



The Holmberg Scholarship Fund Mary Bryson Dentler Memorial Scholarship

The Hempfield Foundation (HF) was established in November 1993 after interested Hempfield residents met to discuss ways to enhance the educational opportunities of public school students. Through their efforts, the HF became a reality and today is a private, nonprofit, charitable organization with a growing board drawn from the residents of the Hempfield School District. The HF raises funds through tax-deductible contributions, endowments and fund raisers, to promote, enhance, and supplement educational programs of the Hempfield School District.

HF is proud to continue the Holmberg Scholarship Fund and the Mary Bryson Dentler Memorial Scholarship, both of which are a one-time scholarship valued at \$3000. Both scholarships will be awarded by the HF based upon financial need to assist graduates of Hempfield High School in pursuing post-high school graduate education (e.g., university; college; artistic; technical or other training facility.)

The Holmberg Scholarship Fund was established in 1998 by Mrs. Barbara Holmberg Eichmann, a current and longtime Hempfield resident. Richard Holmberg, her deceased husband, had been a successful business owner, and many of their children and grandchildren are Hempfield graduates. Mrs. Holmberg and her family recognize the value of a good education, the need and desire to continue learning, and that learning is a life-long endeavor.

The Mary Bryson Dentler Memorial Scholarship is awarded in memory of a 1980 Hempfield High School graduate. A native of Landisville, Mary graduated from Indiana University of PA with a business degree. A dedicated wife and mother to two children, she worked several years in banking. Mary passed away in October 2001.

A recipient of either scholarship must be : (1) an undergraduate at a college or university who is pursuing studies to meet the requirements for an academic or professional degree; or (2) a full-time or part-time student at an educational organization that provides an educational program of training to prepare students for gainful employment in a recognized occupation; and is authorized under federal or state law to provide such a program, and is accredited by a nationally recognized accreditation agency. As stipulated in the Mary Bryson Dentler Scholarship, preference will be given to applicants who seek to continue their education at Indiana University of PA.

Either scholarship can be used only for tuition and fees required for enrollment or attendance of a student at an educational organization, as defined below, and for fees, books, supplies, and equipment required for courses of instruction at such an educational organization.

Applications for these two scholarships will be due in the Hempfield High School Guidance Office by **April 6, 2018.** **All applicants must return their application with a copy of their response card from the US Department of Education Student Financial Assistance Programs regarding their Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) submission.** Incomplete applications will not be considered. Applications will be reviewed by the HF's Scholarship Committee, and scholarship recipients will be notified by the high school.

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- 1 A recipient of a Holmberg or a Mary Bryson Dentler scholarship will be chosen, and all Foundation programs related to either scholarship fund will be administered without regard to race, religion, national origin, handicap, age, or sex.
 - 2 For purposes of both scholarships, the term "educational organization" means one which has as its primary function the presentation of formal instruction, and which normally maintains a regular faculty and curriculum; and it normally has a regularly enrolled body of pupils or students in attendance at the place where its educational activities are regularly carried on.
 - 3 In the event that any scholarship recipient fails to attend the institution described in the applicant's application, or otherwise fails or is unable or unwilling within a reasonable time to use the funds awarded for the purposes for which awarded, such Scholarship may, at the option of the Hempfield Foundation Board, be revoked and the funds shall be returned to the Foundation.

HF is proud to continue the Mary Bryson Dentler Memorial Scholarship Fund and the Holmberg Scholarship Fund, both of which are a onetime scholarship valued at \$3,000. Both scholarships will be awarded by the HF based upon financial need to assist graduates of Hempfield High School in pursuing post-high school graduate education (e.g., university, college, artistic, technical or other training facility). (Revised 1/16)

Hempfield Foundation Scholarship Application

This application is submitted pursuant to the scholarship programs of the Hempfield Foundation. Check scholarship of interest:

Holmberg _____ Mary Bryson Dentler _____ Both _____

A. Applicant's Name: _____

B. Father's Name: _____

C. Address: _____

D. Mother's Name: _____

E. Address: _____

F. With whom do you reside? Father ___ Mother ___ Both ___

G. Telephone #: _____

H. Birth Date: _____

I. Graduating Class: _____

J. Extracurricular Activities	Year(s)
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

K. Work Experience within the past five years.

<u>Employer Name/Address</u>	<u>Duties</u>	<u>Hrs/Wk</u>	<u>Name /Number Contact</u>
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

L. Community Service within the past 5 years (e.g. church service, Big Brothers, etc.)

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Duties</u>	<u>Year(s) Performed</u>
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

M. Please attach three (3) Letters of Recommendation from educators, employers, or others who are familiar with your character and prior academic performance or work experience.

N. Other pertinent facts about yourself or your family’s circumstances that you believe are relevant to your qualifications for the scholarship or other program assistance (e.g. health, divorce of parents, loss of job, death of a parent/sibling, etc.)

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- O. Please attach a written paragraph on a topic of interest or concern to you.
- P. Give a general description of your academic and professional interests and goals. (Include intended course of study, degree desired, work desired, etc.)

- Q. Identify the institutions (college or university) to which you have applied. The Foundation pays for tuition, room, board, books, supplies and certain fees required for courses. The Foundation reserves the right to make payments of any scholarship funds or other assistance directly to the educational institution. All recipients will be required, as a condition of receiving scholarship monies, to enter a Scholarship Agreement with the Foundation. Copies of the Scholarship Agreement form are available from the Foundation.

<u>Choice</u>	<u>Institution</u>	<u>Amount/Yr</u>	<u>Have you been accepted?</u>
1 st	_____	_____	Yes ___ No ___ Waiting ___
2 nd	_____	_____	Yes ___ No ___ Waiting ___
3 rd	_____	_____	Yes ___ No ___ Waiting ___

R. Applicant's Financial Information:

- **Complete and return the attached financial disclosure statement and have your parents do the same. (All information submitted may be disclosed to the Pennsylvania Higher Education Assistance Agency or other agencies for purposes of determining financial need.)**
- **List any other organizations to which you have applied for educational assistance.**

<u>Organization</u>	<u>Amount of Scholarship</u>	<u>Yes / No / Pending</u>
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

S. Have you ever been convicted/adjudicated/pleaded guilty to an offense?

Yes ___ No ___

The above information is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. If needed, I agree to provide transcripts upon request.

Applicant's Printed Name: _____

Applicant's Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

FAFSA Score:

CONSENT TO RELEASE AND DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION

The undersigned acknowledged that the information set forth on the foregoing Application and the attached financial statement (1) must be verified in order for the Applicant to receive Foundation funds and (2) may be disclosed to private or public educational agencies including, for example, the Pennsylvania Higher Education Assistance Agency for the purpose of analyzing the Applicant's financial need. The undersigned hereby agree to such disclosure of information to the Foundation with respect to the undersigned by all persons of entities described in the foregoing Applications and the attached financial statement and further consent to the disclosure of the information set forth in this Application and the financial statement to such educational agencies for the purpose of determining Applicant's financial need.

Signatures:

Applicant

Date

Father or Legal Guardian of Applicant

Date

Mother or Legal Guardian of Applicant

Date