

Alma Ness Scholarship

Applications must be postmarked by April 1st, 2022.

Mailed to: Alma Ness Scholarship
39890 120th Ave
Pelican Rapids Mn 56572

Who was Alma Ness

Alma was born in 1905 and grew up near Rothsay. She attended high school in Pelican Rapids and attended Park Region College (now Hillcrest) in Fergus Falls. Alma taught in rural schools around Rothsay and Erhard for forty-four years.

Purpose of this scholarship

To provide a financial award of \$500 to one high school senior attending school in Pelican Rapids who will be pursuing a post-secondary degree with preference given to someone entering the education/teaching field or a field working with youth.

Requirements

- Be a high school senior who will graduate in the spring of 2022.
- Completed application form.
- An essay (no more than 500 words) addressing the three questions
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Selection Process

The candidate's application will be reviewed by the Alma Ness Committee to determine the recipient of the scholarship. Preference will be given to youth pursuing a career in education/teaching. Scholarship winners will be selected sometime in April. You will not be notified if you do not receive this scholarship. All applications will be destroyed after selection. There shall be no discrimination because of race, age, sex, or religion of the nominee. One \$500 dollar scholarship will be payable to the recipients educational institution for tuition.

Student Information

Name_____

Address_____

City_____ State _____ Zip_____

Phone Number_____ Email Address_____

List high school activities (student government, sports, publications, school-sponsored community service programs, arts, music, etc.). List public service and community activities that you are involved in outside of school.

Write an essay of 500 words or less and tell us:

- Describe the educational program you intend to pursue.
- Why do you want to go into this field?
- What do you hope to do and what position do you hope to have upon completing your college studies?