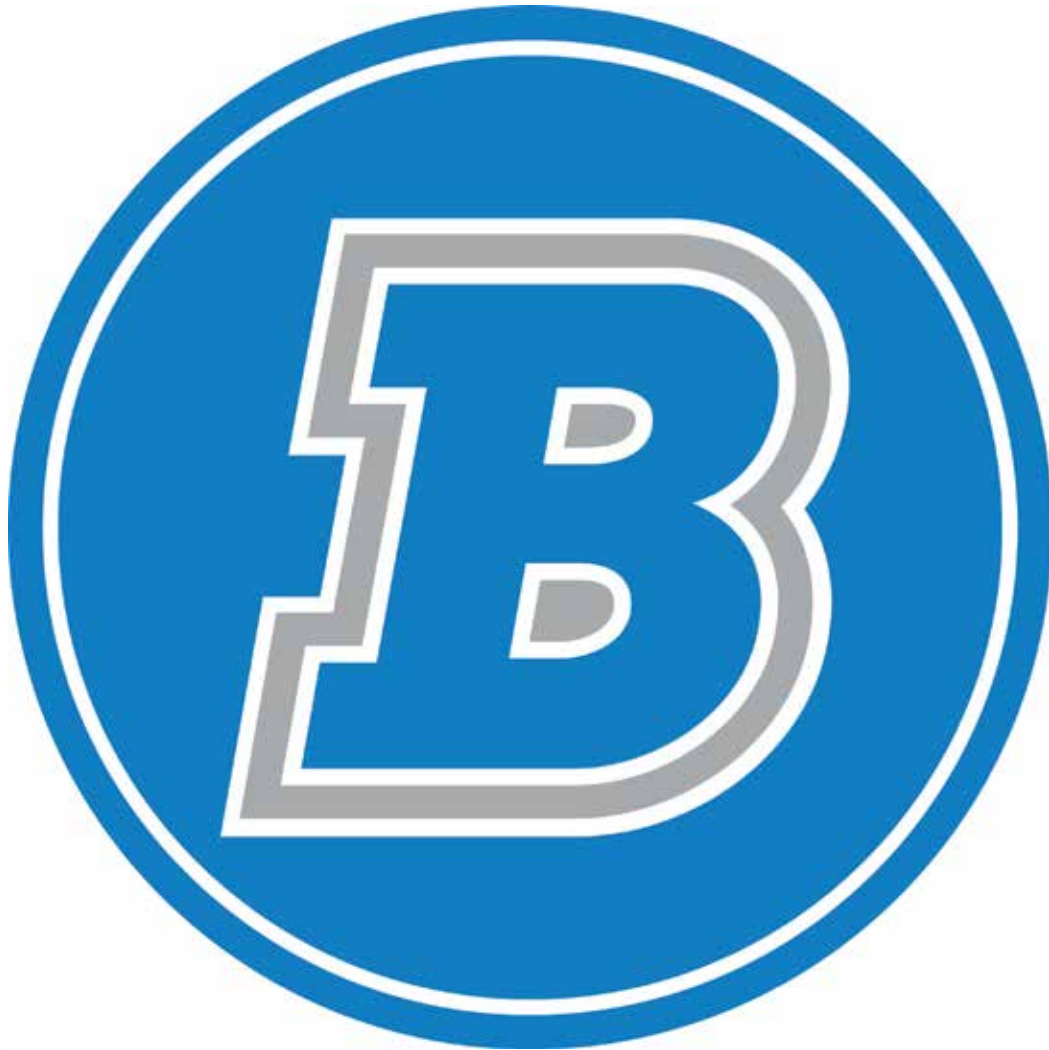


BRAINERD HIGH SCHOOL

Scholarship Recognition



Wednesday, May 21st
2025



Welcome from the Principal

On behalf of Brainerd High School, it is my pleasure to welcome you to the Brainerd Public Schools Scholarship Recognition Program—an evening dedicated to celebrating the remarkable achievements of our graduating seniors.

Tonight, we honor seniors who have been awarded scholarships in the areas of academics, arts, activities, athletics, and service. These awards recognize not only talent and hard work, but also the character, leadership, and dedication that define the Brainerd High School experience.

We are deeply grateful for the generous support of our local businesses, community organizations, and families, whose contributions have made these scholarships possible. Your investment in our students' futures is a powerful reminder of the strength and spirit of our Brainerd community.

A special thank you to the Brainerd Public Schools Foundation for sponsoring and supporting this evening. Your continued partnership plays a vital role in helping our students pursue their dreams and reach their full potential.

To our scholarship recipients—congratulations! We are proud of all that you have accomplished and look forward to all that you will achieve. Thank you for joining us in celebrating these exceptional students and the generous community that stands behind them.

Andrea Rusk
Brainerd High School Principal



Scholarship Recognition Ceremony

Welcome

Andrea Rusk, Brainerd High School Principal
Peter Grant, Superintendent of Brainerd Public Schools



Brainerd Public Schools Foundation

Jessica Gangl, Brainerd Public Schools Foundation Executive Director

Presentation of Scholarships & Recognition

Brainerd Public Schools Foundation Scholarships
Community & External Scholarships
Military Awards & Certificates

Closing Remarks

Andrea Rusk, Brainerd High School Principal

Thank You

A shout out to the Class of 2025. We are excited to see where your next steps take you!

"Often when you think you're at the end of something, you're at the beginning of something else." -Fred Rogers



thank you
**TO OUR
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WHAT TO EXPECT:

- **Connect:** Donors and Students
- Stand to be recognized
- Smile for photo
- Hold applause



congratulations
**CLASS OF
2025!**

The Brainerd Public Schools Foundation



Founded in 1987, the Brainerd Public Schools Foundation's (BPSF) mission is to enhance opportunities for quality academics, arts, activities and athletics for student of the Brainerd Public Schools. Each year BPSF awards numerous scholarships to graduating seniors. Students must complete an electronic Brainerd High School general scholarship application to be eligible to receive a BPSF hosted scholarship. BPSF is proud to be awarding \$226,625 in scholarships this year! **CONGRATULATIONS TO THE CLASS OF 2025!**

BPSF SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

<i>BPSF SCHOLARSHIP AWARD</i>	<i>STUDENT</i>	<i>AMOUNT</i>
Aitkin Rebekah Lodge Scholarship	Paul Oltman	\$650
Alan Cibuzar Memorial Scholarship	Derek Halbur	\$1,000
Alexis Laughton Prayer for Peace Scholarship	Kylissa O'Connor	\$500
Allegra Marketing-Print-Mail Scholarship	Hannah Phillips	\$250
Alpha Delta Kappa Beverly Jondahl Scholarship	Maverick Badeaux	\$400
Alpha Delta Kappa Bonnie Cumberland Scholarship	Bradlee Bean	\$600
Alpha Delta Kappa Sorority Scholarship	Hailey Nelson	\$500
American Legion Post 255 Al Broman Memorial Scholarship	Madelyn Holmstrom	\$1,000
American Legion Post 255 Dewayne Collins Memorial Scholarship	Triston Kubista	\$1,000
American Legion Post 255 Frank Vadnais Memorial Scholarship	Bishop Noetzel	\$1,000
American Legion Post 255 Henry C Mills II Memorial Scholarship	Caitlyn Clark	\$1,000
American Legion Post 255 Steve Eide Memorial Scholarship	Kiley Jendro	\$1,000
American Legion Post 255 James Klang Memorial Scholarship	Ameah Garner	\$400
Anna W. Olson Memorial Scholarship	Ayricca Alexander	\$1,525
Anna W. Olson Memorial Scholarship	Alexander Andrist	\$1,525
Anna W. Olson Memorial Scholarship	Mackenzie Benesh-Johnson	\$1,525
Anna W. Olson Memorial Scholarship	Leo Justin	\$1,525
Anna W. Olson Memorial Scholarship	Grace Olson	\$1,525
Anna W. Olson Memorial Scholarship	Rihanna Ramos-Colon	\$1,525
Anna W. Olson Memorial Scholarship	Leila Sawvel	\$1,525
AP Capstone Scholarship	Jagger Klecatsky	\$1,000
Arlo V. Renschler Memorial Scholarship	Atraeu Trujillo	\$550
Baxter Elementary PTO Scholarship	Kiley Hart	\$250
Baxter Elementary PTO Scholarship	Myah Ruether	\$250
Baxter Lions Club Scholarship	Aizlynn Ford	\$1,075
Baxter Lions Club Scholarship	Jaymie Hamilton	\$1,075
Baxter Lions Club Scholarship	Carter Mielke	\$1,075
Baxter Lions Club Scholarship	Raegen Roberts	\$1,075
Bob and LaVonne Danzl Family Memorial Scholarship	Loren Decker	\$250
Bob Johnson Memorial Art Scholarship	Maverick Badeaux	\$700
Bob Kinzel Memorial Scholarship	Ericah Folden	\$250
BPSF 4A Academics Scholarship	Kate Boberg	\$1,000

<i>BPSF SCHOLARSHIP AWARD</i>	<i>STUDENT</i>	<i>AMOUNT</i>
BPSF 4A Academics Scholarship	Straton Pribula	\$1,000
BPSF 4A Activities Scholarship	Mckenna Constance	\$1,000
BPSF 4A Activities Scholarship	Stella Lundberg	\$1,000
BPSF 4A Arts Scholarship	Lila Doyle	\$1,000
BPSF 4A Arts Scholarship	Isabella Volkl	\$1,000
BPSF 4A Athletics Scholarship	Sophia Blanck	\$1,000
BPSF 4A Athletics Scholarship	Chadrick King	\$1,000
BPSF CTE Scholarship	Owen Cash	\$1,000
BPSF CTE Scholarship	Samuel Joque	\$1,000
Brainerd Basketball Association Scholarship	Garrett Gilbert	\$1,000
Brainerd Basketball Association Scholarship	Kylee Soens	\$1,000
Brainerd Basketball Association Scholarship	Mya Tautges	\$1,000
Brainerd Basketball Association Scholarship	Eli Tautges	\$1,000
Brainerd Baxter Baseball Association Scholarship	Kyler Carlson	\$1,000
Brainerd Baxter Baseball Association Scholarship	Nathan Chaussee	\$1,000
Brainerd Baxter Baseball Association Scholarship	Eli Tautges	\$1,000
Brainerd Baxter Baseball Association Scholarship	Braxton Tautges	\$1,000
Brainerd Baxter Baseball Association Scholarship	Izaac Vanek	\$1,000
Brandon Dahl Memorial Scholarship	Arlo Biermaier	\$1,000
Bremer Bank of Brainerd Scholarship	Amelia Dumpprope	\$500
Brighter Days Foundation Scholarship	Emelia Cosert	\$1,500
Brighter Days Foundation Scholarship	Ava Herriges	\$1,500
C. Elmer and Lillian Anderson Memorial Scholarship	Benjamin Stadum	\$2,000
Carrie Krueger Memorial Scholarship	McKenna Lindroth	\$400
Chloe Museus Memorial Scholarship	Julia Schmeck	\$1,500
Class of 1945 Scholarship	Meliana Reyes	\$575
Class of 1946 Scholarship	Jace Grieser	\$575
Class of 1954 Scholarship	Gracy Seed	\$500
Class of 1961 Scholarship	Mack Foss	\$350
Class of 1969 Scholarship	Loren Decker	\$600
Class of 1972 Scholarship	Alexia Nieman	\$500
Class of 1976 Scholarship	Morgan Carey	\$1,000
Clayton Haglin Memorial Scholarship	Bailey Rosekrans	\$650
Clem & Vi Koering Memorial Scholarship	Adam Lokken	\$8,000
Clifford & Gwendolyn Greenwalt Memorial Scholarship	Autumn Schiller	\$2,160
Crow Wing Power Scholarship	Brianna Alderson	\$1,500
Crow Wing Power Scholarship	Joshua Anderson	\$1,500
Crow Wing Power Scholarship	Lillian Anderson	\$1,500
Crow Wing Power Scholarship	Kaya Anderson	\$1,500
Crow Wing Power Scholarship	Anthony Austin	\$1,500
Crow Wing Power Scholarship	Abigail Bakken	\$1,500

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4A grant fund, or to become a
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jessica.bpsf@gmail.com

<i>BPSF SCHOLARSHIP AWARD</i>	<i>STUDENT</i>	<i>AMOUNT</i>
Crow Wing Power Scholarship	Libby Lake	\$1,500
Crow Wing Power Scholarship	Waylon Larson	\$1,500
Crow Wing Power Scholarship	Sullivan LaVoie	\$1,500
Crow Wing Power Scholarship	Ava Loney	\$1,500
Crow Wing Power Scholarship	Ava Lust	\$1,500
Crow Wing Power Scholarship	Camyla Marohn	\$1,500
Crow Wing Power Scholarship	Payton Miller	\$1,500
Crow Wing Power Scholarship	Brooke Mulholland	\$1,500
Crow Wing Power Scholarship	Ella Owens	\$1,500
Crow Wing Power Scholarship	Hannah Phillips	\$1,500
Crow Wing Power Scholarship	Elizabeth Rademacher	\$1,500
Crow Wing Power Scholarship	Elizabeth Sarvie	\$1,500
Crow Wing Power Scholarship	Emerald Searcy	\$1,500
Crow Wing Power Scholarship	Zoey Smith	\$1,500
Crow Wing Power Scholarship	Jaret Soxman	\$1,500
Crow Wing Power Scholarship	Raquel Tulenchik	\$1,500
Crow Wing Power Scholarship	Brooke Wenz	\$1,500
Crow Wing Power Scholarship	Dylan Wikoff	\$1,500
Crow Wing Power Scholarship	Ella Yaunick	\$1,500
CTC Scholarship	Nora Nichols	\$500
CTC Scholarship	Wyatt Paulson	\$500
Daniel, William, & Mark Wheeler Memorial Scholarship	Raeann Hanson	\$850
Deerwood Bank College Scholarship	Brianna Finnegan	\$750
Deerwood Bank Technical College Scholarship	Cole DeSmith	\$750
Derrick Hanson Memorial Scholarship	Kaden Schilling	\$250
Don Adamson Memorial Scholarship	Nora Behr	\$650
Don Johnson Memorial Scholarship	Ameah Garner	\$250
Donna Whalen Memorial Scholarship	Waylon Larson	\$200
Dr. Gene Bierhaus Athletic Scholarship	Axton Svir	\$850
Dr. Rudd Thabes - Suzanne Ribbel Scholarship	Cooper Baillif	\$500
Duane Doucette VFW Athletic Scholarship	Joze Tautges	\$350
Elaine Veit Memorial Scholarship	Brooke Mulholland	\$300
Essentia Health Scholarship	Malorie Otto	\$500
Everett Nelson Music Scholarship	Jeremiah Slaughter	\$600
Federated COOPS Scholarship	Carter Miller	\$1,965
First Western Bank & Trust Scholarship	Alexander Andrist	\$250
First Western Bank & Trust Scholarship	Ayden Bednarek	\$250
First Western Bank & Trust Scholarship	Ana Bjorklund	\$250
First Western Bank & Trust Scholarship	Sophia Blanck	\$250
First Western Bank & Trust Scholarship	Kate Boberg	\$250
First Western Bank & Trust Scholarship	Caitlyn Clark	\$250

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Garfield Elementary Scholarship
Gary Gorman Memorial Scholarship
Gene Sundberg Pilot's Scholarship
Good Samaritan Society Scholarship
Good Samaritan Society Scholarship
Gordy Langness Scholarship
Harrison Elementary Scholarship
Harvey Shew Memorial Scholarship
Hershey Family Scholarship

STUDENT

AMOUNT

Grace Cowell	\$250
Karley Dunham	\$250
Jace Grieser	\$250
Brynn Haapajoki	\$250
Madelyn Holmstrom	\$250
Kyle Peterson	\$250
Abbigail Larson	\$250
Stella Marohn	\$250
Kristy Moore	\$250
Ty Nelson	\$250
Brooke Olson	\$250
Eli Tautges	\$250
Mya Tautges	\$250
Ella Yaunick	\$250
Samantha Tesauro	\$250
Ivy Debeltz	\$250
Derek Halbur	\$1,000
Aizlynn Ford	\$300
Isabella Volkl	\$300
Reegen Isle	\$1,500
Hailey DeCent	\$300
Henry Hartwig	\$250
Joseph Neumann	\$20,000

BPSF SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

Irene M. Rugloski Memorial Scholarship
Jack Fish Memorial Scholarship
Jacob Borgstrom - We Stand with Jacob Scholarship
Jake Haapajoki Wiffle Series Scholarship
Jan Koski Memorial Scholarship
Joey Halvorson Legacy Scholarship
John A. Benson Memorial Scholarship
John A. Benson Memorial Scholarship
Jon Jelacic Memorial Athletic Scholarship
Judy Bialka Memorial Scholarship
Lakes Area BMX Scholarship
Larry Strand Memorial Scholarship
Leonard "Ole" Howard Memorial Scholarship
Linda Ann Gustafson Memorial Scholarship
LINDAR Corporation Scholarship
Lowell Elementary PTA Scholarship
Lowell Elementary PTA Scholarship
Mac Carkhuff Athletic Memorial Scholarship
Madi Finnegan Memorial Scholarship
Mark Embretson Memorial Scholarship
Matthew Gaffney Memorial Scholarship
Maynard Ketterling Memorial Athletic Scholarship
Mid MN Federal Credit Union Scholarship
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Mike and Carol Smith Music Scholarship
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Nisswa Women's Club Scholarship
Nor-Son Construction Scholarship
Patricia Marchel Memorial Scholarship
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Roy & Mildred Sargent Family Scholarship
Roy & Mildred Sargent Family Scholarship
Ruth Padgett Memorial Scholarship
School Board & School Administrators Scholarship
Smile Scholarship
Smile Scholarship
Steven Kuhn Memorial Scholarship
Stewart C. Mills, Sr. Memorial Scholarship

STUDENT

Julia Schmeck
Samuel Kalthoff
Sullivan LaVoie
Sophie Jensen
Kadynce Tonn
Kylee Soens
Karley Dunham
Finnegan Jackman
Nolan Langerman
Isabella Simota
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Kaden Schilling
Luke Fenstad
Sasha Lytle
Aidan Roberts
Madelyn Miller
Josephine Maurer
Eli Tautges
Myah Ruether
Jaxson DeRosier
Silas Arndt
Andrew Wood
Samuel Kalthoff
Reese Glynn
Bridget Wells
Treydn Hendrickson
Bridget Wells
Audrey Breen
Madelyn Schneider
Tucker Schwartz
Stella Marohn
Kristy Moore
Reign Wegscheid
Waylon Larson
Greta Gearey
Brayden Goggleye
Leo Justin
Nathan Chaussee

AMOUNT

\$800
\$1,000
\$275
\$500
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\$500
\$250
\$1,000
\$1,000
\$250
\$1,400

BPSF SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

Stewart C. Mills, Sr. Memorial Scholarship
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Susan Pettit Memorial Scholarship
Tamie Swanson Memorial Scholarship
Tammy Bluth Memorial Scholarship
Thelen Heating & Roofing Scholarship
Tyler L. Spaulding Scholarship
Visit Brainerd Scholarship
William Dammann Athletic Scholarship
William Eng M.D. & Family Scholarship for the Most Improved

STUDENT

Rylie Goble
Ty Nelson
Clark Haglin
Brynn Haapajoki
Drew Cline
Rhys Boser
Sophie Schamber
Jaelyn Wharton
Abbigail Larson
Amelia Bistodeau

AMOUNT

\$1,400
\$1,400
\$600
\$4,000
\$300
\$1,000
\$2,000
\$500
\$450
\$250



How do I claim my BPSF scholarship award?

AFTER your first semester of college is complete (final grades are posted), you can submit your online request for payment. bpsf.org/scholarships

You will need:

1. Your college's Financial Aid Office mailing address
2. Student ID number
3. Unofficial college transcript showing end of semester posted grades with your name printed as part of the document

****Please mail a thank-you note directly to the scholarship donor within 30 days.**** Donor thank you information can be found in your scholarship award packet. (Red letter)

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WHAT IS BPSF?

The Brainerd Public Schools Foundation is a not-for-profit 501c3 organization that exists to support the Brainerd Public Schools in various ways; including scholarships and providing 4A Grants to staff and coaches. The 4A Grants cover academics, activities, arts and athletics.

Community & External Scholarships

Many local and statewide organizations, businesses and individual donors generously sponsor scholarships for Brainerd Public Schools seniors. The following students filled out an application, separate from BPSF, for each of these community & external scholarships.

COMMUNITY or EXTERNAL SCHOLARSHIP AWARD	STUDENT	AMOUNT
American Red Cross Blood Drive Scholarship	Ava Herriges	\$300
American Red Cross Blood Drive Scholarship	Lily Knoepke	\$800
American Red Cross Blood Drive Scholarship	Ava Lust	\$300
American Red Cross Blood Drive Scholarship	Elizabeth Rademacher	\$800
American Red Cross Blood Drive Scholarship	Autumn Schiller	\$300
Brainerd Aurora Lodge #100 Scholarship	Ayricca Alexander	\$1,500
Brainerd Blue Line Boosters Scholarship	Ericah Folden	\$1,500
Brainerd Blue Line Boosters Scholarship	Gaje Germundson	\$1,500
Brainerd Blue Line Boosters Scholarship	Dylan Haar	\$1,500
Brainerd Chapter MN Deer Hunters Association Scholarship	Ericah Folden	\$500
Brainerd Chapter MN Deer Hunters Association Scholarship	Autumn Schiller	\$1,000
Brainerd Elks Lodge #615 - Elks Student of the Month Scholarship	Brianna Finnegan	\$250
Brainerd Noon Rotary S.T.R.I.V.E. Scholarship	Aurora Addison	\$500
Brainerd Noon Rotary S.T.R.I.V.E. Scholarship	Brianna Boring	\$500
Brainerd Noon Rotary S.T.R.I.V.E. Scholarship	Savanna Buesgens	\$500
Brainerd Noon Rotary S.T.R.I.V.E. Scholarship	Brenna Collins	\$500
Brainerd Noon Rotary S.T.R.I.V.E. Scholarship	Devin Johnson	\$500
Brainerd Noon Rotary S.T.R.I.V.E. Scholarship	Seven Loving	\$500
Brainerd Noon Rotary S.T.R.I.V.E. Scholarship	Reid Quirin	\$500
Brainerd Noon Rotary S.T.R.I.V.E. Scholarship	Korde Roseman	\$500
Brainerd Noon Rotary S.T.R.I.V.E. Scholarship	David Unzueta	\$500
Brainerd Noon Rotary S.T.R.I.V.E. Scholarship	Owen Vasalofsky	\$500
Brainerd Noon Rotary S.T.R.I.V.E. Scholarship	Elijah Windorski	\$500
Cecelia E. Granos Memorial Scholarship	Reese Glynn	\$2,000
Education MN Brainerd Scholarship	Madelyn Miller	\$1,000
Education MN Brainerd Scholarship	Ty Nelson	\$1,000

COMMUNITY or EXTERNAL SCHOLARSHIP AWARD	STUDENT	AMOUNT
Education MN Brainerd Scholarship	Wyatt Paulson	\$1,000
Education MN Brainerd Scholarship	Emerald Searcy	\$1,000
Garrison Area Scholarship/BLA Community Foundation Scholarship	Morgan Carey	\$1,000
Garrison Area Scholarship/BLA Community Foundation Scholarship	Autumn Schiller	\$1,000
Glen Gustafson - Brainerd Sports Boosters Scholarship	Autumn Schiller	\$500
Glen Gustafson - Brainerd Sports Boosters Scholarship	Eli Tautges	\$500
Heather Star Habeck Kixter Memorial Scholarship	Hayden Freed	\$300
Hockey Day Minnesota Shannon O'Hara Foundation Scholarship	Ericah Folden	\$1,000
Kiwanis Children's Fund Scholarship	Ava Lust	\$750
Kiwanis Educational Foundation Scholarship	Bridget Wells	\$750
Kiwanis Jean Collins Scholarship	Audrey Breen	\$1,000
Marshall H. and Nellie Alworth Memorial Fund Scholarship	Emelia Cosert	\$24,000
Marshall H. and Nellie Alworth Memorial Fund Scholarship	Ericah Folden	\$24,000
Marshall H. and Nellie Alworth Memorial Fund Scholarship	Sydney Frericks	\$24,000
Marshall H. and Nellie Alworth Memorial Fund Scholarship	Garrett Gilbert	\$24,000
Marshall H. and Nellie Alworth Memorial Fund Scholarship	Gabriel Hallgren	\$24,000
Marshall H. and Nellie Alworth Memorial Fund Scholarship	Adam Lokken	\$24,000
Marshall H. and Nellie Alworth Memorial Fund Scholarship	Joseph Neumann	\$24,000
Marshall H. and Nellie Alworth Memorial Fund Scholarship	Straton Pribula	\$24,000
Minnesota Telecom Alliance Foundation	Garrett Gilbert	\$2,000
Miss Nisswa Youth Scholarship	Grace Cowell	\$1,500
Miss Nisswa Youth Scholarship	Ericah Folden	\$1,700
Miss Nisswa Youth Scholarships	Brooke Olson	\$2,700
Nisswa Elementary PTO Scholarship	Kristy Moore	\$1,000
Nisswa Elementary PTO Scholarship	Autumn Schiller	\$1,000
Nisswa Lions Club Scholarship	Madelyn Holmstrom	\$2,000
Nisswa Lions Club Scholarship	Libby Lake	\$2,000
Nisswa Lions Club Scholarship	Kristy Moore	\$2,000
Nisswa Lions Club Scholarship	Autumn Schiller	\$2,000
National P.E.O. Star Scholarship	Lila Doyle	\$2,500
National P.E.O Star Scholarship	Lauren Castle	\$2,500
Sertoma Liftathon At-Large Volunteer Essay Scholarship	Ava Loney	\$1,000
Sertoma Liftathon At-Large Volunteer Essay Scholarship	Ava Lust	\$1,000
Sertoma Liftathon Stephen G Nunnink MPPO Scholarship	Maverick Badeaux	\$1,000
Sertoma Liftathon Stephen G Nunnink MPPO Scholarship	Autumn Schiller	\$2,000
Stacy Robinson Leadership Award Scholarship	Ty Nelson	\$1,000
Students of Character Scholarship	Bella Volkl	\$750
TN Grocers Foundation - Brecheen Baldock Memorial Scholarship	Brooke Mulholland	\$1,400
University of North Dakota Presidential Scholarship	Garrett Gilbert	\$14,000
University of Wisconsin - Stout, Blue Devil Merit Scholarship	Lila Doyle	\$2,000
WTA Foundation	Garrett Gilbert	\$2,000

Military Awards & Certificates

The following students are being recognized by the various military branches for their academic, athletic, and musical accomplishments or their commitment to serve their country through the armed forces.

MILITARY AWARD or CERTIFICATE	STUDENT	AMOUNT
Minnesota Army National Guard	Valentino Castillo	\$90,000
Minnesota Army National Guard	Dominik Gilb	\$90,000
Minnesota Army National Guard	Breanne Johnson	\$90,000



Thank you!

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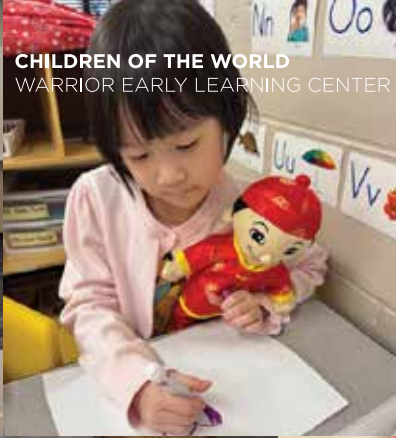


4A Grants

BPSF is proud to announce over \$105k was awarded during our fall and spring 4A Grant cycles in 2024/25. The Foundation commits a portion of our funds each year to the 4A granting program in addition to using dollars from donor advised and 4A grant-specific funds. We sponsor innovative projects requested by Brainerd Public Schools educators and coaches that will enrich and enhance the fine education our students are receiving in our district.



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J. Gangl

Jessica Gangl
Executive Director



One of the most rewarding parts of my work with BPSF is being involved in the scholarship process. It's an incredible experience to witness meaningful funds making a real impact. Each high school senior brings a unique story, and it's a joy to celebrate their journey into the future!

Stef DeVries

Stef DeVries
Administrative & Marketing Coordinator



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Thank you to all of our supporters and volunteers who helped us achieve VICTORY at the 12th Annual Big Event! Together we raised over \$90k in support of our mission! We are beyond grateful for this community's generous support. Thanks for TEAMING UP for our schools!



With the help of our generous donors, BPSF was able to donate \$5,500 to our school pantries in the 2024/25 school year!

 
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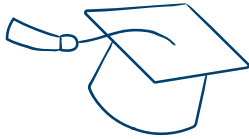


Class Colors

Brave Blue, Strong Silver

Class Flower

Wild Flowers



Class Motto

"You are braver than you believe, stronger than you seem, and smarter than you think."
— A.A. Milne, "Winnie the Pooh"

Class Song

You're Gonna Go Far by Noah Kahn

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