

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 3:15 PM, March 1, 2024.
2. The candidate should submit an essay of 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. Please proofread your submission to ensure correct spelling, grammar, and sentence structure.
5. Preference may be given to submissions that are NOT cut and pasted for multiple applications.
6. All applications should be completed via Google Classroom. If you have any questions or concerns, please email Ms. Volbrecht at lauravolbrecht@fallcreek.k12.wi.us or phone 715.788.1108. Thank you!

Scholarship Payment:

1. Scholarship checks will be made payable to the **recipient and school** by the Treasurer of the Fall Creek Area Foundation and mailed to the recipient's home or current address.
2. The recipient must provide a transcript to the Foundation Treasurer as proof of successful completion of each semester's courses and enrollment in the upcoming semester.
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. A written request for an alternative payment can be made to the Foundation Treasurer. All scholarships for the Class of 2024 will be distributed by the end of 2025.
5. Failure to comply with the requirements and deadlines will mean forfeiture of the scholarship.

Additional Information:

The student receiving the scholarship must write a thank you letter to the sponsor by June 30, 2024.

Mail to: The Fall Creek Area Foundation
PO Box 412
Fall Creek, WI 54742

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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.

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