

*Presented by the Fall Creek Area Foundation*

**“JOHN PRISSEL MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP”**

**\*\*\* ONE \$1,000 SCHOLARSHIP \*\*\***

**Qualification Criteria:**

1. Applicant must be a graduating senior attending Fall Creek High School.
2. Student must have completed at least one course in Agriculture or Technology Education.
3. Applicant must have completed at least one Social Studies elective course.
4. Applicants must have lettered in two sports while in high school.
5. The recipient must be planning to attend any accredited college, university, or technical college.

**Application Requirements:**

1. Application deadline is March 17, 2014.
2. The candidate should submit an essay (300-500 words) **on the following four topics (with one paragraph per topic blended into a coherent and well written document: A.) How has Fall Creek (the community and school) had an impact on your development as an individual, B.) In what ways have you displayed solid character in your individual growth, C.) What are your future educational plans, and D.) What has been the impact of your family in your personal growth and how will your family be important to you in your future.**
3. Students must submit a resume of extracurricular activities they have been involved with at and outside of school.
4. All applications should be sent or delivered to:
 

Ms. Laura Volbrecht  
Fall Creek High School  
336 E. Hoover Avenue  
Fall Creek, WI 54742  
[lauravolbrecht@fallcreek.k12.wi.us](mailto:lauravolbrecht@fallcreek.k12.wi.us)

**Scholarship Payment:**

1. Payment is made to the recipient and school by the Treasurer of the Fall Creek Area Foundation.
2. The recipient must provide grade transcripts to the Foundation Treasurer as proof of successful completion of each semester's course of study prior to payment.
3. Payment schedule is as follows:
  - One-half (\$500) to be paid after the completion of the first academic semester upon receipt of evidence that the student has maintained a “B” (3.0) average for the first semester and has registered for the upcoming semester.
  - Second-half (\$500) to be paid after the completion of the second academic semester upon the receipt of evidence that the student has maintained a “B” (3.0) average for the first academic year and has registered to continue for the next academic year.
4. The recipient must submit a grade transcript to the Foundation Treasurer, or make a written request for an alternative payment schedule, by December 31, 2015. Failure to comply will mean forfeiture of the scholarship.

**Additional Information:**

The student receiving the scholarship must, within one month of graduation from high school, write a letter of “thanks” to the sponsor and mail it to:

The Fall Creek Area Foundation  
PO Box 412  
Fall Creek, WI 54742

**Failure to comply will mean forfeiture of the scholarship.**

**Biographical Information:**

John was born on October 5, 1955, in Eau Claire, Wisconsin. He graduated from Durand High School in 1973. He moved to Fall Creek in October of 1976. His wife Pat and sons Matthew and Mark all graduated from Fall Creek High School. He worked for Tri-State Breeders/Accelerated Genetics as an AI technician for 35 years. John enjoyed fishing, hunting, collecting toy trucks, maintaining a beautiful yard, and gardening. In March 2010, while driving to Florida, John suffered an unexpected and tragic stroke that led to his death. He was a supporter of the Fall Creek community, school system, and athletic teams.