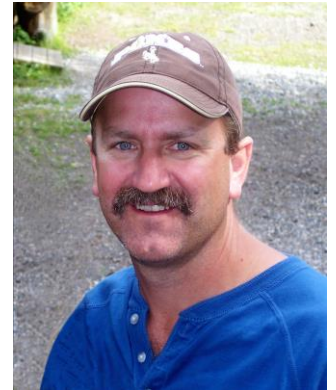


Todd Teegarden Memorial Scholarship

The Robert Todd Teegarden Memorial Scholarship was established in 2017 by family and friends in his memory.

Todd graduated from Billings West High in 1982 where he excelled in multiple sports; he was on two West High Basketball State Championship Teams and played four years for the Billings Scarlets American Legion baseball team that won State Championships in 1979 and 1982. Todd's baseball talent earned him a scholarship to the University of Wyoming, where he was a 4-year starter in the middle infield and earned 3 Western Athletic Conference Scholar Athlete awards.

He worked hard to be a true student athlete and graduated with a degree in Civil Engineering from UW. He soon began a career with the State of Montana Department of Environmental Quality, where he was currently employed at the time of his death.



Todd's legacy is that of hard work – in academics and athletics. But what was most important to Todd was family and being a good citizen. He was a wonderful son, brother, family member, husband and father of three. Todd loved the outdoors and mountains of Montana. He loved his family, golf, hunting and fishing. His family would like to honor his memory by providing a Scholarship directed at a graduating senior from one of the public high schools in Billings for use in further education.

The scholarship award is \$1000 with the possibility to renew each year for \$1000, up to 4 years. The guidance department at each high school shall nominate at most, two students, preferably one male and one female, to the Scholarship Committee. Funds will be disbursed directly to the institution of higher learning after the scholarship recipient has enrolled.

The Scholarship Selection Committee will use the following criteria to determine the scholarship winner:

- Demonstrated community service and involvement in school and/or community (including church) organizations.
- Demonstrates character traits such as consideration for the beliefs and needs of others; love of community and country
- Academic achievement
- Desire to attend an institution of higher learning, college, or university within the state of Montana or Wyoming.
- Other considerations may be given to a student who will be the first in his/her family to attend college, shows financial need, or has been an American Legion Baseball player.

Applicant Requirements:

- Be a graduating senior from Senior High, West High or Skyview High
- GPA requirement of 3.20 or better
- Completion of the attached application
- A copy of the most recent high school transcript

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NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

HOME PHONE: _____ CELL PHONE: _____

HIGH SCHOOL: _____ DATE OF GRADUATION: _____

PARENTS' NAMES: _____

PARENTS' OCCUPATIONS: (father) _____ (mother) _____

What college/university/school of technology/trade school do you plan to attend?

1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____

Intended Course of Study: _____

Essay Question – Why do you think you should be selected for this scholarship award? What qualities of Todd's life appeal to you most in this regard?

(Please use a separate sheet of paper, if necessary - 1,500 word limit)

SCHOOL ORGANIZATIONS & ACTIVITIES: (Organizations, clubs, athletics)

Name of Organization/Club/Activity Year of Participation Awards/Leadership Roles
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Name of Organization/Club/Activity	Year of Participation				Awards/Leadership Roles
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EMPLOYMENT & COMMUNITY SERVICE:

Name of Business /Community Type of Work Dates employed/ Hours/Week
Organization volunteered

Name of Business /Community Organization	Type of Work	Dates employed/ volunteered	Hours/Week

I confirm that the above information is accurate and complete
Signature of Applicant: _____

This Award will be presented at the awards ceremony held each spring at the high school of the awardee. You are strongly encouraged to be present to receive the award, if you are selected. For further information, please contact Krista Hertz, Education Foundation for Billings Public Schools at 245-4133.

Please submit applications to the Education Foundation or your guidance counselor by Wednesday, March 16, 2018.