

James C. Weiss 'Against All Odds' Fellowship

Background:

James (Jim) Weiss was a valued member of the Liberty Hall Banquet and Conference Center senior management team for over 25 years. He passed away on August 4th, 2012 as a result of a tragic accident. Jim was loved and respected by those whose lives he touched. The James C. Weiss 'Against All Odds' Fellowship was established to honor and recognize Jim for his legendary leadership, exemplary work ethic and loyal dedication.



Eligibility: (taken into consideration to determine recipients)

- Sophomore or junior college students entering their junior or senior year at St. Norbert College
- Graduated from a high school in the Fox Cities (Appleton, Hortonville, Kaukauna, Kimberly, Little Chute, Menasha, Neenah)
- Pursuing a degree at St. Norbert College
- Minimum 3.0 cumulative GPA for the first 2 years of college
- Demonstrated learning outside the classroom, such as participation in activities, career development, and/or involvement in community service/service to others
- Demonstrated ability to succeed against all odds, leadership skills of steady determination, and unwavering commitment in the pursuit of excellence
- Students may apply each year they are eligible

Award Amount:

Two \$5,000 non-renewable scholarship awards for tuition expenses for fall semester.

Selection

Recipients are recommended each spring by Community Foundation Scholarship Selection Committee along with Mike Van Asten.

Collecting the Award & Payment Procedure:

Recipients must fill out and submit Scholarship Acceptance Form and Scholarship Verification Form through the <u>Scholarship Portal</u> (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.

Loss of Eligibility:

Failure to register as a full-time student entering their junior or senior year at St. Norbert College, in De Pere, Wisconsin.

Further Information:

- Community Foundation for the Fox Valley Region
 - Website <u>www.cffoxvalley.org/scholarships/</u>
 - o Email scholarships@cffoxvalley.org
 - o Phone 920.702.7629