# THE BAI/LYNN KEEPPER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

## Provided through the Hillsboro Educational Foundation, Inc.

Lynn Keepper was a 1970 graduate of Hillsboro High School. He later attended college majoring in zoology with a minor in chemistry. He went to work at the Coffeen power plant as a Chemist supervisor and was a published author in Power magazine. He raised 2 children with his wife Paula in Hillsboro. He loved to entertain and to be entertained. This $1000 scholarship has been established by Blended Artists Imaginarium (BAI) in his memory. The scholarship may be used for tuition, fees, and books and is awarded annually to a deserving HHS graduate. Applicants may be entering any field of study but should have an interest in promoting the arts.

**CRITERIA**

- Recipient must have maintained a "C" average or above.
- Consideration will be given to financial need.
- Two letters of recommendation must be attached.
- A prepared speech or presentation before a panel of 3 judges on the importance of the arts in a rural community will be required. Student will be judged on public speaking and communication skills, both persuasive and informative. Applicants will be contacted by a member of BAI with information.

**AWARD**

- This scholarship will be announced at the Hillsboro High School Honor's Night program by a member of BAI.
- One scholarship in the amount of $1000 will be awarded annually, depending on resources available.

## FUNDING

Funding for this scholarship is made directly to the Foundation by Blended Artists Imginarium (BAI).

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Personal Information (This will be kept confidential.)

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| Full Name: | Email address:<br>Cell phone: |
| Home Phone: | List any unusual demands on family income: |
| Full Address: | Date of Birth: |
| Class rank (HS students only) ____<br>out of ____ | School: HILLSBORO HIGH SCHOOL |
| Income of Parent (as reported on IRS form 1040) | I am applying as:<br>___Graduating high school student |
| College Cost (Anticipated cost of tuition, housing, & fees: | Career Goals: |
| Available Assets: Please provide your family's expected contribution (EFC) according to the FAFSA finding: | Other scholarships, grants, and financial aid you have already received: |

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Are there any unusual demands on your family income? If so, please explain below.

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To which schools have you been accepted? Please indicate your top choice.

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Extracurricular activities (including work experience) during high school:

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The following items have been included with this application:

_____Two letters of recommendation

_____ Personal Essay

_____ FAFSA

Signature of Student and Parent/Guardian is an affidavit stating that the applicant commits to attend an accredited school or institution to obtain a state approved license or degree. These signatures also certify that the statements and documents herein are true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

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Signature of Student Signature of Parent/Guardian