



# Luck Alumni Scholarship Foundation, Inc.

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RE: LUCK ALUMNI SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION

Dear Luck School Alumnus,

Please join us in congratulating our 2023 Luck Alumni Scholarship recipients Ethan Allen, Broc Carter, Maks Marcellus, George Nielsen, and Olivia Walters. Each will receive a \$2,000 scholarship upon completion of their first semester of post high school study once they are enrolled for another semester. This increase in scholarship money was voted upon at the 2023 Spring LASFA board meeting and will continue at this level for the future 5 years of graduates.

Since 2019, when the Frandsen Family Foundation Scholarship began covering the tuition of Luck graduates choosing to attend a two-year technical college, the Alumni Foundation has awarded scholarships to graduates who plan to enter four-year colleges and universities. Those graduates still need financial aid to pursue their educational goals. The Foundation also provides \$1,500 annually to special funds at Luck Schools to assist current Luck students and teachers with fees and supplies.

The Alumni Foundation's main fundraiser is this letter to Luck alumni appealing for donations. Money can be given any time of the year, however, by sending a check to the address below. Donations can also be made through a PayPal link on the Luck Alumni Scholarship Foundation Association Facebook page. The Facebook page is used to communicate with alumni throughout the year.

Proceeds from the annual In and Out of Luck Run held during Lucky Days also go to scholarships. Lucky Days is the 3<sup>rd</sup> weekend in July annually with the 5K run set for the Saturday morning of the celebration.

As part of the improvement projects at the school, there will be the addition of an electronic 'Hall of Fame'. We are asking for nominations for inclusion in this display. If you have ideas for alumni who you think have made a difference, please email us at luckalumniassociation@gmail.com or fill out & return the coupon included on page two of this letter. This is a work in progress, the details as to eligibility are not yet rigidly defined, but we are close to our first awards.

If you have already donated this year, we thank you for your generous contribution. Tax receipts will be distributed for all 2023 gifts in January of 2024.

Sincere thanks,

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Alumnus Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class of: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ New Address? Y or N

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Donation Amount: \$\_\_\_\_\_ Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

# Hall of Fame Nomination Form

The Luck School District wishes to recognize alumni for their accomplishments by creating a school Hall of Fame. In addition to recognizing alumni, we will also demonstrate to our current students the successes earned by LHS graduates that have impacted our City, State, and Country. Nominations are now open for candidates who meet the following criteria: Graduate of Luck School of at least 10 years, May be living or deceased, and Made a significant contribution to Luck or society as a whole.

**Fill in as much information as you know. Include with your donation or return by mail.**

**Nominee/ Luck Alumnus Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

Class of: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Accomplishments:

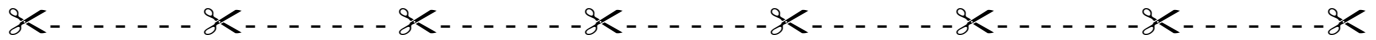
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**Your Name & Contact Info:** \_\_\_\_\_



The Alumni Foundation has awarded \$82,000 in scholarships to 112 Luck graduates since the first scholarships were presented in 2012 but **we are more than just a scholarship fund**. The Luck Alumni Scholarship Foundation, Inc. was formed in 2009 to raise money for graduating seniors. Our main tool to raise these funds is through our annual “ask” letter. Feedback from donors has had a common theme: *Donors want to do more beyond the scholarship fund*. As a response to those comments, the following programs are in process.

- Annually, the Foundation provides **\$500 to the Luck School for classroom supplies**. This money buys supplies needed by both students and teachers, and helps close a gap between school funding and daily needs.
- **Cardinal Safety Nest** is a fund to be used by all teachers for students in special need. Our board expects the funds to be used for things like field trips, backpacks, clothing, lunch money, etc. We hope to help students overcome some of the hardships they face. **The Luck Alumni Scholarship Foundation is continuing the program with an annual \$1,000 donation** (separate from the \$500 already given for classroom supply needs).
- **Please join our team**. We are interested in expanding the number of alumni on our board of directors. It is not a big job; we meet annually, and the rest of our communications are by email. Please let us know if you would be willing to give some of your time to aid in our efforts!

A reminder for *Thrivent Financial* members: you can designate your *choice dollars* to our scholarship fund. For those who are age 70 ½ or older, contributions up to \$100,000 from their IRA can be made directly to a charity and avoid paying income taxes on the distribution. This is known as a **qualified charitable distribution**. Check with your financial advisor for more details.