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## **RICHARD AND IONE BEERNTSEN YMCA YOUTH COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**

The Richard and Ione Beerntsen YMC Youth Scholarship Program was established by the YMCA Board of Directors in July of 1991. The Scholarship Program is designed to provide grant awards to any graduating high school seniors in Manitowoc County who are planning a career in human service field of study. Applicants must be planning to pursue a bachelor degree at an accredited college or university. Membership or affiliation with the YMCA is not required.

This program was established at the YMCA by Tom and Penny Beerntsen through their local confectionary business as a memorial tribute to Tom's parents. Funding for the scholarship awards will be generated by gifts to the fund, periodic fund raising performances to be held at the Capital Civic Centre and other fund raising activities and events. Scholarship awards will be made each year in an amount to be determined annually by the YMCA Youth College Scholarship Committee. Emphasis will be given to the development of a permanent endowment fund to insure its long-term stability.

The YMCA Board of Directors is hopeful that individuals and businesses will consider direct contributions to the scholarship fund. Contributions can be sent to the YMCA, 205 Maritime Drive, P.O Box 471, Manitowoc, WI 54221-0471. Checks should be made payable to the YMCA Youth College Scholarship Program. All contributions are tax deductible. Contributions from individuals and businesses will be placed in the permanent scholarship fund.



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### GENERAL INFORMATION

1. YMCA Youth College Scholarship awards will be made to graduating seniors attending any high school in Manitowoc County.
2. Membership or affiliation with the YMCA is not required.
3. Applicants must be pursuing a bachelor degree at an accredited college or university in a human service field of study (for example: teaching, nursing, YMCA work, social work, medicine, etc.).
4. The scholarship will be awarded on the basis of need and merit
5. Applicants may be required to interview with the Scholarship Committee

### APPLICANT PRODECURE

1. **The following items must be included and completed:**
  - a. **Student scholarship application**
  - b. **High school transcript, including first semester of senior year**
  - c. **ACT or SAT scores**
  - d. **Essay**
  - e. **Your signature and the signature of a guidance counselor or teacher**
2. Completed application forms and documents can be mailed or emailed. **Applications must be post marked or emailed by midnight on March 31, 2024.**

#### Mail to:

Manitowoc-Two Rivers YMCA  
205 Maritime Drive, P.O. Box 471  
Manitowoc, WI 54221-0471

#### Email to:

[lnething@mtrymca.org](mailto:lnething@mtrymca.org)

3. Incomplete applications and/or late applications will be automatically disqualified. Do not include any items other than those listed in **RED** above.

**Richard and Ione Beernsten**  
**YMCA Youth College Scholarship Program Application Form**

1. Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle

2. Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Zip Code

4. High School Currently Attending: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name City

5. Email: \_\_\_\_\_

***\*\*\*\*\*Please be sure to provide an email address and phone number that you will be accessing regularly AFTER High School so we are able to contact you with any future information.\*\*\*\*\****

6. Mother's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

7. Mother's Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Zip Code

8. Mother's Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

9. Mother's Email: \_\_\_\_\_

10. Father's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

11. Father's Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Zip Code

12. Father's Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

13. Father's Email: \_\_\_\_\_

14. High School Employment History. Begin with your most recent job.

<u>Place of Employment</u>	<u>Job Responsibilities</u>	<u>Dates Employed</u>
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15. What home responsibilities do you have? \_\_\_\_\_

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16. If you have not worked during the past two summer vacations, how have vacations been spent? \_\_\_\_\_

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17. What do you plan to do this summer? \_\_\_\_\_

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26. List Two references who can be contacted. Please include Name, Address, Telephone Number, Email, and relationship to applicant.

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**REFERENCE #2:**

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**Applicant Signature**

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**Date**

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**Guidance Counselor or Teacher Signature**

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**Date**