



Harley B. Splitt Scholarship

Harley Splitt was born on May 23, 1923, on a farm in Union Township, Waupaca County. He attended State Road School, a rural one-room school where, for several years before and after graduation, he played the piano for annual Christmas programs. After graduation from Manawa Little Wolf High School in 1941 he enrolled at UW Madison. In March 1943 he entered into military service. Upon graduation from the Army Finance School he served in the Army Finance Department. After the war he returned to UW Madison. He graduated cum laude in 1947 with a Bachelor of Business Administration degree. He accepted a position with the State of WI Department of Revenue as a corporation field auditor. He then joined Fox River Tractor Company as chief accountant in January 1953. He served as a Board of Director and as Corporate Treasurer. When the company was sold to the Koehring Company he was retained as chief financial officer until Koehring sold the business to Piper Industries, Inc. in March 1981 and he was promoted to General Manager. Harley retired in 1988.



Harley passed away October 16, 2012. Until the week of his death he enjoyed playing golf. He was lucky enough to participate in an Old Glory Honor Flight to Washington D.C. with a few of his good friends. Harley was very involved in his community. Of all the charitable contributions he made, the one with the most personal impact was the Harley B. Splitt Scholarship Fund he established for graduates of Manawa Little Wolf High School.

Eligibility:

Graduating high school seniors from Manawa Little Wolf High School who plan to attend an accredited college or university. Ideal recipient will have demonstrated:

- Financial need
- Academic merit

Award Amount:

One \$700 per semester renewable scholarship award for tuition expenses for up to four years (**total \$5,600**) to a full-time student attending a four-year college or university.

Selection:

Recipients are selected each spring by the Little Wolf High School Scholarship Selection Committee.

Payment Procedure:

Scholarship payments will be released after submission of the following to the Community Foundation for the Fox Valley Region: completed scholarship verification form (located at www.cffoxvalley.org/scholarships) and verification of full-time student status (class schedule with credits listed). For subsequent semesters the student must submit all the above documentation along with prior semester's grade report (unofficial grade report will suffice). After approval of submitted documentation, the scholarship check will be paid directly to the school the recipient will be attending during first and second semesters. Most communications between the Community Foundation and the student will be via email; ***please keep us advised of your current email address.***

Loss of Eligibility:

Failure to maintain standing as a full-time student within a four-year college or university with a minimum 2.5 GPA for the first year and 2.75 GPA for subsequent years.

Further Information:

For more information regarding this scholarship please contact Little Wolf High School Guidance Office or visit the Community Foundation for the Fox Valley Region's website at www.cffoxvalley.org/scholarships or contact us at scholarships@cffoxvalley.org or 920-702-7619.