Wahoo Senior Citizens Center Scholarship Information

Amount of Scholarships: \$1,000 (2 scholarships awarded, one from each high school)

<u>Who is eligible?</u> Any graduating senior from Wahoo Public and Bishop Neumann Catholic High Schools in Wahoo, Nebraska, who returns the completed application on or before **March 1st** to the school's Guidance Office.

Where may the scholarship be used? At any accredited 2-year or 4-year Institution of Higher Learning.

<u>**Points of Consideration:**</u> Character, motivation, integrity, work ethic, academic achievement, and financial need.

When are applications due? On or before March 1st

When/how will the money be received? Scholarship winner will submit proof of enrollment to high school guidance counselor, prior to the beginning of the student's first semester/quarter of attendance. The counselor will notify the Director of the Senior Center who, in turn, will send the check for the full \$1,000, made out to the school of recipient's choice. Or the check can be sent directly to the Admissions Office at the chosen school, if that information is provided to the Senior Center.

Each application is to be typed or written in very legible manuscript or cursive writing.

Applications must contain the following information:

- 1. Student's name and High School
- 2. Student's Senior Year GPA or 4-year GPA composite
- 3. A list of some activities in and out of school in which you have been involved during your high school years
- 4. Planned area of study, if known
- 5. Two (2) letters of recommendation from those who know of your abilities but are not family members
- 6. A paragraph telling what you know about the Wahoo Senior Center
- 7. A short essay (not more than 300 words) telling how this scholarship will be helpful to you