

Friends of Horicon Marsh Education and Visitor Center

Horicon Marsh State Wildlife Area
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FRIENDS OF HORICON MARSH MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

The Friends of Horicon Marsh Education and Visitor Center, would like to award an annual scholarship of \$1,000.00 to an eligible high school graduate within the surrounding communities of the Horicon Marsh. This scholarship is meant to inspire us to give back and promote the conservation of Wisconsin's Natural Resources for future generations. This scholarship is made possible by and administered by the Friends of Horicon Marsh Education and Visitor Center.

We invite graduating public or private school students, and/or home school scholars in Wisconsin to apply for consideration. Priority will be given to students within Dodge and Fond du Lac Counties.

Applicants must meet criteria for scholarship eligibility as follows:

1. Must be graduating High School with a cumulative grade point average of 2.5 GPA or better;

AND

2. Acceptance to an accredited college program leading to a Bachelor of Science degree focused on Environmental Sciences, Natural Resource Management, Forestry, or Wildlife Biology.

OR

3. Acceptance to an accredited technical college program leading to an Associate of Science focused on Natural Resource Management or Certificate/Technical Diploma in Forest Management, Habitat & Land Use Management, or Wildland Fire.

Required application materials to be submitted:

- Cover sheet listing your name, address, phone number, and email (please include parent/guardian contact information if under 18 years old).
- Copy of **most recent** high school transcripts (please include previous fall semester)
- Acceptance letter from Accredited College or Technical College Program
- 500 word personal essay answering the following question: Why do you want to obtain an education in Natural Resource Management or the Environmental Sciences and what volunteer or work opportunities have fostered this desire?

All materials can be mailed to:

Fond du Lac Area Foundation
c/o Horicon Marsh Scholarship
1020 S. Main St. Ste. E
Fond du Lac, WI 53935

APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY APRIL 15