

Steven H. Musson 1947 - 2002

Steven H. Musson, devoted husband and father, was a local businessman and community supporter of Le Mars and the surrounding areas. Steve started the Le Mars Insurance Agency in 1985 and was the owner and President until his death in 2002. In addition to his business ventures, Steve gave his time and talents to the community.

Steve helped start the Le Mars Ambulance Service in 1975 and served as co-director since its inception. Steve was also responsible for taking the Ambulance Service from a B-Level to its current Paramedic Level. Steve spent many hours of his time not only acting as Administrator, but also serving the emergency medical needs of the community. He served as the Plymouth County Emergency Manager for 3 years.

Steve was elected to the Floyd Valley Hospital Board of Trustees. During his tenure, he was instrumental in expanding the Outpatient and Emergency Departments of the hospital.

Steve was also active as the Grand Knight of the Le Mars Elks Club, was a Member of the Le Mars Community School Board, was a director and actor for the Postal Playhouse, was a Little League Coach, served on the Finance Committee at Calvary United Methodist Church, and supported a number of other local events and causes.



**714 Lincoln Street NE
Le Mars, IA 51031**

Steven H. Musson Memorial Emergency Services Education Scholarship





Steven H. Musson Emergency Services Education Endowment

The Steven H. Musson Emergency Services Education Endowment was established in 2003 by the Musson family to recognize and honor Steve for his passion for emergency care. We recognize and appreciate the 27 years of steadfast duty, organization and care he gave.

"I know of no more encouraging fact than the unquestioned ability of a man to elevate his life by conscious endeavor."

-Henry David Thoreau (1817 - 1862)

Eligibility:

- Applicant(s) must pursue education for or actively engage in emergency care for Plymouth County. This may include: individuals that are paramedics, first responders, or emergency medical technicians (EMT), WITCC College Now students or a squad.
- The scholarship must be used for direct expenses related to pursuing an emergency care training. Examples include, but are not limited to: books, tuition, classes, transportation costs, squad trainings and certifications, etc.
- Scholarship funds must be used within the same training year as awarded.
- Scholarships will be awarded without regard to age, gender, race, religious background, or financial resources.

Selection Process:

- The application outline will be available between March 1st and May 31st. Scholarships to be awarded in June.
- Re-opening applications between Aug 1 and October 31 will be considered, if lack of applications received in Spring. Scholarships to be awarded in November.

Application Outline

Please submit the following information in a type-written format.

Biographical Information:

- Name
- Address
- Contact Number
- Emergency Care program you plan to pursue
- School and semester accepted

Essay:

Explanation of emergency care provider interest (500 words or less)

1. Description of level of involvement and personal goals in delivering emergency care.

References (for individual applicants):

Please provide at least 2 written letters of reference.

1. A person familiar with your character, NOT a relative
2. A member of the emergency care squad of which you intend to be a member.

Applying For EMS Squad Support

- Name of EMS Squad
- Address
- Squad Leader Name
- Contact Phone Number or Email Address
- Description of EMS training or program being presented & provide copy of course information
- Date planning to hold training & cost of training

Submissions may be:

1. Dropped off at the West Entrance information desk
2. Mailed to:
Floyd Valley Foundation
Attn. Musson Scholarship
714 Lincoln Street NE