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Photos of students may be available after 6/5/2023

**WI Counties Represented:** Columbia, Eau Claire, Fond du Lac, Manitowoc, Marathon, Outagamie, Ozaukee, Polk, Racine, St. Croix, Wood

**WI Communities Represented:** Amery, Birnamwood, Burlington, Columbus, Fall Creek, Kansasville, Luck, Manitowoc, Mequon, New Richmond, Pardeeville, Rosendale, Schiocton, Stratford, Woodville

## **WISCONSIN 4-H FOUNDATION 2023 SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS ANNOUNCED**

*Madison, Wis.* [May 15, 2023] - The Wisconsin 4-H Foundation is proud to announce this year's scholarship recipients. This year was another extremely competitive year, with only the top 5% of all applicants receiving scholarships. Scholarships are awarded through company and individual endowed funds by supporters who share a passion for 4-H and the leadership and life skills it teaches.

This year's scholarship winners are:

### **Harold and Irene Hendrickson Memorial Scholarship**

\$2,500 scholarship, two awarded

- **Autumn Lorenz** of Schiocton, Outagamie County
- **Sam Mess** of Rosendale, Fond du Lac County

### **Oscar G. & Mary W. Woelfel Memorial Scholarship**

\$1,500 scholarship, two awarded; \$1,000 scholarship, two awarded

- **Rabeka Liberto** of Kansasville, Racine County (\$1,500)
- **David Thompson** of Woodville, St. Croix County (\$1,500)
- **Courtney Glena** of Amery, Polk County (\$1,000)
- **Brooke Luedtke** of Pardeeville, Columbia County (\$1,000)

### **Frances & Phyllis Conrad Memorial Scholarship**

\$1,000 scholarship, two awarded

- **Milana Meisner** of Manitowoc, Manitowoc County
- **Talise Meisner** of Manitowoc, Manitowoc County

### **T.L. Bewick Memorial Scholarship**

\$1,500 scholarship, three awarded

- **Ann Boland** of Luck, Polk County
- **Samantha Budtke** of Stratford, Wood County
- **Maria Lee** of Mequon, Ozaukee County



### **Culver's 4-H Scholarship**

\$1,000 scholarship, two awarded

- **Erin Bartleson** of Burlington, Racine County
- **Molly Damm** of Columbus, Columbia County

### **Cynthia Hoehne Scholarship Award**

\$1,000 scholarship, one awarded

- **Allison Duerkop** of Fall Creek, Eau Claire County

### **Elizabeth Salter-Eby Memorial Scholarship**

\$800 scholarship, one awarded

- **Amelia Dittman** of New Richmond, St. Croix County

### **Betty Krueger Memorial Scholarship**

\$600 scholarship, one awarded

- **Emily Pla** of Birnamwood, Marathon County

The Wisconsin 4-H Foundation awards scholarships annually to outstanding Wisconsin students pursuing higher education. Scholarship recipients are selected based on demonstrated personal growth, development and leadership, academic performance and future educational goals. This year over \$20,000 in scholarships were awarded.

The Wisconsin 4-H Foundation, based in Madison, Wisconsin, provides essential funding for 4-H programs throughout Wisconsin. Nearly 150,000 youth and more than 22,000 volunteers participate in and support Wisconsin 4-H programs. By partnering with individuals, corporations and foundations, the Foundation supports 4-H youth who take part in various 4-H leadership, development, and community-building activities throughout the state. Learn more about the Wisconsin 4-H Foundation by visiting [www.Wis4HFoundation.org](http://www.Wis4HFoundation.org).

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