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Ellman Family Trades Scholarship Fund

This scholarship was established to provide awards for Brillion High School graduates planning to enter a career in the skilled trades. Jarred Ellman graduated high school in 1999 from Mason City High School in Mason City, Iowa. After high school he enrolled in North Iowa Area Community College to pursue a degree in HVAC (heating, ventilation and air conditioning). Upon graduation, Jarred worked locally where he also obtained his Master Plumbing license. In 2014 he and his wife Stephanie and their sons Braxton, Brooks and Bryar, moved to Brillion where he partnered into the local HVAC company, Fuhrmann Heating. Jarred's partnership helped expand the business into plumbing, and is now known as Fuhrmann Plumbing, Heating & Cooling, Inc.

The Ellman family recognizes the value of post-secondary education and helping those to pursue it.

Eligibility:

Graduating seniors of Brillion High School who are planning to pursue a post-secondary education in a trades field. (Examples: HVAC, maintenance, welding, electrical, construction, plumbing, machinist, mechanic, brick mason, etc.) The following will be taken into consideration to determine the recipient:

- Minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5
- Conscientious and hardworking
- Financial need

Award Amount:

One $750 non-renewable scholarship award for tuition expenses.

Selection:

Recipients are selected each spring by the Brillion High School Scholarship Selection Committee. Recipient information will be forwarded to the Community Foundation.

Payment Procedure:

Scholarship payment 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) along with verification of full-time student status (class list with credits) and proof of major. 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 post-secondary schooling. This scholarship cannot be deferred. 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 register as a full-time student for the first semester of freshman year at an accredited post-secondary school, pursuing a trades field of study.

Further Information:

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