

Scholarship In Memory of Classmate, Jane Marie Gross

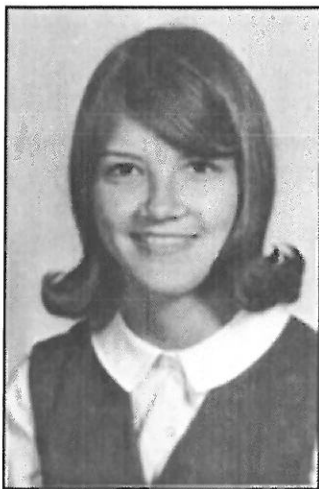
The Wahoo Public Schools Foundation announced in the Fall of 2015, a new scholarship for graduating seniors intending to attend the University of Nebraska-Lincoln. This new scholarship was made possible by the generosity of Wahoo High School alum, Dr. Greg Haessler of Urbandale, IA.

Dr. Haessler, a 1968 graduate of Wahoo High School, contacted the Wahoo Public Schools Foundation to set up this scholarship in memory of Jane Marie Gross, a close friend and classmate while attending Wahoo High School. Ms. Gross passed away in her sophomore year as a result of a rare blood disease. Her untimely death, while a shock to the Wahoo community, inspired Haessler to pursue a medical degree and ultimately a career in the medical field. Dr. Haessler retired from The Principal Financial Group as Vice-President and Chief Medical Director after a 30-year career with that company. This scholarship in her honor is purposeful in that as Dr. Haessler was inspired to go into medicine, this may enable others to get a good start in their education and also achieve a meaningful career of service and help to others.

The annual \$2,500 scholarship will be awarded to a WHS senior who will be attending the University of Nebraska – Lincoln, with preference to those pursuing a degree in a health related field.

The Wahoo Public Schools Foundation exists for the support and benefit of the Wahoo Public Schools. The Foundation provides financial support in the form of scholarships and other programs beneficial in forwarding the mission and purpose of the Wahoo Public Schools systems.

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Jane Marie Gross
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JANE MARIE GROSS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

(New 2016)

Eligibility:

1. A graduating senior from Wahoo High School for the current school year.
2. Attending the University of Nebraska at Lincoln.
3. Preference will be given to a student who plans to pursue a degree in a health-related field.

Amount: \$2500, one-year, non-renewable award.

Deadline: March 1 of student's high school graduation year

Guidelines:

1. Complete application.
2. If you are selected for this scholarship, you are required to provide *confirmation of enrollment from the institution you plan to attend*. This information needs to be mailed to the Wahoo Scholarship Foundation Treasurer before a check can be disbursed to the institution you are planning to attend. You may send the confirmation of enrollment letter in care of:

Wahoo Public Schools
Attn: Wahoo Scholarship Foundation Treasurer
2201 N. Locust
Wahoo, NE 68066

3. Please type the following information on a *separate sheet of paper entitled with the name of the scholarship*.

- Your legal name
- Your full address, email, and phone contact information.
- Your parent/guardian(s) full name
- Graduating Class
- Date
- Official name of the post-graduate institution you plan to attend.
- The full addresses of the post-graduate institution's Billing, and Scholarship & Financial Aid offices.
- Include any other information you deem is important to the Scholarship Committee to consider.
- Attach confirmation of admittance to the post-graduate institution (letter of acceptance).
- Return the information to the Guidance Office no later than March 1st of your high school graduating year.