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Barrows Family Celebrates Son’s Life

Through the creation of the Frank L. Barrows II Memorial Scholarship, the Barrows family memorializes their son and supports the education of Eveleth-Gilbert High School students.

The Frank L. Barrows II Memorial Scholarship Fund is the newest addition to the Eveleth Area Community Foundation family of funds. The scholarship was created in 2014 by Frank’s parents and is awarded annually to graduates of Eveleth-Gilbert High School who have strong academics and a relatively high level of financial need.

Frank grew up as an active youth with his family on Ely Lake in Eveleth, participating in all the regular northern Minnesota activities like fishing, canoeing, skating, and snowmobiling. After graduating from high school, he continued his education at the Minneapolis Technical Institute where he excelled in his studies. The family decided to create this scholarship with the Eveleth Area Community Foundation following Frank’s untimely death in order to remember his life and honor his memory. At the same time, they are excited to give someone a chance to follow their dreams by assisting with their education.

Selection of scholarship is done each spring by the board of the Eveleth Area Community Foundation. Interested seniors should complete the application – found on the website of the Duluth Superior Area Community Foundation – by the January 15th deadline.

Both lists include all of the 2013-2015 honor and memorial gifts.

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