

Baumann Memorial Automotive Scholarship

Kenneth F. Baumann was born and raised in Shawano, Wisconsin, graduating from Shawano High School with the Class of 1962. He owned and operated Ken's Auto Repair where he did auto and truck repairs and auto body work. The Baumann Memorial Automotive Scholarship was established to not only honor Kenneth's memory and life work, but also to honor his deceased father, Arthur, who was a tractor and truck mechanic for Farmers Implement, his deceased brother, Rodney, who was an auto technician for Lasch Motors, his brother, Harold, who was a diesel truck mechanic for Catencamp, and his son, Kendall, a Master Auto Technician for Bergstrom Mercedes.



Eligibility:

Graduating high school senior from Shawano Community High School who is planning to go on to a technical college to pursue an automotive career in any of the following areas:

- Automotive Technician/Mechanic
- Diesel Truck Mechanic
- Auto Collision Repair Technician

The chosen candidate should show an aptitude for the automotive area and be involved with community projects.

Award Amount:

A \$500 scholarship award for tuition expenses for an automotive career (listed above) at the beginning of the first semester at technical college. An additional \$500 scholarship award may be given at the beginning of the second semester dependent upon the student remaining full time at a technical college in pursuit of an automotive career (listed above) with a 2.5 minimum grade point average at the end of the first semester.

Selection:

Recipient to be selected each spring by a committee consisting of the following:

- Shawano High School Principal
- Shawano High School Automotive Instructor
- Shawano High School Guidance Counselor
- Family member or descendant of Kenneth Baumann

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), verification of full time student status (class schedule with credits listed) and proof of participation in an automotive career listed above. After approval of submitted documentation, the scholarship check will be paid directly to the school the recipient will be attending during the first semester of the freshman year of college. For second semester, scholarship payment will be released after submission of the above documentation along with prior semester's grade report (unofficial grade report will suffice). 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 a 2.5 GPA while registered as a full time student in one of the automotive programs listed above.

Further Information:

For more information regarding payment process or to obtain scholarship forms please visit the Community Foundation for the Fox Valley Region's website at www.cffoxvalley.org/scholarships or contact us at scholarships@cffoxvalley.org or call 920-702-7619.