

The Community Heart Scholarship Application

Celebrating Character, Passion, and Potential

Your value is not defined by a grade point average, but by the heart and hard work you bring to your community.

Deadline: April 15, 2026, **Submit to:** Black Hills Recovery Network (BHRN) PO Box 234, Hermosa, SD 57744 or e-mail joharris.news@gmail.com

Personal Information: Please print

- **Full Name:** _____
 - **Mailing Address:** _____
 - **Email Address:** _____ **Phone:** _____
 - **Planned Post-Graduation Path:** (Trade School, 2-Year, or 4-Year College)
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Application Instructions

Please provide a brief response (approx. 200–300 words) for each of the following questions. We are looking for sincerity and your unique perspective—don't worry about "perfect" academic writing; just tell us your story.

- 1. Community Roots** Describe a way you have contributed to your community or helped someone in a meaningful way. What did this experience teach you about the importance of showing up for others?
- 2. The Passion Pursuit** Tell us about a hobby, craft, or project you are passionate about (e.g., a trade, creative art, or a unique skill). Why does this activity matter to you, and what have you learned from practicing it?
- 3. Resilience & Growth** We all face "potholes" in life. Describe a challenge you've encountered and how you handled it. What did you learn about yourself in the process?
- 4. Your Next Chapter** Looking ahead, how do you hope to use your education or training to make a difference? What kind of impact do you want to have in your future career?
- 5. Three Letters of Recommendation:** from a teacher, mentor, employer, or community leader.
- 6. Proof of Enrollment:** A copy of your acceptance letter or registration.
- 7. Optional "Show & Tell":** Feel free to include photos of a project, a video introduction, or a portfolio of your work.