the proceeds benefitting the park. Since its creation, Devils' Lake Concession Corporation has returned over \$2.0 million dollars to the park and the State of Wisconsin.

**BCSC Scholarship Book (Student Version) 2023**  
**Dick & Audrey O'Brien Memorial Scholarship**

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Amount:	\$500
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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Current year graduate
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Grade point average:	B+
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Financial need:	Highly considered
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Intended career and/or major:	Registered nursing/nursing profession
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Intended school:	Any accredited two or four-year college or vocational school
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Personal characteristics:	Demonstrates a combination of intellect and desire to help people
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Work history:	
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Extra-curricular activities:	
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Full or part-time student:	Full-time, extenuating circumstances may be considered
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Other Information:	

Through the thoughtful generosity of family, friends, and colleagues, the family of Dick and Audrey O'Brien established this memorial scholarship.

Dick was a kind, hard-working Irishman who loved hunting, fishing, vacationing and spending time with his family and friends. In his later years he suffered from Alzheimer's disease that eventually required the need for professional care. The team of healthcare staff at Oak Park Place memory care took excellent care of him until his passing at the age of 79.

Audrey was down-to-earth, friendly and loved to spend time with her family and friends. She was touched by the kind, compassionate, extraordinary care that the entire nursing staff provided to several special people in her life; her mother who lived at Jefferson Meadows for many years, her husband at Oak Park Place, and later to herself at St. Clare Meadows as she battled lung cancer. She recognized the special talents it takes to be in the nursing profession.

Dick and Audrey's family wants a very special candidate to receive this scholarship and to make a positive contribution to the nursing profession in both academics and bedside manner.

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**Dina and Paul Fishkin Scholarship**

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Amount:	To be determined by fund investment income for the year
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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Any year graduate, subject to #8
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Grade point average:	
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Financial need:	May be considered (See #17)
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Intended career and/or major:	
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Intended school:	Any accredited two or four-year university, college or vocational school
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Personal characteristics:	African-American or hispanic, U.S. citizenship required; not over 25 years old
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Work history:	
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Extra-curricular activities:	
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Full or part-time student:	Full-time unless extenuating circumstances
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Other Information:	In case of more than one qualifying applicant, preference is to be given to the more recent graduate, and then to the one with more financial need as perceived by the Selection Committee and guidance counselors.

Dina Fishkin was a Baraboo Schools librarian. (Deceased 11/20/99) Paul Fishkin was a Baraboo CPA for 34 years. Both were dedicated to the equality of people and community service.

This scholarship is intended to support equal opportunity for access to higher education for the specified class.

**BCSC Scholarship Book (Student Version) 2023**  
**Elva Staveness Christopher Memorial Scholarship**

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Amount:	\$1,000
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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	
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Grade point average:	
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Financial need:	Major factor
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Intended career and/or major:	Pursuit of a registered nursing degree
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Intended school:	Any accredited two- or four-year college or vocational school
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Personal characteristics:	
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Work history:	
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Extra-curricular activities:	
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Full or part-time student:	Full- or part-time; extenuating circumstances may be considered
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Other Information:	

Elva Staveness Christopher was born in Ontario, Canada and attended nursing school in Utica, New York. Elva wanted to be a nurse since she was about six years old, even though she did not then know what a nurse actually did. Elva left New York and arrived in Chicago with \$16 in her pocket. She found she did not care much for life in the big city and moved to Madison, Wisconsin, where she worked first as a private duty nurse, and later, as a hospital nurse at all of the major Madison hospitals. She later moved to Sauk County where she served as Sauk County Nurse for 17 years before retiring in 1982.

**BCSC Scholarship Book (Student Version) 2023**  
**Fairway Mortgage Business Scholarship**

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Amount:	500
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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Current year graduate
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Grade point average:	
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Financial need:	
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Intended career and/or major:	
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Intended school:	Any accredited two or four-year college or vocational school
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Personal characteristics:	
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Work history:	
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Extra-curricular activities:	
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Full or part-time student:	Full-Time
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Other Information:	

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Fairway Mortgage Scholarship

Amount:	500
Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Current year graduate
Grade point average:	
Financial need:	
Intended career and/or major:	
Intended school:	Any accredited two or four-year college or vocational school
Personal characteristics:	
Work history:	
Extra-curricular activities:	
Full or part-time student:	Full-Time
Other Information:	

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**Florence Attridge Eschenbach Scholarship**

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Amount:	\$500
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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Any year graduate
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Grade point average:	
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Financial need:	Is highly considered
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Intended career and/or major:	Serving people in the nursing field, preferably becoming a registered nurse, or other work related to the medical field, with exception of chiropractic
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Intended school:	Any accredited two or four-year university, college or vocational school
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Personal characteristics:	Desire, motivation, character, ambition, dependability, aptitude, purpose in planning, willingness to work.
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Work history:	
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Extra-curricular activities:	
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Full or part-time student:	Full time OR under unusual circumstances it could go to a part-time student
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Other Information:	

Florence Attridge Eschenbach was a Baraboo High School graduate. She graduated in 1934 from St. Mary's Nursing program in Madison. In those days, nursing students had to wash and starch uniforms and caps by hand, mend stockings, and hope that someone would send a little money from home for toothpaste! For over 22 years, she practiced full-time and part-time in the Baraboo, Reedsburg and Wisconsin Dells communities. She also worked a year in California. Beyond her scheduled working time, many hours were given to helping the sick. This scholarship is given to honor her years of dedication in the nursing profession.

**BCSC Scholarship Book (Student Version) 2023**  
**Genevieve Caflisch Memorial Scholarship**

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Amount:	Two at \$5,000
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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	
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Grade point average:	
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Financial need:	
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Intended career and/or major:	
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Intended school:	Any two- or four-year college in the University of Wisconsin system
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Personal characteristics:	Deserving student
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Work history:	
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Extra-curricular activities:	
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Full or part-time student:	Full- or Part-time student; extenuating circumstances may be considered
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Other Information:	

Genevieve Caflisch was born in Baraboo on June 18, 1915 and was raised by an aunt and uncle after the death of her mother. Genevieve graduated from high school with the Class of 1932 at age 16, after having skipped a grade because of her excellent academic performance. She served as a kindergarten assistant in the Baraboo School District for six years, then joined the staff of The Baraboo National Bank where she worked as an assistant cashier for 35 years until her retirement. Genevieve loved serving as a kindergarten assistant and continued relationships with her students for years to come. Her love of teaching and her appreciation for the value of education led her to remember the Baraboo Community Scholarship Corporation in her will. An intelligent, well-read woman and a savvy investor, Genevieve lived a quiet life but left a lasting legacy with her generous gifts to the Baraboo community. She died at St. Clare Meadows Care Center on July 3, 2009.



**BCSC Scholarship Book (Student Version) 2023**  
**George McArthur Memorial Scholarship**

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Amount:	\$1000
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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Current year graduate
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Grade point average:	
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Financial need:	Minor consideration
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Intended career and/or major:	Business or Environmental Studies; Business preferred
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Intended school:	Any accredited four-year college or university
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Personal characteristics:	
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Work history:	Preference to a student who has a parent employed at McArthur Towels
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Extra-curricular activities:	
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Full or part-time student:	Full-time
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Other Information:	

George F. McArthur represented the 4th generation, dating back to 1885, which produced towels along the banks of the Baraboo River. This business was built upon the foundation of providing quality products with fair pricing, and always holding its employees in highest esteem. George loved nature, hunting, fishing, and nurturing the land. He especially enjoyed developing a prairie, pond, and woodlot at his home.

**BCSC Scholarship Book (Student Version) 2023**  
**Gerald and Gladys Scott Memorial Scholarship**

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Amount:	\$2,500
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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Current year graduate
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Grade point average:	3.00 or better
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Financial need:	Will be considered
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Intended career and/or major:	Any career related to living sciences
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Intended school:	Any accredited two or four-year university, college or vocational school
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Personal characteristics:	
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Work history:	
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Extra-curricular activities:	Some desired
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Full or part-time student:	Full-time
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Other Information:	

Gerald Scott taught Biology at Baraboo Senior High School for 30 years, from 1941-1971. During this time he developed the point system to encourage his students to actively enjoy the out-of-doors. Mr. Scott thoroughly enjoyed his students as evidenced by his participation as an advisor for the Foreign Student Program, Hi-Y and other extra curricular activities.

Mr. Scott was married to Gladys Scott for more than 50 years. The Scotts believed in self-sufficiency. Gerald and his family built a summer cabin in northern Wisconsin, built their house on Crawford Street, helped build one son's house outside of Madison, and built a Cascade sailboat (The Release) that the family sailed for several years on Lake Michigan and Green Bay. In retirement, the Scotts participated in numerous elderhostels in the United States and Canada and traveled to Europe. Gerald had a true love of life and stayed active by gardening, including his prized dahlias and raspberries. The Scott House at the International Crane Foundation is named after this generous couple who prepared countless dinners for visiting dignitaries.

**BCSC Scholarship Book (Student Version) 2023**  
**Gerry & Bonnie Stadler Scholarship**

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Amount:	\$1,000
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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Current year graduate
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Grade point average:	
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Financial need:	Minor consideration
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Intended career and/or major:	Prefer education/teaching
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Intended school:	Any accredited two- or four-year college or vocational school
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Personal characteristics:	
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Work history:	Have a good, responsible work ethic as shown in holding at least one job for a summer
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Extra-curricular activities:	
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Full or part-time student:	Full- or part-time; extenuating circumstances may be considered
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Other Information:	

Gerry & Bonnie Stadler moved to Baraboo in 1967 to accept teaching positions. Gerry taught and coached at the Junior High for 14 years. Bonnie taught kindergarten and first grade for 29 years in the Baraboo School District. We both feel education has been the key to our success. We hope others will find satisfaction and a sense of accomplishment in this field.

**BCSC Scholarship Book (Student Version) 2023**  
**Gordon & Sarah Willson Memorial Scholarship**

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Amount:	\$1000
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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Current year graduate
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Grade point average:	
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Financial need:	Will be considered
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Intended career and/or major:	Education or liberal arts
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Intended school:	Any accredited two or four-year university or college, but not a vocational school
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Personal characteristics:	Dependable, responsible, hard-working
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Work history:	Should have held a job during the summer
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Extra-curricular activities:	Active participant in extra curricular activities
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Full or part-time student:	Full-time
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Other Information:	

Mr. and Mrs. Willson were outstanding Baraboo educators who were graduates of UW-Madison and came to Baraboo in 1928. Mr. Willson served as teacher, coach, athletic director, then principal of BHS and for 30 years was superintendent of Baraboo Schools. Mrs. Willson also taught at BHS, and both were very active in educational organizations.

**BCSC Scholarship Book (Student Version) 2023**  
**Henry C. and Corwin G. Moeller Scholarship**

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Amount:	To be determined
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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Current Year Graduate
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Grade point average:	
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Financial need:	Some consideration
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Intended career and/or major:	
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Intended school:	Any accredited two- or four-year college or vocational school
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Personal characteristics:	Most deserving in view of their ability and financial resources
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Work history:	
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Extra-curricular activities:	
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Full or part-time student:	Full-Time; extenuating circumstances may be considered
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Other Information:	

Henry C. Moeller bequested \$5,000 to the City of Baraboo in his will in 1958 to create a scholarship in his and his wife's name. The money was to be invested by the City Treasurer in a high grade preferred stock investment considered to be sound and conservative, and specifically named the Massachusetts Investors Trust. The Board of Education was to administer the scholarship and annually select the most deserving graduate to receive only the earnings of the investment for use towards further education.

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**Hollenbeck Scholarships**

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Amount:	\$1000
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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Any year graduate
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Grade point average:	Is considered
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Financial need:	Will be considered
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Intended career and/or major:	
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Intended school:	Any accredited two or four-year college or vocational school
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Personal characteristics:	Demonstrated aptitude and desire for higher education. Committee may also consider post-high school academic performance, other awards and honors, career plans and ambitions, and any other factors they consider appropriate.
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Work history:	
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Extra-curricular activities:	
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Full or part-time student:	Full-time
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Other Information:	

The Hollenbeck scholarships are provided by a trust made by Georgianna Hazel Hollenbeck in her will. The number of scholarships awarded is determined each year. A recipient may re-apply in subsequent years. Georgianna Hollenbeck died in 1977. She and her sister Josephine, who was a secretary at BHS, were graduated from BHS and were particularly interested in BHS sports.

**BCSC Scholarship Book (Student Version) 2023**  
**John and Esther Gray Scholarship**

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Amount:	\$1500
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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Current year graduate including mid-semester
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Grade point average:	
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Financial need:	Will be considered
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Intended career and/or major:	
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Intended school:	Will be considered
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Personal characteristics:	Eagerness for further education
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Work history:	Will be considered
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Extra-curricular activities:	v
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Full or part-time student:	Full-time
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Other Information:	

Mrs. Gray lived in Baraboo all her life and for 16 years worked in the Superintendent of Schools office after Josephine Hollenbeck and before Murrel Lange. Mr. Gray worked as a traveling salesman in Baraboo until his death in 1988.

John and Murrel Lange Scholarship

Amount:	\$1,000
Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Any year graduate
Grade point average:	
Financial need:	Will be considered
Intended career and/or major:	
Intended school:	Any accredited two or four-year university, college or vocational school
Personal characteristics:	Must show sincerity in purpose in educational planning
Work history:	
Extra-curricular activities:	
Full or part-time student:	Full-time
Other Information:	The recipient may reapply.

Both BHS graduates, Mr. Lange was an insurance general agent and Mrs. Lange was a secretary at Baraboo Junior High School for many years.



John B. Young Scholarship

Amount:	\$500
Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Current year graduate
Grade point average:	
Financial need:	Major consideration
Intended career and/or major:	Any career or major
Intended school:	UW-Baraboo/Sauk County
Personal characteristics:	Hard-working; of good character; desires to further education
Work history:	Should have had a job or really helped on family farm
Extra-curricular activities:	Not necessary, but shows time management
Full or part-time student:	Full or part-time, but extenuating circumstances may be considered because of either illness or to support him/herself or family
Other Information:	

John B. Young spent his school years in Bethesda, Maryland and, after high school, enlisted in the U.S. Air Force. After his service, Jack attended Western Kentucky University on a football scholarship. He received a B.A. in Education and began teaching and coaching in Kentucky. In 1965 he received a Masters in Education from the University of Maryland and taught 5 years in Montgomery County, MD. In 1970 Jack accepted the Assistant Principalship at the Baraboo Junior High School, became Principal later, and subsequently became Principal of the Baraboo High School. Jack dearly loved his 24 years of service with the Baraboo schools and took great pride in the accomplishments of his students and colleagues. Jack's leadership had a lasting impact on many students during his tenure in Baraboo and he was instrumental in the passage of several referenda of great benefit to Baraboo schools.

Joyce Albert Music Scholarship

Amount: \$2,500

Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:

Grade point average:

Financial need:

Intended career and/or major: Major in music

Intended school: Any accredited two or four-year college or vocational school

Personal characteristics: Demonstrated interest or talent in music

Work history:

Extra-curricular activities:

Full or part-time student: Full-Time; extenuating circumstances may be considered

Other Information:

Joyce Albert, born in 1924, was raised in Baraboo and spent her entire life there. She worked for many years for the State Department of Public Instruction. Joyce had a life long interest in music and, by this scholarship, hopes to help a young person pursue his/her love of music.

**BCSC Scholarship Book (Student Version) 2023**  
**Judy Kuter Scholarship for Teacher Education Scholarship**

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Amount:	\$1000
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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Any year graduate
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Grade point average:	
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Financial need:	
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Intended career and/or major:	Elementary education, secondary education or special education
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Intended school:	Any accredited two or four-year university, college or vocational school
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Personal characteristics:	
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Work history:	
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Extra-curricular activities:	Interest in tutoring, observation/helping in elementary or secondary classroom given preferential consideration
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Full or part-time student:	Full-time
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Other Information:	

Judy Kuter was an elementary school teacher in several communities before moving to Baraboo. In Baraboo she was a volunteer in the elementary schools, helped organize the East School Parent Committee, and taught as a substitute teacher. Her three children were educated in Baraboo schools. She particularly liked to teach writing skills and reading to elementary children. She was a member of the BCSC board for several years.

**BCSC Scholarship Book (Student Version) 2023**  
**Kasper Memorial Medical Scholarship (2)**

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Amount:	\$600; two given
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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Any year graduate
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Grade point average:	3.00 or better
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Financial need:	Will be considered
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Intended career and/or major:	Medical profession including technical education
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Intended school:	Any accredited two or four-year university, college, or vocational school
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Personal characteristics:	
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Work history:	
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Extra-curricular activities:	
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Full or part-time student:	Full-time
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Other Information:	

Preference will be given to previous recipients who reapply and continue eligibility in all respects. This scholarship is given in memory of Marlene R. Kasper by her family and friends.  
Mrs. Kasper was graduated from Madison Methodist School of Nursing and worked as a public health nurse in Grant County, and then as a school nurse first for Reedsburg and then for Baraboo.

**BCSC Scholarship Book (Student Version) 2023**  
**Kim Kropp Blum Sports Leadership Scholarship**

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Amount:	\$2,500
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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Current year; if no one applies or is qualified, may be awarded to any year graduate
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Grade point average:	
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Financial need:	Major consideration for a financially-needy female athlete who may not have the opportunity to pursue a college education without this help
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Intended career and/or major:	Teaching or coaching youth in a recreation or sports-related field
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Intended school:	Any college or university in Wisconsin
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Personal characteristics:	A woman planning a career working with youth in sports recreation; excellent role model in the school and community; interacts well with peers, teachers and staff; participates enthusiastically, with topnotch sportsmanship, in athletic activities; supports other participants; ensures access to these activities
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Work history:	
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Extra-curricular activities:	Involved in organized sports throughout high school, varsity, junior varsity, intramural, or club
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Full or part-time student:	Full-time only
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Other Information:	

The donor wishes to remain anonymous, having the focus be on Kim Kropp Blum and her accomplishments during the very early years of 'girls sports' here in Baraboo. Kim, a BHS graduate, excelled in her sports and also served as a role model to her teammates. She was not only a leading athlete in basketball, track & field, and volleyball, but she was also an assistant coach and motivator for the other athletes. Her leadership demonstrated by example that women should have comparable athletic programs.

This scholarship is intended to support equal opportunity for access to higher education for the specified class.

**BCSC Scholarship Book (Student Version) 2023**  
**L.H. Eckhardt Memorial Scholarship Trust by Chester Bible**

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Amount:	Up to one (1) year's full tuition, Freshman year only, at any UW-System college or university
Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Current year graduate
Grade point average:	Extra curricular activities will be considered.
Financial need:	Is a requirement and a priority consideration
Intended career and/or major:	
Intended school:	Any UW-System college or university
Personal characteristics:	
Work history:	
Extra-curricular activities:	Extra curricular activities will be considered.
Full or part-time student:	Full-time
Other Information:	The recipients of this scholarship must sign a release allowing BCSC to send copies of their application and FAFSA to the Wells Fargo Trust Dept. in Minneapolis. This information is held in Wells Fargo's confidential files for auditors to review.

Mr. Chester Bible was a local businessman who received his start in business because of Mr. L. H. Eckhardt. Mr. Bible set up this scholarship in appreciation of Mr. Eckhardt's support, both financial and otherwise.

**BCSC Scholarship Book (Student Version) 2023**  
**Lillian M. Radtke Memorial Scholarship**

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Amount:	To be determined
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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	any year graduate
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Grade point average:	
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Financial need:	
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Intended career and/or major:	Education intending to become a teacher
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Intended school:	
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Personal characteristics:	
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Work history:	
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Extra-curricular activities:	
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Full or part-time student:	Full-time; extenuating circumstances may be considered
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Other Information:	

Lillian Radtke was born at Benson, Ill on September 12, 1921, She attended and graduated with honors from Trinity Lutheran School and Bloomington High School of Bloomington, Ill. She married Lawrence F. Kehoe in 1942 and over a 20 year period, had 8 children and 13 foster babies while living in Baraboo and La Crosse, Battle Creek, Mich. And East Orange, N.J. After returning to Baraboo in 1959, she worked at Kunzelman's Ice Cream Parlor for many years, then retired as an Office Manager at Sears after 15 years of service. She then worked as an Accounts Payable Clerk for the Baraboo School District for another eight years and retired permanently. Lillian was united in marriage to William Radtke, on Oct. 24, 1969 in Baraboo. She was a member of the Daughters of Isabella, St. Joseph Catholic Church and St. Clare Hospital Auxiliary where she did many hours of volunteer work. She also did volunteer work for the Center on Aging and contributed to many charity functions worldwide. She loved cooking, gardening, needlework and especially counted cross stitch. One beautiful piece is hanging in the gathering place at St. Joseph Catholic Church.

Lisa Hohl Memorial Scholarship

Amount:	\$500
Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Current Year Graduate
Grade point average:	At least 3.00
Financial need:	To be considered
Intended career and/or major:	Cosmetology
Intended school:	Any accredited 2 or 4-year college or vocational school
Personal characteristics:	Hardworking
Work history:	Shows interest
Extra-curricular activities:	
Full or part-time student:	Full or part-time
Other Information:	

Lisa Hohl achieved a life-time goal when she opened the Tangles Hair Salon in Baraboo. Her post-secondary education helped her achieve the goal, and in her memory, Myron Hohl established the Lisa Hohl Memorial Scholarship so other young people could achieve their dreams.



**BCSC Scholarship Book (Student Version) 2023**  
**Lowell Haugen Memorial Scholarship**

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Amount:	\$1000
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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Current year graduate
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Grade point average:	3.00
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Financial need:	
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Intended career and/or major:	science or agriculture
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Intended school:	Any accredited two- or four-year college or vocational school
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Personal characteristics:	
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Work history:	
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Extra-curricular activities:	
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Full or part-time student:	Full-time, if physically able
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Other Information:	

Lowell Haugen was a ninth grade science teacher in Baraboo from 1968 until his retirement in 1995. Having grown up on a farm in Minnesota, he had an avid interest in agriculture as well as science. He was a great believer in continuing to learn throughout one's life. Therefore he took advantage of summer programs offered by the National Science Foundation including one at NASA in Alabama.

Margaret Nessler Scholarship

Amount: \$1000

Date of Graduation from Baraboo School: Any year graduate

Grade point average:

Financial need:

Intended career and/or major: Prefer person intending to be a cosmetologist ,but may choose other if no cosmetologist apps

Intended school: Any accredited two or four-year college or vocational school

Personal characteristics:

Work history:

Extra-curricular activities:

Full or part-time student: Full-time

Other Information:

Mrs. Nessler, who died in 1981, operated the Lorraine Beauty Shop on Oak Street for many years.

**BCSC Scholarship Book (Student Version) 2023**  
**MBE CPAs Scholarship**

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Amount: \$1000

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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School: Current year graduate

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Grade point average:

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Financial need:

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Intended career and/or major: Accounting

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Intended school: Any accredited two or four-year college or vocational school

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Personal characteristics:

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Work history:

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Extra-curricular activities: Desirable but not required

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Full or part-time student: Full Time

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Other Information:

MBE CPAs, LLP is a locally owned accounting firm. We have 10 office locations including Fort Atkinson, Mauston, Marshfield, Portage, Reedsburg, Sun Prairie, Tomah, Wausau, Wisconsin Dells-Lake Delton, and our corporate headquarters in Baraboo. We hope that BHS graduates choose to bring their talents and families back to Baraboo. We believe the quality of life in the Baraboo area presents great opportunities for future graduates.

**BCSC Scholarship Book (Student Version) 2023**  
**Mike Ford Memorial Rotary Scholarship**

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Amount:	\$500
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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Within the last five years.
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Grade point average:	
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Financial need:	Major consideration
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Intended career and/or major:	
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Intended school:	Any accredited two or four-year college or vocational school
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Personal characteristics:	Person who exemplifies the Rotary Four-Way Test - Is it the truth? Is it fair to all concerned? Will it build good will and better friendship? Will it be beneficial to all concerned?
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Work history:	
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Extra-curricular activities:	Two years active and current participation in Interact Club if a graduating senior; must have been in Interact Club at least 2 years while at BHS if already a BHS graduate
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Full or part-time student:	Full-time
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Other Information:	

If what matters in life is how we lived and loved, then Mike Ford lived well. He was an exemplary role model of the principles of the Rotary Four-Way Test, which states "of all things we think, say or do ... is it the truth? Is it fair to all concerned? Will it build good will and better friendship? Will it be beneficial to all concerned?" Mike had the heartiest of laughs which he shared with everyone. He was a loving husband, a special dad to his three children, and a kind and compassionate friend. Mike enjoyed running, traveling, coaching youth soccer, kayaking, and walking the trails with his dog.

**BCSC Scholarship Book (Student Version) 2023**  
**Mike O'Connell Writer's Scholarship**

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Amount:	\$750
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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Current year graduate
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Grade point average:	Honor Roll student 3.00 or above
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Financial need:	
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Intended career and/or major:	MUST plan to pursue writing, any sort, such as newspaper reporting, magazine writing, sports writing, novels, short stories, poetry, essays
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Intended school:	Any accredited four-year college; preference to a student intending to attend Ripon College
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Personal characteristics:	Genuine interest and demonstrated talent in writing
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Work history:	Important only if it demonstrates interest in writing
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Extra-curricular activities:	Writing experience (literary magazine, school newspaper, poetry)
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Full or part-time student:	Full-time
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Other Information:

This scholarship is given in honor of Mr. O'Connell, poet, newspaper reporter, and former English teacher at BHS. The donor is Jondi Gumz, BHS '71, who says she would not be a newspaper reporter in California today without the skillful lessons, timely encouragement and role modeling she received in Mr. O'Connell's creative writing classes. Gumz won a 2017 Clarion Award for a newspaper story explaining why teen births in Watsonville dropped 59% reaching a historic low. She won a Casey Medal for her series on changes in bilingual education in California in the wake of Proposition 227. She also has won awards from the Education Writers Association, the California Teachers Association, the Society of Environmental Journalists, the International Reading Association, and the Association for Women in Communications, the San Francisco Peninsula Press Club, and the California Newspaper Publishers Association.

If no applicants fit the criteria, which is intention to pursue a career in writing, the scholarship should NOT be awarded and the money held for the following year.

Mossman Family Scholarship

Amount:	\$1,000
Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Current year graduate
Grade point average:	
Financial need:	
Intended career and/or major:	Theater Arts
Intended school:	Any accredited two or four-year college or vocational school; specialized training facility of theatre arts
Personal characteristics:	
Work history:	theatre experience in school or outside school should be a factor of consideration
Extra-curricular activities:	theatre experience in school or outside school should be a factor of consideration
Full or part-time student:	Full-time; extenuating circumstances may be considered
Other Information:	

Sue Mossman and her husband Bill raised 6 children in Baraboo. Bill and Sue were involved in the Baraboo community for many years through civic organizations, church, the public schools, UW campus, and the Baraboo Theatre Guild. This scholarship was established by Bill to honor his wife, her lifelong love for the theatre arts, and the many roles she played on the Al Ringling stage. Bill worked on technical aspects of production, and after Sue died, continued in different ways to support the Guild and the Theatre.

When Bill passed, the scholarship was perpetuated by the children: Susan, Mike, Mary (Hoppe), Peggy (Platt), John and Amy, who also carried on actively in the performing arts in various ways. This scholarship is in loving memory of their parents, by its ongoing commitment to help students explore life through the theatre arts. These words of Scots poet Thomas Campbell speak to the legacies both of family and of theatre, "To live in hearts we leave behind is not to die".

Nancy & Roger Ystad Scholarship

Amount:	\$500
Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Any year grad including class of 1980 or later
Grade point average:	
Financial need:	Will be considered
Intended career and/or major:	Preference given to cosmetology; second choice is a specialized trade, e.g. plumber, electrician, etc.
Intended school:	Any accredited vocational or technical college, including MATC
Personal characteristics:	
Work history:	
Extra-curricular activities:	
Full or part-time student:	either full or part-time
Other Information:	

Nancy Ystad has a dream of helping young people in entering into a career of cosmetology. Her friend/husband, Roger, has made that dream possible by holding a benefit to raise funds for this scholarship. Nancy owned and operated her own shop from 1980-1994, when Huntington's disease forced her retirement. Roger is retired after 37 years with Wisconsin Power & Light.

Nessler Scholarships

Amount: \$1500

Date of Graduation from Baraboo School: Any year graduate

Grade point average:

Financial need:

Intended career and/or major:

Intended school: Any accredited two or four-year university, college, or vocational school

Personal characteristics: Motivation, sincere desire for continuing education

Work history:

Extra-curricular activities: Will be considered along with community service activities

Full or part-time student: Full-time unless extenuating circumstances

Other Information:

Arthur and Margaret Nessler lived in Baraboo for most of their lives. Mr. Nessler worked as a Baraboo police patrolman for 30 years and Mrs. Nessler operated the Lorraine Beauty Shop. They were involved in church and civic activities until their deaths in 1994 and 1981 respectively.



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**North Freedom Rod, Gun and Archery Club Scholarship**

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Amount:	\$500
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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Any year graduate
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Grade point average:	
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Financial need:	
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Intended career and/or major:	Natural resources, outdoor conservation
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Intended school:	Any accredited two or four-year institution in natural resources, outdoor conservation
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Personal characteristics:	Hunter Safety graduate preferred
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Work history:	
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Extra-curricular activities:	
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Full or part-time student:	Full-time preferred
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Other Information:	

The North Freedom Rod, Gun and Archery Club is a non-profit group that has been in existence for more than forty years. They promote outdoor conservation and good hunting ethics through hunter safety education and this scholarship.

**BCSC Scholarship Book (Student Version) 2023**  
**Olga Marie Bassett Biological Sciences Scholarship**

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Amount:	\$500
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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Any year graduate
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Grade point average:	
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Financial need:	
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Intended career and/or major:	Biology or Botany
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Intended school:	Any accredited two or four-year college or vocational school
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Personal characteristics:	
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Work history:	
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Extra-curricular activities:	
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Full or part-time student:	Full-time student
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Other Information:	
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Olga Marie Bassett graduated from Sunny Hill School and Baraboo High School. Olga also attended Sauk County Normal School and taught in the rural schools . She and her husband, Arthur, owned and operated the Ski-Hi Fruit Farm for many years. She had always been very active in her community. She was a member of Baraboo's Chapter 21 of the Order of the Eastern Star and was honored with the Paragon Award; received the Super Citizens Award at the Wisconsin State Fair; was a member of the Baraboo Garden Club and of Intersay; spent 25 years as a leader with the Skillet Creek 4-H Club; belonged to the Baraboo Hiking Club and the Skillet Creek Homemakers Club; was an honorary member of UW Life Sciences and Agriculture Department. Olga and Art had both been members of the Wisconsin State Horticultural Society and were honored in November 1967 with their Distinguished Service Award. Olga was an avid outdoor person and had started and maintained one of the first blue bird trails in Wisconsin. She was respectfully referred to as a "walking encyclopedia" and thoroughly enjoyed volunteering her time for the High School's spring field study with the biology students.

Parshall-Cummings VFW Post 2336

Amount: \$1000

Date of Graduation from Baraboo School: Current year graduate

Grade point average: 2.5

Financial need:

Intended career and/or major:

Intended school: Any accredited technical college

Personal characteristics:

Work history:

Extra-curricular activities:

Full or part-time student: Full-Time

Other Information:

Parshall-Cummings VFW Post 2336

Prairie Clinic Scholarship

Amount: \$500

Date of Graduation from Baraboo School: Current year graduate

Grade point average:

Financial need:

Intended career and/or major: Prefer health related field, but any career/major is acceptable

Intended school: Any accredited two- or four-year college or vocational school

Personal characteristics:

Work history:

Extra-curricular activities:

Full or part-time student: Full-time

Other Information:

Prairie Clinic is a primary care medical clinic in Sauk Prairie

Ron Hart Memorial Scholarship

Amount: \$1,000

Date of Graduation from Baraboo School: Current Year Graduate

Grade point average:

Financial need:

Intended career and/or major: Food Service, Animal or Dairy Science, Natural Resources or Agriculture

Intended school: Any accredited two- or four-year college or vocational school

Personal characteristics:

Work history:

Extra-curricular activities:

Full or part-time student: Full--time student

Other Information:

Russell R. W. Wettstyne Scholarship

Amount: \$1000

Date of Graduation from Baraboo School: Current year graduate

Grade point average:

Financial need:

Intended career and/or major:

Intended school: Any accredited two or four-year university, college or vocational school

Personal characteristics: High standards of character

Work history:

Extra-curricular activities:

Full or part-time student: Full-time

Other Information:

Mr. Wettstyne was a BHS and Madison College graduate with a long career in traffic engineering before his retirement and community activities in Baraboo. He had done a lot of volunteer work in AARP-Baraboo Chapter, Agency on Aging, Red Cross, American Legion, and St. Joseph's Catholic Church.

Ruth E. Cranston Scholarship

Amount: \$1500

Date of Graduation from Baraboo School: Any year graduate

Grade point average:

Financial need:

Intended career and/or major: Registered nurse or licensed practical nurse.

Intended school:

Personal characteristics:

Work history:

Extra-curricular activities:

Full or part-time student: Full-time, unless there are extenuating circumstances

Other Information:

Mrs. Cranston was born in Bear Valley and was graduated from Sextonville High School. Most of her life she lived in the Milwaukee and Chicago areas. After her second widowhood, she spent her final years in Baraboo near her family. She worked as a nurse/companion and, as her family says, "She was always taking care of somebody."

**Ryan Selje Memorial Scholarship**

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Amount: \$1,000; 2 given

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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School: Current year graduate

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Grade point average:

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Financial need:

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Intended career and/or major: Preferred area of study related to Trades, Mental Health, environmental conservation, or wildlife management.

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Intended school: Any accredited two- or four-year college or vocational school

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Personal characteristics: Active in community, involved in school organizations, and sincere desire to further education.

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Work history: Summer job related to trades, nature or conservation preferred, but not required.

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Extra-curricular activities: Preferences given to Bowling, Hunting, Fishing, Outdoors, involvement in youth sports

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Full or part-time student: Full-time; part-time if there are extenuating circumstances

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Other Information:

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Ryan Selje was a 1998 graduate of BHS. He worked summers during high school as part of the janitorial crew for the school district. The Monday after graduation, he began employment with Action Electric and successfully went through the apprenticeship program. He continued employment as a journeyman electrician until his death on October 2, 2018. Ryan was an avid bowler on many leagues, bowling several 300 games. He enjoyed hunting, fishing, and the outdoors. He was a loving father to three children and took great pride in being a youth softball coach. Ryan was also an avid supporter of all his children's sporting events. He showed dedication and respect to the community, and love and kindness toward anyone he met.



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Sarah A. Holm Memorial Scholarship

Amount:	\$1,000
Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Current year graduate
Grade point average:	
Financial need:	Major Factor
Intended career and/or major:	
Intended school:	Two-year college or vocational school
Personal characteristics:	Preference to a physically and/or mentally challenged student or one who has been challenged physically and/or mentally in the past
Work history:	Equally important as extra-curricular activities
Extra-curricular activities:	Equally important as Work History
Full or part-time student:	Full or Part Time
Other Information:	

Sarah Anne Holm attended East Elementary School, Baraboo Middle School and graduated from Baraboo High School in 2011. At the age of 16, she lost the use of her legs due to a spinal cord tumor. Although she was confined to a wheelchair, Sarah's "Just Do It" attitude inspired thousands of people across the country. She skied, waterskied and played sled hockey with adaptive equipment. Sarah had just graduated from Madison College with a degree in Recreation Management at the time of her death in June 2016. Sarah's courage and determination, gorgeous smile and sense of humor will never be forgotten.

Sarahan Family Scholarship

Amount: \$1000

Date of Graduation from Baraboo School: Current or immediately-previous-year graduate

Grade point average:

Financial need:

Intended career and/or major:

Intended school:

Personal characteristics:

Work history:

Extra-curricular activities:

Full or part-time student: Full-time

Other Information:

Charles A Sarahan is a 1944 graduate of BHS. He served in WW II in the Navy Seabees. He is a grad of UW-Madison with a degree in Banking. He worked for the FDIC from 1953-1981 in Chicago and Washington, D.C. and currently resides in College Park MD. Both Charles and his father Hugh appear in the glass enclosure as vets of WW I and WW II respectively.

**BCSC Scholarship Book (Student Version) 2023**  
**Sauk County USBC Bowling Association Keith Koepp Memorial Scholarship**

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Amount:	\$1,500; 2 given
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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Within the past two years
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Grade point average:	
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Financial need:	Major consideration
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Intended career and/or major:	
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Intended school:	Any accredited two- or four-year college or vocational school
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Personal characteristics:	Parent, guardian, or a relative must be a member of Baraboo USBC Bowling Association; student interest in bowling is a plus. If no suitable applicants apply, an alternative will be considered by Sherry Keopp
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Work history:	Not required, but employment will be considered
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Extra-curricular activities:	Participation in bowling is a plus
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Full or part-time student:	Full-time
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Other Information:	

This scholarship honors Keith Koepp. Keith received a degree in Architecture and worked as an Architectural Designer. When not working, Keith enjoyed bowling and was a long time member of the Sauk County USBC Bowling Association. The Sauk County USBC Bowling Association organizes bowling leagues and promotes the sport of bowling in the Baraboo area.

Sheri Kujak Scholarship

Amount: \$1,000

Date of Graduation from Baraboo School: Current year graduate

Grade point average:

Financial need: Will be considered

Intended career and/or major:

Intended school:

Personal characteristics:

Work history:

Extra-curricular activities: Some community service would be preferred

Full or part-time student:

Other Information:

Scholarhip in honor of Sheri Kujak

**BCSC Scholarship Book (Student Version) 2023**  
**Shirley & John Liebig Memorial Scholarship**

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Amount: \$1,000

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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:

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Grade point average:

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Financial need: Major consideration

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Intended career and/or major: Prefer a music-related major, but not a requirement

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Intended school: Any accredited two- or four-year college or vocational school

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Personal characteristics: Interest in music

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Work history:

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Extra-curricular activities:

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Full or part-time student: Full- or part-time, but extenuating circumstances may be considered

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Other Information:

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Shirley DuBois Liebig was born and raised in LaRue. John Liebig was a die-cutter. After their marriage, the couple lived in Milwaukee for many years. Shirley worked 11 years as a telephone operator. She later returned to Baraboo and generously endowed several scholarships for Baraboo High School graduates.

**BCSC Scholarship Book (Student Version) 2023**  
**Suzanne Schaefer Fischer Memorial Scholarship**

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Amount:	\$1000 each year for 4 years
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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Current year graduate
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Grade point average:	3.50
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Financial need:	
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Intended career and/or major:	Business or medical related field preferred
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Intended school:	Any accredited four-year university or college
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Personal characteristics:	For a female who has demonstrated aptitude for further education
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Work history:	Business or medical related work will be considered
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Extra-curricular activities:	
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Full or part-time student:	Full-time
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Other Information:	

This scholarship honors the memory of Suzanne Schaefer Fischer. In 1979, she was valedictorian of Baraboo High School, and also Sauk County Fairest of the Fair. She was graduated with honors from the University of Wisconsin and later became managing director of Marsh, Inc. Suzanne Schaefer Fischer was a success all her life.

This scholarship is intended to support equal opportunity for access to higher education for the specified class.

**Tanner Zimmerman Memorial Fund/Community Foundation of South Central Wisconsin**

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Amount: \$1000

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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School: Current year graduate

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Grade point average:

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Financial need:

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Intended career and/or major: Preferred area of study related to trades, such as construction management; environmental conservation, Engineering or wildlife management

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Intended school: Any college or university in Wisconsin

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Personal characteristics: Active in community and involved with school organizations

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Work history: Summer job related to the trades, nature, or conservation preferred, but not required

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Extra-curricular activities: Preference given to Hunting, Fishing, Outdoors, Fire Dept. or First Responder activities.

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Full or part-time student: Full-time; part-time if there are extenuating circumstances

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Other Information:

This scholarship is to honor the dedication and respect Tanner Zimmerman had to the community and the love and kindness he showed toward anyone he met. The recipient of this scholarship should uphold the same community involvement and the same selflessness that Tanner portrayed every day of his life.

9/10/12 - contact changed from Greg Koepp to D & L Zimmerman

Teri Hanners-Fox Scholarship

Amount:	\$1,000
Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Current year graduate
Grade point average:	2.50
Financial need:	Minor consideration - No financial statement required.
Intended career and/or major:	Any business-related field
Intended school:	Any accredited two or four-year university, college, or vocational school
Personal characteristics:	Dependable, hard-working, and demonstrating aptitude and desire for further education
Work history:	
Extra-curricular activities:	
Full or part-time student:	Full-time
Other Information:	

Teri Ann Hanners Fox attended Fairfield Center Elementary School, was a 1983 graduate of BHS and attended the University of Wisconsin - Sauk County. She was married to John Fox and had one daughter, Hannah Marie. Teri collapsed and died of undetermined cause at the age of 28 during a company function on September 17, 1993. At the time of her death Teri was the Office Manager at Del Tool Company in Baraboo, who is awarding this memorial scholarship.



**BCSC Scholarship Book (Student Version) 2023**  
**The Harry & Margaret Jantz Family Madison College Scholarship**

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Amount:	\$1,000
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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Any year graduate
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Grade point average:	B or C students only
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Financial need:	
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Intended career and/or major:	Any field of study available at MATC (Madison College)
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Intended school:	Madison College
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Personal characteristics:	Demonstrates personal responsibility, willingness to work, and respect for others
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Work history:	
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Extra-curricular activities:	
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Full or part-time student:	Full-Time, extenuating circumstances may be considered
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Other Information:	

A 1948 graduate of Baraboo High School, Harry Jantz was a fine neighbor, friend, and family man. Lifelong farming fostered a love for the land and nurtured a deeply-ingrained work ethic. As a farmer working for the DNR, Harry understood the concerns of the landowner and successfully balanced them with the policies of the forestry department. Harry was strong, hard-working, had high expectations, and a sense of humor that lightened the labor. He gave generously to his family, church, and community and was always ready to lend a hand.

**BCSC Scholarship Book (Student Version) 2023**  
**Timm B. Meyer Memorial Scholarship**

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Amount:	\$2,000
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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Current year graduate
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Grade point average:	B or better
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Financial need:	A primary consideration
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Intended career and/or major:	
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Intended school:	Any accredited two or four-year university, college or vocational school
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Personal characteristics:	Respectful, kind, helpful, motivated, having good attendance
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Work history:	Summer jobs
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Extra-curricular activities:	
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Full or part-time student:	Full-time
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Other Information:	

Timm B. Meyer was a respected local sportsman who was known for his enthusiasm and his kindness to other people. A graduate of BHS in 1969, he was an Air Force veteran and worked at Thunderbird Lanes. He was married to Joan Vlcek and had a 13-month old son, Matthew, when he died of cancer in December 1994. He was a loving husband and father. He had a great zest for life. This scholarship comes from his family and his many friends.

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**Tom and Glenyce Luck Scholarship**

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Amount: To Be Determined

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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School: Any year graduate

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Grade point average:

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Financial need: Will be considered

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Intended career and/or major:

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Intended school: Any accredited two- or four-year college or vocational school

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Personal characteristics:

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Work history:

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Extra-curricular activities:

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Full or part-time student:

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Other Information:

Tom and Glenyce Luck Scholarship

Wendy Sue Cahoon Scholarship

Amount:	\$1800
Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	Any year graduate, but prefer recent
Grade point average:	
Financial need:	A primary consideration
Intended career and/or major:	
Intended school:	Any accredited university, college, vocational or technical school
Personal characteristics:	Preference for anyone with diabetes or other handicap/disability; may be given even if there is no one that fits the diabetes or handicap
Work history:	
Extra-curricular activities:	
Full or part-time student:	Full-time unless extenuating circumstances
Other Information:	

Wendy Sue Cahoon was born May 30, 1968 in Baraboo. She was graduated from Baraboo High School in June 1986 and passed away on February 23, 1988 from complications of diabetes. Wendy was attending the Madison Area Technical College for tourism and recreation at the time of her passing away.

This scholarship is intended to support equal opportunity for access to higher education for the specified class.

**BCSC Scholarship Book (Student Version) 2023**  
**William A. Radtke Memorial Scholarship**

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Amount:	To be determined
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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	any year graduate
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Grade point average:	
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Financial need:	
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Intended career and/or major:	Automotive engineering, automotive design technology, automotive repair, automotive mechanics
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Intended school:	
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Personal characteristics:	
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Work history:	
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Extra-curricular activities:	
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Full or part-time student:	Full-time; extenuating circumstances may be considered
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Other Information:	

Bill was born Dec. 27, 1927 in Baraboo,. After graduating high school, Bill worked for the Chicago and Northwestern Railroad from 1945 to 1955. He took a leave of absence to serve his country in the United States Army during World War II from 1946 to 1947. After working with the railroad, he began employment with Cessna Aviation in Chicago until moving to Baraboo in 1960. Bill then became owner-operator of Kunzelman's Ice Cream Parlor on the square, as a third generation owner. Other careers included delivering milk for Valley Gold Dairy, laundry delivery for Badger Laundry and Dry Cleaning, working at Leahy American Motor of Baraboo, the Badger Army Ordnance Works as a heavy equipment operator for over 12 years, and worked in security and in the purchasing department for St. Clare Hospital for over 18 years. In addition, his most cherished job was as school bus driver for over 22 years, where he became known as "Mr. Bill" by all of his kids. Some of his hobbies included feeding the birds and squirrels, tending to his yard, anything related to old cars, traveling in his recreational vehicle down South or out West, and once traveling wasn't an option, Bill loved to tape TV shows and movies to share with his family.

William Benzies, Jr. Scholarship

Amount: \$3000

Date of Graduation from Baraboo School: Current year graduate

Grade point average: B average

Financial need: A primary consideration

Intended career and/or major:

Intended school: Any accredited two or four-year college or university in Wisconsin

Personal characteristics:

Work history:

Extra-curricular activities:

Full or part-time student: Full-time

Other Information:

Mr. Benzies founded the Benzies Fuel Co. in Baraboo and informally helped many young people go to college. He was active on the Baraboo School Board for many years as well as the MATC Board. He felt strongly that an education would open new opportunities and that one should always continue to learn and further oneself. Mr. Benzies worked hard to support his own education at the University of Illinois. Mrs. Benzies was active in AAUW and in the AFS group. She opened her home to the first foreign student attending BHS. She had a degree in French from UW-Madison. All three Benzies daughters graduated from the University of Wisconsin and two of them earned doctorates in their respective fields.

**BCSC Scholarship Book (Student Version) 2023**  
**Wilma Leonard Memorial Scholarship**

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Amount:	\$500
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Date of Graduation from Baraboo School:	
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Grade point average:	2.5 or higher
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Financial need:	
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Intended career and/or major:	
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Intended school:	Any accredited two- or four-year college or vocational school
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Personal characteristics:	Committed to their activity/ dependable
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Work history:	Employed at a minimum of part-time for a summer job or more; no specific job required
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Extra-curricular activities:	Community involvement in some form of volunteerism; must give length of commitment as well as number of hours of volunteerism completed
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Full or part-time student:	Full-time, but extenuating circumstances may be considered
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Other Information:	

Wilma Leonard was a long time Baraboo community member who valued education as well as volunteering in her community. Wilma held the belief that a solid education provided a person with a foundation to become a successful individual and, with that success, should come community service to give others the opportunity to succeed. It is with that selfless act of giving that we grow the heart of our communities. "It's easy to make a buck. It's a lot tougher to make a difference." - Tom Brokaw