

**The Carroll County Community Foundation
& Lilly Endowment Inc. present
The Lilly Endowment Community Scholarship Program**

One Lilly Endowment Community Scholarship will be awarded to a Carroll County resident. Please read this insert for eligibility requirements.

- The Lilly Endowment Community Scholarship Program is to help raise the level of educational attainment in Indiana and to leverage further the ability of Indiana's community foundations to enhance the quality of life of the state's residents.
- The program will provide a scholarship for full tuition, required fees, and a special allocation of up to \$900 per year for required books and required equipment for four years of undergraduate study on a full-time basis, leading to a baccalaureate degree at any Indiana public or private college or university accredited by the Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools.
- The program is open to all Carroll County residents who will have graduated by the end of June 2012 with a diploma from a regionally accredited Indiana high school; and who have been accepted to pursue a full-time baccalaureate course of study at an accredited public or private college or university in Indiana.
- The total amount of the scholarship is calculated on the basis of the applicant's chosen college's tuition and required fees beginning with the 2012-13 school year.
- To assist with the processing of scholarship payments each semester or quarter and to avoid late fees, the scholarship recipient will immediately forward all invoices received for tuition and any eligible fees that may be covered by the scholarship to the Carroll County Community Foundation.
- The scholarship recipient must account and return to Independent Colleges of Indiana any amount of the special allocation for required books and required equipment remaining at the end of each school year.
- The scholarship recipient will notify Independent Colleges of Indiana of any scholarship awards he or she may receive for tuition or required fees from a source other than the Lilly Endowment Community Scholarship.
- The scholarship recipient must keep the Carroll County Community Foundation apprised annually by June 1 of his or her enrollment and academic status during college, by completing and returning any surveys or forms as may be provided by the Community Foundation.
- Upon graduation, the recipient will keep the Carroll County Community Foundation apprised annually by June 1 of his or her education and/or employment status for at least ten years after graduation, by completing and returning an alumni survey or other forms as provided by the Community Foundation.
- The scholarship recipient must give permission to use any general, non-financial information included in this application for publicity purposes; to provide the foundation with photographs and to participate in scholarship recognition ceremonies of the Endowment's and Foundation's choosing.
- If selected as a finalist, the scholarship applicant must agree to participate in an interview with the selection committee.
- **Financial need will be a factor in making this award. The financial information worksheet in the application must be completed and included with the application.**
- **Other criteria used in selection: grade point average/class rank; SAT/ACT scores; community/school/work experience; 500 word essay; and good character. Letters of recommendation from no more than three people and at least one of the recommendations must be from a teacher and/or administrator from the applicant's high school.**
- Application must be received by January 11, 2012. Please mail or deliver the completed application with original transcript of grades, financial information worksheet and letters of recommendation to:

The Carroll County Community Foundation
Attn.: Carroll County Lilly Scholarship Committee
215 W. Sycamore St.
Kokomo, IN 46901

For more information, please call (800) 964-0508 or e-mail kim@cfcarroll.org. Visit our Web site for information about other scholarships and your Community Foundation: www.cfcarroll.org