

***SWEET HOME  
ALUMNI FOUNDATION***

**2024  
SCHOLARSHIP  
APPLICATION  
For 2024-25 Academic Year**



**SWEET HOME ALUMNI FOUNDATION  
PO BOX 83  
SWEET HOME, OREGON 97386**

# SWEET HOME ALUMNI FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS 2024

2024-25 Academic Year

Application Deadline: **APRIL 5, 2024**

Only one application is required for all the scholarships listed below. Please check all scholarship(s) for which you qualify and are applying. For those scholarships with extra selection requirements listed, all applications will still be considered but preference may be given to those applicants who meet the special selection requirements.

- Chuck E. McIntyre Memorial Scholarship**
  - Preference given to students entering Forestry or Construction trades
- L David & Janice Horner Family Scholarship**
  - Preference given to major in Agriculture, Business, or Music
- Cody McFarland Memorial Scholarship**
  - Preference given to major in Automotive or Metal Fabrication
- Tim & JoAnn McQueary Scholarship**
  - Preference given to major in School of Engineering, Technology, Science, and/or Medical Field
- Virginia M. Dossler Scholarship**
  - Preference given to Legal, Accounting, Technical or Nursing
- Norm & Donna Davis Memorial Scholarship**
  - Minimum 3.0 GPA
  - Must be a 4-year wrestler with minimum of 2 years at SHHS
  - 2 letters of reference from community members and 2 letters of reference from school personnel
- Loren & Ev Emmert Family Scholarship**
  - Preference given to majors in Medical or Education
- Donald O and Texas L Driggs Community Service Scholarship**
  - Minimum 3.0 GPA
  - **Provide one-page letter** that describes your volunteer work and commitment to community service
- Greg Hagle Memorial Scholarship**
  - Minimum 3.0 GPA
  - Must have participated in sports at Sweet Home HS
- Keesecker Family Scholarship**
  - Preference given to students enrolling in a Christian College or in Biblical studies
- Walraven-Schirmer Scholarship**
  - Must be pursuing a degree in the fields of Education or Human Health Care Services
- Baumgartner Family Scholarship**
  - Preference given to students majoring in the fields of Education or Forestry
- Lawrence Parker Scholarship**
  - Preference given to students entering Medical or Business fields
- Sweet Home Alumni Family Member Scholarship**
  - Parent, grandparent or legal guardian must be SHHS Alumni
- Chuck Smith Memorial Scholarship**
  - Minimum 2.0 GPA
  - Preference given to Law Enforcement majors
  - Must attend a Community College
  - If Law Enforcement major, one additional letter of recommendation from an active or retired person in Law Enforcement or Corrections must be included.
  - If Law Enforcement major, include a brief statement regarding why applicant wishes to seek a career in Law Enforcement and/or Corrections
- Robbie Melcher Memorial Scholarship Fund**
  - Preference given to applicants going into forestry and/or forestry engineering and/or applicants whose parents or family members worked in the logging industry
- Fun Forest, Inc. Scholarship**
  - Preference given to applicants going into forestry and/or forestry engineering and/or applicants whose parents or family members worked in the logging industry
- Casey "KC" Hanscam Memorial Scholarship**
  - Minimum 2.5 GPA
  - Preference given to majors in Literature
  - Preference to participants in Soccer or Track
- Pat & Ernie Baxter Memorial Scholarship**
  - Must be a male wrestler with at least 3 years of experience, some at varsity level, for SHHS
- Carlson Family Scholarship**
  - Preference given to students majoring in the fields of Education or Business
- Melissa Klumph Scholarship**
  - Preference given to majors in Education
- Sweet Home Kiwanis Club Scholarship**
  - Minimum 2.0 GPA
  - Preference given to members of a high school club associated with a nationally accredited service organization (Interact Club, etc.)
- Tony & Shelly Larson Scholarship**
  - Preference given to majors in Applied Life or Physical Science

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- Dean McQueen Memorial Scholarship**
  - Student must be majoring in the fields of Counseling, Psychology, or Information Technology
  - Minimum 3.5 GPA

- Grace Patch Scholarship**
  - Preference given to male students taking college classes that prepares the student for a trade or business. Must be attending Linn-Benton Community College. Renewable for a 2<sup>nd</sup> year, if qualified.

- Maureen Scanlon Haynes Scholarship**
  - Preference given to students showing strong financial need. SAI from the FAFSA must be shown on the application
  - Applicant must complete a less than 500 word statement demonstrating financial need
  - Minimum 3.0 GPA

- Keith Gabriel Memorial Scholarship**
  - Preference given to students entering the field of Education

- Donald & Glenda Hopkins Family Scholarship**
  - Minimum 2.5 GPA
  - Preference given to students entering the field of Education, Business, or Forestry and/or attending a trade or vocational school

The scholarship applicant must meet general criteria for the following SHAF Scholarships:

**Jim Riggs Memorial Scholarship**

**Velma J. Martin Memorial Scholarship**

**Sweet Home Alumni Foundation General Scholarships**

**The Millie Scholarship**

**Mona Waibel Scholarship**

**Sportsman-Sorseth Scholarship**

**Sweet Home Rotary Scholarship (paid out 2<sup>nd</sup> term of enrollment)**

**Gear Up Scholarship (a 2<sup>nd</sup> consecutive-year scholarship may be available for qualifying college students)**

# 2024 Criteria for SHAF Scholarships

Application Deadline: **April 5, 2024**

## **AWARD AMOUNT:**

- May vary. Scholarship funds may be used for tuition, books and/or fees at an accredited community college, college, university, or technical school in the United States.

## **WHO MAY APPLY?**

- Sweet Home High School graduating seniors with an end of first semester accumulative GPA of 2.75 or higher. (Exceptions: 3.0 GPA for the Norm Davis, D. & T. Driggs, Maureen Scanlon Haynes, and Greg Hagle Scholarships; 2.50 GPA for Casey “KC” Hanscam and D. & G. Hopkins Family Scholarships; 2.0 GPA for Chuck Smith and SH Kiwanis Scholarships).
- Applicants must have attended classes on the Sweet Home High School campus.
- All applicants must be a legal U.S. resident.

## **CONDITIONS OF AWARDS:**

- Each applicant must have applied to an accredited community college, college, university or technical school in the United States and be enrolled full time when the scholarship is dispersed.
- The Scholarship award will be sent to the educational institution at the beginning of the academic year. The institution will disperse the award in equal allotments based upon that institution’s academic year. (i.e., semester/quarter). Exception: Sweet Home Rotary Scholarship will be paid beginning in the 2<sup>nd</sup> term.
- If for any reason the recipient of this award is not able to attend the educational institution for any part of the year for which the award is made, all unused monies awarded will be returned to the Sweet Home Alumni Foundation. **We will not allow any extensions past the award year!**
- Applicants must be available for a personal interview.
- Applicants need to have completed the FAFSA form prior to enrollment at the accredited community college, college, university or technical school
- Return of the “Scholarship Acceptance Form” **by August 1st** following high school graduation. **The form must be received before scholarship funds are disbursed.**

## **COMPLETED APPLICATION INCLUDES:**

- SHAF Scholarship Application Form (Must be typed and printed as **one-sided format**)
- Two letters of reference from non-family members, (or more, if a scholarship requires additional letters).
- Resume that lists all activities student has participated in during the past four years and awards or honors received including work history, community, school, church, leadership experiences, participation in specific organizations, skills, hobbies, interests and any other extra-curricular activities.
- Copy of High School transcript through first semester.
- **Any additional information required as stated under scholarship name on page 2 and/or 3.** (Volunteer essay for Driggs Scholarship, additional letters of recommendation, financial need statement, etc.)

## **SUBMISSION DEADLINE:**

- Applications may be submitted to the Sweet Home Alumni Foundation, PO Box 83, Sweet Home, OR 97386 or dropped off with Mrs. Adams at the SHHS Career Center. All applications **must** be received on or before **APRIL 5, 2024**. **INCOMPLETE OR LATE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.**

## **NOTIFICATION TO APPLICANTS:**

- Your application containing personal information may be shared with individuals outside Sweet Home Alumni Foundation Board members for scholarship award selection purposes only.
- As a scholarship(s) winner, your name and dollar amounts awarded to you, as well as your photo may be shared on our media pages. **IF YOU WANT TO OPT OUT OF ALL MEDIA MENTIONS, PLEASE SIGN HERE \_\_\_\_\_**

- Recipients of scholarships will be announced at the Sweet Home High School Senior Awards Ceremony, held in late May or early June.

# Sweet Home Alumni Foundation **2024 Scholarship Application**

**Application Deadline: APRIL 5, 2024**

**Applicant's Name** \_\_\_\_\_ **Submitted 2024/25 FAFSA?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address** \_\_\_\_\_ **SAI (from FAFSA filing)**  
(Student Aid Index) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ **Telephone** \_\_\_\_\_

**Personal email address:** \_\_\_\_\_  
(To be used for future deadline reminders, so list a permanent email address)

**Complete the information below based on the parent(s) that you live with.**

**Father/Step Father Name** \_\_\_\_\_ **Check if Deceased** \_\_\_\_\_

**Occupation** \_\_\_\_\_ **Employer** \_\_\_\_\_

**Mother/Step Mother Name** \_\_\_\_\_ **Check if Deceased** \_\_\_\_\_

**Occupation** \_\_\_\_\_ **Employer** \_\_\_\_\_

**Number in Family (Please list all Dependent Children including Applicant)** \_\_\_\_\_

Name	Age	School	Year in School
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
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**College Planning to Attend** \_\_\_\_\_ **Field of Study** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Applied / Accepted (Circle one)**

**Are you enrolled in a Dual Partnership Program** \_\_\_\_\_ **Home School –** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Yes No (Circle One)** **Partner School –** \_\_\_\_\_

**Name of SHHS Alumni Family Member** \_\_\_\_\_ **Graduation Year** \_\_\_\_\_  
**(For SHAF Family Member Scholarship)** **of Alumni Member**

**Please complete the following. Attach a separate sheet if necessary.**

**Please write a brief statement discussing your educational and career goals.**

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**Please explain any special circumstances pertinent to this application. (Financial need, illness, others in college, plans for living at home, separation agreements etc. ) A less than 500 word statement of financial need is required for the Maureen Scanlon Haynes Scholarship.**

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**I HAVE READ AND COMPLETED THIS APPLICATION. I CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION IS CORRECT AND IS SUBMITTED WITH MY APPROVAL. I AUTHORIZE THE USE OF THE CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION BY THE SWEET HOME ALUMNI FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE, USING THIS APPLICATION AS BASIS OF AWARD. I HAVE NO OBJECTIONS TO THE PUBLIC USE OF MY NAME IN THE EVENT I AM A RECIPIENT OF AN AWARD.**

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**Applicant's Signature**  
  
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**Parent/Guardian Signature**  
  
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**Date**

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