



RAYMOND A. AND AMELLA P. BEILKE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

PURPOSE

To provide scholarships for Marathon High School graduating seniors who plan to pursue a post-secondary education at an accredited college or university in the fields of engineering, elementary education, nursing, pharmacy, or any other health care profession. The scholarship may be renewed for up to four years.

APPLICATION PROCESS

Students must complete the general scholarship application form through the school. The high school's scholarship selection committee will choose the recipient, which will be reviewed and approved by the Community Foundation's board of directors.

CRITERIA FOR SELECTION

- Graduating high school senior from Marathon High School
- Planning to attend an accredited college or university
- Who has maintained at least a 3.0 GPA on a 4.0 scale

The Amella P. Beilke Scholarship will be awarded to students who plan to pursue an education in elementary education, nursing, pharmacy, or any other health care profession

The Raymond A. Beilke Engineering Scholarship will be awarded to students planning to pursue an education in the engineering field

ANNOUNCEMENT

The recipients will be announced at their high school senior awards ceremonies in the spring. The recipients will receive a congratulatory letter from the Community Foundation after the awards ceremony, instructing them on how to receive their scholarship funding.

PAYMENT OF THE SCHOLARSHIP

The recipient must provide proof of registration to the Community Foundation office for payment to be initiated.

The Community Foundation will make payment directly to the college or university the student is attending. The scholarship is renewable for up to four years.

Raymond and Amella Beilke enjoyed separate and successful careers in the Marathon, Wisconsin area.

Equipped with ingenuity and a strong work ethic, Raymond embarked on a career as a successful dairy and ginseng farmer.

Following graduation from Marathon High School, Amella went on to earn a bachelor's degree and master's degree in elementary education, after which she pursued a fifteen-year career as an elementary school teacher.

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