

**Little Theatre of Owatonna**  
**SARAH FOREMAN Memorial Post-Secondary Scholarship**  
**2025 Application to be submitted by May 23, 2025**

This scholarship has been established as a memorial to long-time Little Theatre of Owatonna member Sarah Foreman who died in February 2006. Foreman's work as a director extended through 30 years with her first work as a director of **Matchmaker** in 1975. She directed 18 shows and served on the board for 11 years in three separate terms. Foreman served as the Board President from 2002-2005 and was vice president upon her death.

At the time of her death, Sarah had just brought her last directing feat, **Music Man**, to the local stage. Sarah's extensive contributions and dedication to theatre in Owatonna are memorialized in this scholarship.

This scholarship is meant to recognize and support the post-secondary education of a local person whose career plans, studies and/or participation in theatre distinguish him/her. Recipients will be chosen based on theatre involvement (past, present, future) including LTO, two letters of recommendation, academic achievements and educational goals, and college and/or community involvement beyond theatre.

**Scholarship Guidelines:**

- The SARAH FOREMAN Memorial Post-Secondary Scholarship will be at least \$1000.00.
- One scholarship may be awarded annually with no repeat recipients. Eligible unsuccessful applicants are encouraged to re-apply.
- Applicants must be enrolled in the second or later year of a post-secondary education institution.
- Applicants must be a current or former resident of Steele County for more than one year.
- Applicants must be pursuing a major or minor in Theatre Arts or a degree which includes theatre involvement or have extensive participation in high school, college, and/or community theatre.
- Applications must reflect LTO involvement.
- Completed applications must be received no later than May 23 of the current year.
- The scholarship will be paid to the recipient upon documentation of paid tuition expenses incurred following the scholarship award.
- Application includes:
  1. High School transcript
  2. Post-Secondary Transcript
  3. Application Form (BOTH sides)
  4. Theatre Resume Form including LTO experience
  5. Two Letters of Recommendation

All parts of the application should be sent to:

Little Theatre of Owatonna  
SARAH FOREMAN Memorial Scholarship  
P.O. Box 64  
Owatonna, MN 55060

Questions regarding the scholarship may be directed to chairperson, Gaylene Steckelberg, (507) 456-3352

# **THEATRE RESUME FORM**

for

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(NAME)

**2025 Application to be submitted by May 25, 2025**

Identify your LTO involvement. List your involvement in other theatres in the last **FIVE** years:

<b><u>THEATRE</u></b>	<b><u>SHOW</u></b>	<b><u>DATE(S)</u></b>	<b><u>INVOLVEMENT</u></b> (actor, actress, crew, director, musician, etc.)
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1) Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Last) (First) (Middle Initial)

2) Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Street) (City) (State) (Zip Code)

3) E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

4) I plan to attend or continue attending \_\_\_\_\_  
(College or technical school)  
\_\_\_\_\_, beginning \_\_\_\_\_  
(College or technical school address) (Date including year)

5) I plan to attend \_\_\_\_\_ and carry \_\_\_\_\_ credits and currently have \_\_\_\_\_ credits  
(Full-time or Part-time) (Number) (Number)

6) Name of High School Graduated: \_\_\_\_\_ Year of Graduation: \_\_\_\_\_

7) Work Background beginning with most recent employment (position, location, dates):

- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_

8) Do you plan to continue working during your post-secondary schooling? Please explain.

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\_\_\_\_\_

9) What field of study are you pursuing in college or technical school? \_\_\_\_\_

10) What are your reasons for choosing this field of study? \_\_\_\_\_

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11) How close are you to reaching your goals in this field of study? \_\_\_\_\_

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12) Please list any additional indication of leadership, special abilities or awards: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ (OVER) \_\_\_\_\_

**ESSAY RESPONSE: (Not to exceed one page, please)**

**Describe how theater has been/will be important to you and your community  
in the past, the present, and the future?**

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**Applicant: Please give this form to a non-relative who can document your leadership and personality attributes, your reliability, and your creative skills.**

**NOTE: THIS FORM MUST BE MAILED TO THE SCHOLARSHIP CHAIRPERSON:**

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SARAH FOREMAN Memorial Scholarship  
P.O. Box 64  
Owatonna, MN 55060

Applicant's Name \_\_\_\_\_

1. How do you know this applicant? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ How long? \_\_\_\_\_

3. Describe the applicant's leadership skills. \_\_\_\_\_

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4. What are his/her best attributes? Explain. \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_

5. Evaluate this applicant's reliability. \_\_\_\_\_

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6. How would you describe this applicant's creative skills? \_\_\_\_\_

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7. What else should the selection committee know about this applicant? \_\_\_\_\_

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Your name/signature \_\_\_\_\_ Position \_\_\_\_\_

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