

The William and Edna (Baker) Harrell Memorial Scholastic Scholarships

The William and Edna (Baker) Harrell Memorial Scholastic Scholarships were established to benefit graduating seniors of White River Valley High School. The scholarships are made possible by funds provided by the children of William and Edna (Baker) Harrell. William and Edna (Baker) Harrell were the parents of nine children, eight who graduated from Switz City High School and a young child who lived from 1947 to 1949. A plaque is on display in the school with the names and graduation dates of all the children.

Through these scholarships, the donors wish to provide financial assistance to students who hope to pursue further education in any approved field of their choice. These scholarships are to be given to two graduating senior of White River Valley High School. There will be two scholarships of the same value given to one boy and one girl. They will reside in Grant, Fairplay, or Smith Townships. The amount of the scholarships will be determined by yearly interest/dividends provided by the investment. The recipients of the The William and Edna (Baker) Harrell Memorial Scholastic Scholarships from the class of 2017 were awarded \$7,000 each.

Qualifications:

1. The candidates will have at least a GPA of 2.0 on a scale of 4.0.
2. The scholarships are to be given to a graduating senior for one year only.
3. The recipients must be accepted by an accredited college, university, junior college, technical school, approved trade school, or any institution, or further education in the United States.
4. The student must have attended all four years of high school at WRV.
5. Proof of excellent attendance. No more than (10) excused or unexcused absences for the past four (4) years in high school.
6. Include a 1-page letter of request stating:
 - Goals for college and future
 - Why you are a good candidate to receive this award

**The William and Edna (Baker) Harrell
Memorial Scholarship Application**

Date: _____

Applicant's Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Address: _____

Parent or Guardian: _____

Relationship to Harrell Family if any:

Township in which you reside(circle one): Grant Fairplay Smith

GPA: _____

Course of Study: _____

Name of Institution: _____

Location: _____

Proof of Acceptance if Possible

Applicant's Signature: _____

Please turn in application to the high school counselor's office

Due Date: April 15, 2018