Earl A. and Elaine M. Fetting Scholarship

Background:
Dr. Earl A. Fetting graduated from Appleton West High School, attended Lawrence University, and then transferred to Marquette School of Dentistry where he graduated in 1946. He also served with the U.S. Navy during WW II and interned at the Forsyth Dental Infirmary, in Boston. Dr. Fetting practiced dentistry in Sheboygan from 1949 – 1951 and in Appleton until his retirement in 1990.

Elaine loved to sing and studied voice privately at the Wisconsin Conservatory of Music and the Lawrence University Conservatory of Music. She performed in several operas at Lawrence University and sang lead parts in musicals with Attic Theater and The Riverside Players. Elaine also presented programs with children for the Appleton Memorial Hospital Auxiliary called “Petite Musicals.” This was one of her favorite activities.

Elaine and Earl enjoyed 47 years of happiness together until his passing in 2001. Prior to Elaine’s death in 2016, she initiated a bequest to establish this scholarship fund to support Fox Valley students who plan to attend Marquette University’s School of Dentistry with the cost of attendance.

Eligibility: (taken into consideration to determine recipients)
- Graduates of a high school in Fox Valley, Wisconsin who have been accepted into Marquette University’s School of Dentistry as a full-time student
- Financial need will be considered
- Preference will be given to graduates of Fox Valley Lutheran High School, in Appleton
- Students can reapply each year they are eligible

Award Amount:
Total of $30,000 available for scholarship(s), payable for the fall semester for cost of attendance. The scholarship can be awarded to 1 or 2 students annually.

Selection:
Selection will be recommended by staff at Marquette University School of Dentistry. If there are no current students in the graduate dental program that are qualified, the scholarship(s) may be awarded to undergraduate students at Marquette University who are working towards admittance into the dental program.

Collecting the Award & Payment Procedure:
Recipients must fill out and submit Scholarship Acceptance Form and Scholarship Verification Form through the Scholarship Portal (https://www.grantinterface.com/Home/Logon?urlkey=cffvrscholar). Recipients are required to provide supporting documents as instructed in the Scholarship Verification Form, such as class registration/list with credits listed, proof of major, grade transcript, etc.

After approval of online Scholarship Verification Form, the scholarship check will be paid directly to the school the recipient will be attending. The Community Foundation communicates with students via email; it is the student’s responsibility to keep their Scholarship Portal account updated with their current email address.

Further Information:
- Marquette University School of Dentistry
- Community Foundation for the Fox Valley Region
  - Website www.cffoxvalley.org/scholarships/
  - Email scholarships@cffoxvalley.org
  - Phone 920.702.7629