UNC Pembroke Scholarship Opportunities Guide

This guide summarizes scholarships and the qualifications provided by donors and scholarship agreements. Requirements may change and awards are subject to funding availability.

50th Class Reunion Gold Scholarship

On behalf of the UNCP alumni, the Donor wishes to establish an endowed fund into which all 50th Class Reunion participants, and their friends or family, can make contributions during their respective homecoming years. The Class of 1956 shall be the first 50th Reunion Class to contribute to this fund and shall therefore be credited with establishing this endowment in conjunction with the Office of Alumni Relations. Candidates for award of this scholarship shall be either full-time or part-time, graduate or undergraduate students in any year of study, in any field or major and maintaining at least the minimum university standard GPA at The University of North Carolina at Pembroke. First consideration shall be given to candidates of demonstrated financial need who are not receiving federal grant assistance. There is no restriction of residency.

Adna & Letha Mae Lowry Memorial Scholarship

The purpose of the scholarship is to highlight the Lowry Family legacy of educators. Both Adna and Letha Mae were proud graduates of the Cherokee Indian Normal School of Robeson County. Their names can be found of the legacy bricks in front of Old Main. Adna was a teacher, coach, and administrator and Letha Mae a teacher within what is now known as the Public Schools of Robeson County. They dedicated their adult lives to public education. Adna and Letha had 3 children and 7 grandchildren. Just like Adna and Letha, their children and grandchildren were all graduates of the Public Schools of Robeson County.
Recipients of this scholarship will be declared education majors, PSRC graduates, and have intentions of teaching and coaching in Robeson County upon graduation.

Adolph and Dorothy L Blue Family Scholarship

This scholarship is being established in honor of Dorothy Locklear Blue and in memory of Adolph Blue. Dorothy, a 1955 graduate of UNCP, is a retired educator having worked in the Public Schools of Robeson County for 38 years. Adolph, former Assistant Superintendent of Buildings and Grounds at UNCP, retired in 1991 with 25 years of service. The Donors wish to establish this scholarship to stress the importance of education and to support students seeking degrees in the teaching profession. Education at UNCP is a family legacy established five generations ago by Dorothy's grandfather, Anderson Locklear (Locklear Hall), and continues to this day. The recipients of the scholarship will be residents of Robeson County with a declared major in Education. Recipients must maintain the minimum University GPA

and be full-time undergraduate students of demonstrated financial need in their junior or senior year of study. The award is renewable as long as funds are available.

Adolph L Dial AIS Scholarship

This scholarship was established by Dr. Adolph Dial, the first chairman of the American Indian Studies Department at UNC Pembroke. The award is made annually to a student majoring in American Indian Studies.

Adolphus Lee Turner, Jr. Endowed Wrestling Scholarship

The Donor is a faithful supporter of UNC Pembroke in various capacities. He has a firmly held belief that everybody deserves a chance for a quality education, and that UNC Pembroke offers an extraordinary educational experience. The donor is a die-hard fan of the UNCP Wrestling team - travelling over 1,000 miles to watch them compete. The donor creates this scholarship to honor their commitment to excellence. The recipients will be full-time student-athletes and members of the UNCP Wrestling team. The recipients must maintain the minimum university standard QPA. Incoming freshman as well as current students are eligible. The award is renewable.

AG "Tunney" Brooks Student Athlete Scholarship

The Donor wishes to honor the longtime Athletic Director and Coach of Football, Basketball and Baseball at Lumberton High School. Throughout his tenure as coach and Athletic Director of the Pirates, Coach Tunney instilled the values of sportsmanship, teambuilding, and healthy competition, while he challenged his players to give their all. The young men who played for him, and the fans who rooted for his teams, value forever the legacy he built - both on and off the field - during his tenure. The recipients of The A.G. "Tunney" Brooks Student Athlete Endowed Scholarship should be UNCP Student Athletes of high character who demonstrate a genuine financial need. Following the awarding policy laid out in Item IV below, priority should be given first to Lumberton High School Athletes, then to Robeson County Athletes, and finally if no candidates can be found, the award will be open to all other student/athletes attending UNCP. Recipients are expected to maintain a minimum of 2.5 QPA and maintain their standing as a student athlete.

Aggie Goins Deese Endowed Scholarship

The Donor wishes to continue helping students achieve students achieve their educational goals. The Aggie Goins Deese Endowed Scholarship will be awarded to a full-time student pursuing a teacher education degree. The recipient will be a graduate of a high school in one of the following counties: Bladen, Cumberland, Hoke, Moore, Richmond, Robeson or Scotland in North Carolina and a member in a state or federally recognized tribe. The recipient will have the University minimum GPA, be in their Junior or Senior year of study, and have financial need. The award is renewable as long as the recipient maintains the University minimum GPA.

Agnes Hunt Chavis-Eva Jones & Family Endowed Scholarship

The Donors wish to honor the alumni in their family - Eva Chavis Jones, Class of 1931; Agnes Hunt Chavis, Class of 1950; George E. Chavis, Class of 1952; Larry R. Chavis, Class of 1972; and Donna Jones Chavis, Class of 1989 - with an endowed scholarship. The recipients of this scholarship will be residents of Robeson County and members of a state or federally recognized tribe. The recipients will be undergraduate Education majors. Incoming freshman as well as current students will be eligible. Financial need should be considered. The award is renewable as long as all requirements are met.

Al Parnell Memorial Scholarship

Mr. Parnell, respectfully known as "Mr. P" by his students, taught history, social studies, and citizen education for 29 years in the Public Schools of Robeson County. His career included terms at Pembroke Sr. High School and Purnell Swett High School, formerly known as West Robeson High School. Along with his teaching responsibilities, "Mr. P" coordinated the Student Government Association (SGA), the concession stand in school and at all the sporting events, and the Teacher Cadet program; coached the girls' tennis team in the fall and the boys' tennis team in the spring; assisted with dances and proms; and took Purnell Swett High School students for tutoring once a week at Prospect School. He was a member of the Robeson County Fair Board and served in the past as Board president. He was active in his church, Beulah Baptist Church of Lumberton, N.C., serving as deacon, Sunday School superintendent, and Sunday School teacher. For the past four years since his retirement from the Public Schools of Robeson County, Al had taught Social Studies at Dillon High School in Dillon, South Carolina. The recipients of this scholarship shall be Robeson County residents and graduates of the Public Schools of Robeson County pursuing a degree in Education. Recipients shall maintain a 2.5 GPA. The recipients shall be undergraduate students in any year of study. The scholarship is based on demonstrated financial need. The award is renewable.

Alex and Lillie Strickland Memorial Scholarship

The Donors wish to establish this scholarship to ensure future generations understand what an education can mean for a family. It is their desire that if someone has a dream of being an educator, finances to get there should not be an obstacle. Recipients of this scholarship will be declared Education majors, PSRC graduates, and have intentions of teaching in Robeson County upon graduation. Most importantly, just like our grandparents, recipients shall possess the heart of a servant and desire to work hard for all he or she wants to accomplish.

Alfred and Francine Dunlavy Scholarship

The Donor wishes to recognize her parents, Alfred R. and Francine A. Dunlavy, whose encouragement and example had a profound influence on the donor's life. Mrs. Dunlavy was a first-generation college student, the daughter of Sicilian immigrants; she was recipient of a full scholarship to Barnard College, as well as scholarships to the University of Madrid and

the Sorbonne in Paris. She was grateful all her life for these educational opportunities. She was a New York City school teacher of Spanish and French, and she worked tirelessly with non-profit organizations to establish and protect human rights in Latin America. Mr. Dunlavy was a very successful businessman in the hearing aid field; he held four patents on hearing aids that were designed to amplify only high tone hearing losses. Despite his successes, he always regretted never having had the opportunity to attend college. The recipient of the Alfred R. and Francine A. Dunlavy Endowed Scholarship will be a first-generation college student and have and maintain a minimum of 3.0 GPA. Incoming freshmen as well as current students will be eligible. The award is renewable.

Allen and Barbara Meadors Endowed Scholarship

The scholarship is available to freshmen entering the university with a 3.5 or better high school grade point. The recipient must be a resident of Pembroke or Robeson County, North Carolina. Recipient must maintain a minimum 3.0 GPA for the award to be renewable.

Allison Harrington Endowed Scholarship

The Donor wishes to make a major contribution to students at The University of North Carolina at Pembroke by establishing an endowed scholarship that will provide an award to one student per year. This scholarship is being established because of the Donor's strong belief in education. The recipient of this scholarship will be a resident of Robeson or Brunswick Counties and a full-time undergraduate student with a 3.0 GPA at The University of North Carolina at Pembroke. The recipient can be in any year of study, and there is no preference to subject major. Financial need is not considered. The award is renewable as long as funds are available and the recipient continues to meet the criteria as established. The award is given annually.

Alumni Loyalty Scholarship

The UNCP Alumni Association through its Alumni Loyalty Fund awards scholarships to qualified incoming freshmen who are the children of UNCP alumni. The scholarships are based on academic ability and demonstrated leadership. Preference is given to those who are in need of financial assistance.

Anderson N. Locklear Endowed Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship was established by the descendants of Anderson N. Locklear in 1990 to honor the memory of this pioneer educator (1870-1934), who served for forty-two years as a teacher and principal in the Native American schools of Robeson County. Mr. Locklear was a member of the first class of the old Normal School (later to become UNC Pembroke), where he served as a trustee for many years. Locklear Hall, which houses the Department of Art on the UNC Pembroke campus, is named in his honor. Awarded annually to a Native American student majoring in teacher education, the scholarship may be renewed as long as

the recipient is in good standing. Recipient must be part of state or federally recognized tribe.

Angela Hodges Scholarship

The recipient of the Angela B. Hodges Endowed Scholarship will be a student majoring in music, with preference going to an incoming freshman and a graduate of Robeson County Schools. The award will be made in the fall of the year with the first award to be made in the fall of 2008. The award is renewable as long as the recipient continues to meet the established criteria and funds are made available until fully endowed.

Angela Sharon Smith Award

The Donor wishes to honor the memory of a former friend, alumna, and Pi Lambda (Zeta Phi Beta) sorority sister by establishing this award in her name. The recipients of the Angela Sharon Smith Award will be residents of Bladen County majoring in math, science, or pre-law. Recipients must maintain the minimum University GPA standard and be of demonstrated financial need. The recipients shall be a sophomore, junior, or senior of either full-time or part-time status. First preference goes to a recipient working toward an undergraduate degree; however, in the event that an undergraduate candidate does not qualify, consideration may be given to a graduate student determined to have a circumstance of special need. The award will be made half in the fall and half in the spring and is renewable annually as long as funds have been made available by an outright contribution each year.

Anne Marie Teague Memorial Endowed Scholarship

The Donor and his family wish to honor his daughter, Anne Marie Teague, who lost her life in a tragic accident in 2012. The donor also wishes to honor all of the great students that he has had the honor of teaching at UNCP, 1970 to the present. The donor recognizes the impact that UNCP has in preparing pre-professional students for health fields and would like to assist students pursuing this path. The recipients of this scholarship will be pre-professional students in the Department of Chemistry and Physics. They will be in their sophomore or junior year and will have taken the basic chemistry courses as required of their major. The award is renewable.

Arthur Wendell "A.W." Oxendine Memorial Endowed Scholarship

Arthur Wendell "A.W." Oxendine, a ten-year veteran of the Robeson County Sheriff's Department and a thirteen-year veteran of the Scotland County Sheriff's Department died in the line of duty in 1993 as a result of injuries sustained in a hit-and-run traffic collision. The scholarship is given in his memory to assist a student majoring in the field of Criminal Justice who demonstrates qualities of honesty and leadership and who has met the academic requirements of the University.

Ayars Family Endowed Scholarship

The donors wish to assist the university with attracting top-level academic students and continue helping students achieve their educational goals by establishing the Ayars Family Endowed Scholarship. The scholarship will be awarded to two full-time freshmen students with the intent to pursue a degree in Chemistry, Physics, Math, Psychology, Information Technology (Cyber Security Track), or Computer Science (Cyber Security Track). The recipients must have and maintain a minimum 3.2 GPA. Financial need shall not be a consideration in the selection of the recipients. It is preferred that the award is renewed to the same recipient as long as the recipient maintains a 3.2 GPA and continues to pursue a degree in Chemistry, Physics, Math, Psychology, Information Technology (Cyber Security Track), or Computer Science (Cyber Security Track). The Ayars Family Endowed Scholarship will be awarded in the fall of each academic year.

If there are no applicants that meet the above requirements, the Office of Financial Aid may make an award to the applicant that most closely meets the requirements.

Baldwin-Parke Endowed Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship is given in memory of the donor's daughter and sister, Elizabeth Lord Baldwin, and their brother and uncle, David D. Parke. Ms. Baldwin was a 1986 graduate of Pembroke State University with a B.A. in Political Science. She was an involved, active and caring student. Mr. Parke was a pre-med student at Washington University in St. Louis, Missouri when he was drafted into service during the Korean War. He was listed as Missing in Action in 1952. Our nation honors her sons and daughters who answered the call to defend a country they never knew and a people they never met, a€-from the Korean War Memorial in Washington, D. C. The recipient will be a full-time student pursuing a degree in Nursing or any Medical Related Field. They will be in their Junior or Senior year, a resident of North Carolina or military affiliated. Recipients must maintain a minimum 3.5 GPA.

Scholarship must be awarded to two students each year.

Beatrice Locklear Brayboy Endowed Spanish Scholarship

The Donors wish to recognize the service of Mrs. Beatrice Locklear Brayboy to the various public school systems from which she retired. She enjoyed over 34 years as a Spanish Teacher and has a deep passion for the promotion of the Spanish language and the cultures of Spanish speaking countries. She is also an unwavering advocate for the teaching of Spanish within our educational structures. The recipients of this scholarship will be Spanish majors maintaining a minimum 2.7 GPA. Preference will be afforded qualified Spanish majors who aspire to become teachers of the language. Successful candidates should also be well-rounded students as evidenced by their involvement in University and community service and activities. The student must engage in volunteerism opportunities that occur throughout the academic year that promote the Spanish culture; either on or off campus.

Financial need should be considered. The student must also be a resident of North Carolina. The award is renewable.

Becky B. Bullard Scholarship

The Donor wishes to establish an award which will assert her belief in the enduring value of education, and at the same time honor the memory of her late husband, Clifford Bullard, who shared her belief in the life-affirming usefulness and worth of a college education. This endowed scholarship is meant to encourage a young man or woman who has the desire to attain an education to make that goal a reality. The donor believes that education is a means of broadening one's horizons, not only in the pursuit of a career but also in the quest for a future that is open to the many possibilities that come with a good educational foundation. Candidates for award of this scholarship shall be full-time undergraduate students entering their freshman year of study at the University of North Carolina at Pembroke or transfer students coming to UNCP to complete their course of study. The candidate must have graduated from a high school in Anson or Union counties in North Carolina and must meet UNCP admission standards. There is no preference of subject major, and the candidate does not have to be of demonstrated financial need. The award is renewable to the candidate for four years of study at UNCP, or, if eligibility by virtue of a 2.5 average is not maintained, can be re-awarded to a student whose high-school career was in Anson or Union counties.

Beverly Russell Memorial Endowed Scholarship

The recipients of the Beverly Russell Memorial Endowed Scholarships will be members of Alpha Pi Omega sorority majoring in American Indian Studies. Recipients must maintain the minimum University standard GPA. Incoming freshmen as well as current students will be eligible, and recipients may be undergraduate or graduate students. Financial need should be considered. If there are no applicants who meet the above requirements, the selection committee may make an award to the applicant that most closely meets the requirements.

Black Student Organization Pioneers of PSU Endowed Scholarship

The Donor wishes to honor African American students who pioneered the Black Student Organization by providing an endowed scholarship to deserving students in need of financial support. The recipients of this scholarship will be full-time undergraduate students who maintain a minimum of 2.25 GPA and complete an essay relating how their life has been impacted by lessons their elders or ancestors learned from experiences in the Jim Crow era, the slavocracy (the system of government in the southern United States in which slave labor was used to build the economy), or the Civil Rights Movement. Incoming freshmen as well as current students are eligible. The scholarship will be limited to North Carolina residents. There is no required major. Financial need will be considered. A recipient may reapply for the scholarship, but to be considered again must submit a new essay and improve their GPA by .25 (all reapplying students with a 3.25 or higher GPA will be considered regardless of the increase in GPA).

Bladen We Care / Ann C. Warner Endowed Scholarship

The Donor wishes to establish an endowed scholarship for graduates of the Bladen Community College Associate Degree Nursing Program or is a Bladen County resident holding the Associate Degree Nursing credential who will be entering the UNC Pembroke BSN Program and who plans to work in Bladen County upon graduation. The recipient of this scholarship will be a graduate of the Bladen County Community College ADN Program or Bladen County resident with the ADN credential and be accepted into the UNCP BSN Program. Eligible applicants will also maintain a minimum of 3.0 GPA; reside in Bladen County; be motivated and capable learners; submit a scholarship application; demonstrate economic need; maintain continuous enrollment for the duration of the scholarship; and commit to work in Bladen County for two years following graduation.

Board of Visitors Achievement Scholarship

The UNCP Board of Visitors Achievement Endowed Scholarship was created to assist towards impacting the lives of deserving UNCP students and improving the quality of life in our region by attracting students that are interested in pursuing a career in a Health Science related field of study. The UNCP Board of Visitors Achievement Endowed Scholarship recipient must be a full time, undergraduate, majoring in one of the following: Athletic Trainings, Exercise Sport Science, Physical Education, or Nursing, with a 3.0 GPA, and there is no preference to year of study, or residence.

Bob Caton Endowed Scholarship for Football and Men's Basketball

The Donor wishes to establish this scholarship with the belief these athletes will use their collegiate experience as a time of growth in character and maturity. Through positive decision making and the building of character, the Donor hopes the recipients will better themselves as athletes and young professionals. Upon graduation, the Donor trusts the recipients will be prepared to face the personal and professional challenges of the real world using the skills learned in the academic and athletic arenas. The recipients of this scholarship shall be incoming freshman on the UNCP football team or UNCP men's basketball team, registered full-time, and who maintain the University's minimum QPA for the fall and spring semester. The candidate should be of good character with an attitude and willingness to perform well while attending UNCP. There is no restriction of major or residency. The award should be split each year between a football athlete and a men's basketball athlete. The award is renewable to the student athlete from each sport provided the qualifications are met each academic year. The awards will be renewed through graduation by the student athlete or exhaustion of their athletic eligibility, whichever comes first. The award is received half in the fall and half in the spring, and is based on demonstrated financial need.

BOV Endowed Scholarship

The UNCP Board of Visitors College of Health Sciences Endowed Scholarship was created to assist towards impacting the lives of deserving UNCP students and improving the quality of life in our region by attracting students that are interested in pursuing a career in Health Science related fields of study. The UNCP Board of Visitors College of Health Sciences Endowed Scholarship recipient must be a health science major and there is no preference to year of study, residence, or GPA.

Bradley Alford Endowed Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship was established in memory of a gifted piano major who died of cancer in his senior year. It is awarded to a full-time Music major in his or her junior or senior year of study and is based on both musical talent and academic ability. The recipient must maintain a GPA of 3.0. When this scholarship reaches endowment, one $500 award will be given per year.

Braves Club Athletic Scholarship

The scholarship, created by the members and friends of The Braves Club, is designed to reward academic achievement of UNC Pembroke athletes. This award is given annually to one male and one female athlete for their senior year. The recipient will have completed at least two years of study at UNC Pembroke. It is provided to those students with the highest QPA with a minimum of 3.0.

Braves Disabled Student Endowed Scholarship

The Donor wishes to establish this scholarship to enhance the social and educational opportunities available to disabled students attending UNC Pembroke. The recipient will be a full time student enrolled at UNCP, either graduate or undergraduate, maintaining a minimum 2.5 GPA and with demonstrated financial need. Full time status consists of students taking a minimum of 12 semester hours or students with reduced course load approval from the Department of Social Services. There is no restriction of residency, or major. The recipient shall be classified as a sophomore through graduate student. The award will be made half in the fall and half in the spring and is renewable as long as the above criteria are met and student is in good standing with the University.

Brian Freeman Endowed Scholarship for Teaching Excellence

The Donor wishes to establish this scholarship to commemorate his selection as the National Education Association's Teaching Excellence Award recipient for 2003. Brian is the first teacher from North Carolina to receive this honor. He would like to financially assist a K-6 Elementary Education major at UNCP to follow in his footsteps and to encourage him/her to make a positive impact in the lives of children. The recipient of this scholarship shall be a resident of Robeson County who is a full time undergraduate student in the junior year of study, majoring in K-6 Elementary Education and maintaining a 3.0 GPA. The recipient does not have to be of demonstrated financial need.

Bryan R. "Lil Owl" Chavis Endowed Scholarship

The recipients of the Bryan R. "Lil Owl" Chavis Endowed Scholarship will be an education major pursuing an undergraduate degree at UNCP. The donor wishes that financial need is demonstrated and the recipient be a resident of Robeson County. First preference should go to 1) a veteran, science education major, 2) a veteran or 3) a science education major. Incoming freshmen as well as current students will be eligible. The award is renewable.

Burleigh and Pearlie Lowry Memorial Scholarship

The Donors wish to memorialize their parents' love, dedication and faithfulness to Harper's Ferry Church, and their realization for the opportunities that are provided through educational pursuits, by establishing the Burleigh and Pearlie Lowry Endowed Memorial Scholarship. The recipients of the Burleigh and Pearlie Lowry Endowed Memorial Scholarship shall be selected on the basis of the following priorities: (1) first - demonstrated financial need; (2) second - a membership or family membership in Harper's Ferry Baptist church; and, (3) third - first preference given to a resident of Robeson County, North Carolina.

Business Faculty Endowed Scholarship

Candidates for award of this scholarship shall be full-time junior level business majors who are preparing to enter their senior year, who have a minimum grade point average of 3.5, with a preference for students who completed most of their hours at the The University of North Carolina at Pembroke. The recipient will be identified and the award made in the spring of the year.

Campbell Soup Student Nursing Scholarship

The Campbell Soup Company Student Nursing Endowed Scholarship was established in 1994 to be used for nursing scholarships for disadvantaged students enrolled in the RN Bachelor of Science in Nursing program.

Cape Fear Valley Health System Endowed Advanced Education Nursing Scholarship

Candidates for award of this scholarship shall be individuals who fall into one of the following categories: UNCP faculty members who are desirous of a doctorate in order to continue their educational career in Nursing, or an individual who is identified by a professional nursing network who has an interest in teaching, or a current nursing professional identified by Cape Fear Valley Health System who is interested in pursuing career in nursing education.

Cape Fear Valley Health Systems Scholarship

Awarded by the Nursing Dept to a Nursing Major. Chair of the Nursing Dept or his/her representative shall award the scholarships based on merit and the applicant's desire to work in the Fayetteville area or at Cape Fear Valley upon graduation. Candidate selected based on merit as well as the applicant's desire to work in the Fayetteville area (if applicable). Candidate must be entering or returning student and must be accepted or enrolled in the upper division nursing program and maintaining a 2.5 GPA. Automatically renewable as long as awardee continues to meet the standards and no reapplication necessary. Exceptions may be made if awarded to part time students.

Caring Touch Home Health Care Scholarship in MBA

The Donor wishes to award an MBA student who demonstrates leadership potential. The recipient must have completed or will complete 30 semester credit hours in the MBA program by the conclusion of the semester when the award is presented. The recipient of the Caring Touch Home Health Care Endowed Scholarship will be a graduate student in the Master of Business Administration program. Recipients must maintain a minimum of 3.0 GPA and occupy either full- or part-time status as a graduate student at UNC Pembroke. The award will be made in the Spring semester.

Caring Touch Home Health Care Scholarship in Nursing

The Donor recognizes the shortage of nurse professionals practicing in Southeastern North Carolina and desires to help promote the advancement of this profession through financial support granted to a full-time nursing student. The donor requests that the recipient demonstrate financial need and that priority be granted to a student planning to practice as a nurse in the surrounding counties, including Robeson, Hoke, Scotland, Richmond, Bladen, Columbus, and Cumberland Counties. The Caring Touch Home Health Care Endowed Scholarship will be awarded to a rising junior with a 3.0 GPA. The award shall be renewable as long as funds are available and the recipient continues to meet the established criteria.

Carl & Dennie Meares Endowed Scholarship

The Donor's intent is to establish an award to affirm and promote their belief in the enduring value of education and in the importance of applying oneself in order to achieve success. This endowed scholarship is meant to encourage and inspire recipients to perform at an optimal level of excellence and to provide financial support as they pursue their field of study. The Donor believes that education is a means of broadening one's horizons, not only in the pursuit of a career but also in the quest for a future that is open to the many possibilities that come with a strong educational foundation. The recipients of this scholarship will be undergraduate business majors and maintain a minimum of 3.0 GPA. Incoming sophomores, juniors, and seniors will be eligible. The Donor prefers that financial need is demonstrated; however, the Dean of the School of Business may use his discretion to determine the recipient who is most deserving. The award is given annually and is renewable.

Carl R. Peed Basketball Scholarship

The Donor dedicates this scholarship to two great coaches and mentors, Lacey Gane (UNCP) and Charlie Bishop (Hamlet High School), and his former UNCP teammates, all of whom taught him the importance of teamwork and gave the Donor the skills to be successful in life beyond the court. This scholarship is to be awarded to the individual who best exemplifies the values that Coaches Gane and Bishop taught: trust, respect, responsibility, self-discipline, hard work, confidence, strong work ethic, and the will to always strive to win, even when faced with defeat. The candidate shall be a player who makes a significant contribution to the UNCP men's basketball team who excels on the basketball floor, and who demonstrates leadership qualities not only on the basketball court-practice and games-but in day-to-day life around campus and in the community. Demonstrated leadership qualities include, but are not limited to, giving one's all and high moral and ethical standards as reflected by UNCP and its athletic program. Candidate for award of this scholarship shall be a full-time student in the second semester freshman through senior year of study at The University of North Carolina at Pembroke maintaining the minimum university QPA. There is no restriction of residency or major. Demonstrated financial need may be considered.

Carrie Mae, Delton Ray and Dorothy Locklear Scholarship

Scholarship is awarded to an undergraduate NC resident of Robeson or Burke County with demonstrated financial need. Recipient must be majoring in Education an be in good academic standing. The award will be made half in the fall and half in the spring and is renewable as long as funds are available and the recipient continues to meet the criteria.

Caton Family Endowed Scholarship

The scholarship is to be given annually to a student who resides in Robeson County, intends to major in education, and was a Regional Finalist for the NC Teaching Fellows Program with UNCP listed as a 1-5 choice. The hope is that one of the many students who did not receive the NC Teaching Fellows Scholarship, but who nonetheless has excellent qualifications, may have a real need for this scholarship. The donor would like the Director of Teacher Recruitment and/or Teaching Fellows Program Director to bear the following criteria in mind when selecting the recipient (though not all of these attributes need to be present in every recipient; the Director may use his or her judgment): The recipient might be the child of blue collar parents, and may not always have been an exceptional student. The recipient should be in need of financial assistance. The award may be renewed as long as the recipient continues as an education major.

Cecil A. and Frances Butler P.E. Scholarship

Established in 1989 by the Cecil A. Butler Family, this academic scholarship is awarded annually to the student major (sophomore rank or above) who has the highest GPA in the Department of Health and Human Performance. The scholarship is renewable provided the highest GPA is maintained.

Cecil and Naomi Lee Conley Chemistry Scholarship

This scholarship documents the Donors' wishes to support the area of study in which each of them specialized during their long and distinguished careers as faculty members. In 1963, Dr. Cecil Conley became the chairman of Pembroke State University's (now the University of North Carolina at Pembroke) Division of Science and Mathematics. Dr. Naomi Lee, also a PSU alumna, was dean of women and assistant professor in the PSA Business Department. Because of these ties to UNCP, the fact that they met and married while on the PSU campus, and because education had been their careers, these two now retired faculty members established the scholarships in 1993. It has been their hope that these scholarships will benefit young people from the area. Candidates for The Doctors Cecil and Naomi Lee Conley Endowed Scholarship in Chemistry shall be a Robeson County resident majoring in Chemistry, maintaining a 3.0 GPA, whose financial need may be considered but should not be a determining factor. The Selection Committee shall consist of a University Committee in consultation with the Chair of the Department of Chemistry and Physics. Dr. Cecil Conley shall be invited to participate in the final selection.

Century 21 Scholarship

The Donor wishes to encourage young men and women to pursue an education in the field of business by establishing a scholarship that will provide incentive and support. CENTURY 21 The Real Estate Center supports the mission of higher education in general and the University of North Carolina at Pembroke in particular, and hopes to promote careers in business by sponsoring this award. As a longtime leader in the Lumberton business community, CENTURY 21 feels a civic responsibility towards the residents of the area, and intends this award to demonstrate the seriousness of their commitment to the growth and prosperity of this area. Candidates for award of this scholarship shall be a resident of Robeson County in the state of North Carolina and a full time undergraduate student in the School of Business who has committed to business as a major, and is maintaining a 3.0 GPA at The University of North Carolina at Pembroke. The scholarship may be re-awarded annually to the same student assuming he or she meets the criteria above.

Charles "CG" Cummings Jr. Endowed Scholarship

The scholarship was established in 1993 in memory of Charles Gregory "C.G." Cummings, Jr. by his family, Purnell Swett High students, faculty, and friends in his honor. "C.G." was 16 years old and a junior at Purnell Swett High. He was respected and loved by students and faculty. "C.G.'s" warm personality, caring attitude, and his involvement in church, school and community programs made a lasting impression on students, family and his many friends in the community. The scholarship is also in memory of "C.G.'s" friend Ray Ransom. The scholarship is open to any academic major, and awarded annually to a deserving student who demonstrates qualities of leadership, humanitarianism, and who has met academic requirements.

Charles I. and Betty F. Bridger Scholarship

This scholarship was established to provide the opportunity to attend UNCP to an individual from Bladenboro and/or Bladen County. The donors believe that education is essential and has an everlasting impact on the future. The recipient must meet University academic standards and be in financial need. First preference is given to a freshman. The award is then renewable.

Charles Wesley Maynor Endowed Scholarship

Sherry and Cory Watson establish this endowed scholarship in memory of Sherry's grandfather Charles Wesley Maynor, who was the first four-year graduate of University of North Carolina at Pembroke. Sherry and Cory seek to support a deserving student-athlete with first preference to a student-athlete majoring in Education. The Athletics department at the University will manage the scholarship recipient selection in coordination with the School of Education.

Charlie H. and Marie Sampson Moore Scholarship

This scholarship was established by Mary M. Moorehead to honor the memory of her parents who lived in the Prospect community near the campus of UNCP. Mr. Moore graduated from the Cherokee Indian Normal School in 1930 and taught for many years in the Robeson County Schools. Mrs. Moore was a homemaker. This award is given in recognition of the Moore's as nurturing parents and contributing citizens. The recipient of the annual award shall be a full-time junior or senior education major who plans to teach in the public schools. Priority will be given to a candidate whose emphasis is on elementary education. The recipient must maintain at least a "B" grade point average to receive and maintain the award. Financial need may also be a consideration. The award is renewable.

Christine Sides Fisher '75 Endowed Scholarship

Distributions from the Fund shall be used to support students majoring in music with a preference for students majoring in music education. If no students meet the above requirements the funds are to be placed in the music department’s gift fund to be used to support hands-on learning initiatives within classrooms of Robeson County Public Schools, enhancing students' educational experiences through interactive and experiential learning opportunities.

Class of 1955 Scholarship

Having greatly benefited from the existence of this educational institution, and recognizing the impact of a college education upon the quality of their lives, the donors have established the Class of 1955 Endowed Scholarship at The University of North Carolina at Pembroke as a testament of their gratitude and appreciation. Candidate for award of this scholarship shall be a member of a state- or federally-recognized American Indian tribe. The candidate shall be a first-semester senior at The University of North Carolina at Pembroke, majoring in Education, with plans to go immediately into the teaching profession. This award is not

based upon financial need. The candidate must be full-time status and must maintain a 2.5 GPA. There is no restriction on residency.

Claude W. Berry Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship was established by family, friends, and students to honor the memory of Claude W. Berry, Jr., a renowned Robeson County educator. Claude Berry served Robeson County as a seventh grade math teacher, Director of Exceptional Children in the Red Springs City School System and later as Director of Program Services for the Public Schools of Robeson County. He also served as a part-time faculty member of UNCP in the Department of Mathematics and Computer Science. The recipient of this annual award shall be a Robeson County graduate with the declared major in mathematics and/or computer science. The recipient will be chosen regardless of race, gender or financial need. The recipient must maintain a 3.0 GPA or better. The award is renewable.

Clifton Oxendine History Memorial Scholarship

The Donors wish to honor the late Dr. Clifton Oxendine who served the University from 1939 to 1970, first as the dean of the college and then as Professor Emeritus of American History. This scholarship is awarded annually to a disadvantage student majoring in American History using Native American preference as first choice from Robeson and surrounding counties. Recipients must be part of a state or federally recognized tribe. This scholarship was established by family, colleagues, students and admirers to honor the late Dr. Clifton Oxendine who served UNC Pembroke from 1939 to 1970, first as Dean of the college and then as Professor Emeritus of American History. The recipient of The Clifton Oxendine Endowed Memorial Scholarship Fund shall be a full -time undergraduate majoring in American History who meets all academic requirements of the University. The award shall be equal to the full interest of the endowment not to exceed full tuition and fees. The award will be made in the fall. The number of scholarships will be based on funds available. This award is renewable based on meeting the above criteria and has priority. Any funds not disbursed will be left in the fund to accumulate for the next awarding period.

Coach Mario and Elizabeth Poletti Memorial Scholarship for Service

The children of Coach Mario and Elizabeth Poletti wish to honor their mother and their father, who dedicated his life to teaching, coaching, and service to family, church, and community. The scholarship is open to a UNCP football student-athlete in any year of study and is renewable. The recipient shall be a business major (or intend to study business if no major declared), have a minimum 3.0 GPA, be a full-time undergraduate student, and show a record of previous service to family, church, school, and community. Selection will be made by a committee appointed by the Dean of the School of Business and will include the current UNCP Football coach.

Coach Mike Schaeffer Endowed Scholarship

The recipients of the Coach Mike Schaeffer Endowed Scholarship will be residents of North Carolina or South Carolina. This scholarship is open to incoming freshmen who will be members of the Men's or Women's UNCP Soccer Team pursuing a full-time undergraduate degree. The applicants should have their high school coach's or college coach's recommendation or submit a personal essay illustrating their desire to play soccer at UNCP. Financial need should not be considered.

College of Arts and Sciences Social Work Scholarship

The Donor wishes to establish the College of Arts and Sciences Endowed Scholarship for Social Work Majors at UNC Pembroke to honor the memory of a former student who successfully completed the requirements for a degree in Social Work in December 2002. Candidate for award of this scholarship shall be a resident of the state of North Carolina, demonstrating financial need, a full-time student in any year of study, majoring in Social Work and maintaining the minimum 2.5 GPA.

Comstock Memorial Award

These students will declare a major field of study of pre-engineering, applied physics, or geo-environmental studies, and must be accepted into the Pre-Engineering Program or 3+2 Engineering Program.
The student(s) selected to receive this scholarship shall be nominated by the faculty and have their academic and professional potential progress evaluated each semester. Recipients must maintain a 3.2 average (out of a possible 4.0) in all courses. The student(s) will be academically gifted yet financially disadvantaged.

Cora T.Y. & R.E. Smith, Jr. Scholarship

This scholarship has been designated for an academically talented member of a state or federally recognized tribe who has demonstrating financial need. Funded by the S.C. Dames of the XVII Century, this scholarship was established in memory of R.E Smith, Jr., and Cora T.Y. Smith. Mrs. Smith was a former member of many genealogical societies. She was well loved and respected by all who knew her.

Corporate Scholars Fund

Preference given to students in the South East Region of N.C.

Craig K. & Elaine Lowry Family Scholarship

The Donors wish to establish this scholarship to emphasize the importance of education. In an area that is underserved and underfunded, it is our goal that every child within Robeson County receive the same highly valued education that both we and our parents did.. Recipients of this scholarship will be declared Education majors, PSRC graduates, and have intentions of teaching in Robeson County upon graduation.

Creative Impressions Media Scholarship

Creative Impressions Media Scholarship- $2,000 for two students, $1,000 each per academic year in Mass Communications who are academically excellent.

Curt & Catherine Locklear Endowed Scholarship

This scholarship is established by family and friends to commemorate the memory and legacy of the late Curt Locklear's distinguished military service record and dedication as a father, husband, and successful American Indian business leader. His life contributions helped to advance and develop economic, educational, social, and political opportunities for Lumbee Indians in Robeson County and beyond. Further, this gift is given in honor of Catherine Locklear, a devoted wife, mother, and business partner whose selfless acts of service helped to improve the quality of life for her family and community. The scholarship is meant to inspire the recipient to understand that life's fulfillment and happiness may be enriched by the measure of what one invests and gives back to others. The award shall promote the importance of a strong educational foundation as a means of pursuing a meaningful career, in the quest to serve all humanity. Candidates for this scholarship shall: major in Business while pursuing an undergraduate degree at the University of North Carolina at Pembroke; maintain a 3.0 GPA; be a sophomore, junior or senior; and, demonstrate financial need. Recipients shall be enrolled in a State of North Carolina- or federally-recognized tribe. Recipients must have residential status from one of the following counties: Robeson, Cumberland, Scotland, or Hoke. The award will be made annually as long as funds are available.

Danford, Sr., and Reece Graham Dial Family International Scholarship

The Donors wish to honor the memory of their parents/grandparents, Mr. Danford Dial, Sr., and Mrs. Reece Graham Dial, who were dedicated to their family, to education, and to the community. Mr. and Mrs. Dial believed strongly in the value of an education, so much that Mr. Dial led the drive to save UNCP's historic landmark Old Main building from destruction. Through this scholarship, the Dial children and grandchildren wish to provide the opportunity or an education to students from around the world. The recipient will be an international student, failing a qualified international candidate, consideration will be given to Native American students from Robeson County, North Carolina. Criteria for award include: consideration of financial need and scholastic achievement, minimum University GPA is required, part-time or full-time, undergraduate or graduate. It is preferred but not required that the recipient be a freshman with renewal of the scholarship each year provided all criteria are met. There is no required field of study with this scholarship. One award, not to exceed $500.00, will be made half in the fall and half in the spring. The number and amount of awards will increase incrementally with the endowment. The Donors may recommend or refer candidates from time to time but will not be involved in the selection process or decision. Recipient must be part of a state or federally recognized tribe.

David K. Kuo Memorial Scholarship

The Kuo family and their friends wish to honor the memories of Dr. David K. Kuo and Dr. Elizabeth H. Kuo by establishing this scholarship. Dr. David Kuo was a professor of Biology, and Dr. Elizabeth Kuo was a professor of Geography. Together, they served The University of North Carolina at Pembroke for a combined total of 59 dedicated years. Throughout their lifetimes, Drs. David and Elizabeth Kuo enriched and inspired the lives of numerous students, fellow faculty members, and the staff at UNC Pembroke. Eligible recipients of this scholarship are full-time undergraduate students; one in Biology and one in Geo-Environmental. Financial need are not considerations for this honor. The award is renewable contingent upon sufficient funds being available.

David L. Dean, Jr. Memorial Scholarship

The Donors wish to honor their friend and son, David, by establishing this scholarship in his memory. David was a multi-talented person who loved art, singing, reading, and playing the guitar. He was a poet with works published in Poets of America. David was also very intelligent carrying a 4.0 GPA in the first 11 years of school. At 13 he was an Eagle Scout and at 14 received the God and Country Award. He loved being a student at UNCP, especially enjoying his English and History courses. His message to students today would be to "stay in school and give it your all" and to "finish what you start." The recipients of the David L. Dean, Jr. Memorial Scholarship shall be residents of Robeson County majoring in English. Recipients must maintain a minimum 3.0 GPA and be full time undergraduate students at UNCP in any year of study. The recipients must be of demonstrated financial need and the award is renewable if funds are available.

Delta Kappa Gamma (Gamma Gamma Chapter) Annual Scholarship

Candidates for award of this scholarship shall be full-time, non-traditional, undergraduate students in their junior year of study accepted into the teacher education program. The listed criteria are the first preferences of the donor who also reserves the right not to award the scholarship in any given year. If awarded, distribution of funds will be made half in the fall and half in the spring. The award may be renewable. $600 for two students, $300.00 each.

Dennis Lowery and Family Scholarship

The Donor wishes to replace a previously non-endowed scholarship, established in March 2001, with an endowed scholarship in order to provide assistance to local students in higher education in perpetuity; therefore, the Donor has re-established the Dennis Lowery and Family Scholarship as the Dennis Lowery and Family Endowed Scholarship. Candidates for award of this scholarship shall be Native American residents of Robeson County, NC, from the Pembroke, Prospect, or Magnolia communities. Candidates will be selected based upon financial need. The candidate will be a full-time student in the junior or senior year of

study, with no restriction of major and maintaining a 2.5 GPA. Awards will be renewable if funds are available. Recipient must be part of a state or federally recognized tribe.

Dick & Windy Christy Endowed Scholarship

The Christy Endowed Scholarship will be awarded annually to one male and one female student-athlete. To be eligible, students must qualify for the Pell Grant and be recognized as aspiring leaders on their respective athletic teams. The recipients will be selected by the Director of Athletics or their designee. In addition to meeting the eligibility criteria, the selected students must exemplify the following values: caring, joyful, team-oriented, selfless, kind, loyal, humble, and mature.

Doris Baumann Johnson Scholarship in Music

This scholarship was established by Dr. Kenneth Johnson in memory of his wife, who taught music education courses in the Music Department for many years. The scholarship is awarded annually to a student who is active in the Music Educators National Conference and who shows exceptional potential as a music teacher.

Dr. Angela C. Meredith Endowed Scholarship

Dr. Angela Meredith has established this scholarship fund to encourage and directly benefit UNC Pembroke non-traditional students. As a non-traditional student and successful alumna, Dr. Meredith understands the circumstances that challenge this determined group of UNCP students, and the support and perseverance necessary for success. This scholarship is intended for non-traditional students pursuing an undergraduate degree, and is renewable. The donor additionally intends that the scholarship be awarded to students preparing for a career in the health sciences (e.g. the medical and allied healthcare fields, with an appropriate major like nursing, biology, chemistry, pre-med, or other.)

Dr. Ben Hardin Pre-Medical Endowed Scholarship

Dr. Ben Hardin was valedictorian of his high school, he attended Pembroke State College and was a student leader. While serving in the U.S. Navy he chose to pursue a medical degree and serve his Native community. He was the first Native American student to attend UNC Chapel Hill School of Medicine. He established his practice in 1980 and served 25 years as admitting physician at Southeastern Regional Medical Center.

This scholarship will be awarded to a student pursuing a degree in Chemistry: Pre-Medical Professions or Biology: Biomedical Emphasis. This award is renewable.

Dr. Bobby D. Brayboy Endowed Scholarship

The recipients of the Dr. Bobby D. Brayboy Endowed Scholarship will be open to any North Carolina resident that is a member of a state or federally recognized American Indian tribe. Secondary consideration can be given to a South Carolina resident tribal member if there

are no NC applicants available. Student must be full time with no preference regarding major. They will be expected to maintain the minimum university standard QPA. Incoming freshman as well as current student will be eligible. They must demonstrate financial need. The award is renewable.

Dr. Bruce DeHart Endowed Memorial Scholarship

Dr. DeHart served as professor of History at UNC Pembroke for over 30 years, specializing in Russian History and chair of the History department. This scholarship will support an academically excellent student majoring in History.

Dr. Carl M. Fisher Memorial Scholarship

The Donors wish to honor their husband and father, Dr. Carl M. Fisher, who died March 30, 2006, after 37 years of service to The University of North Carolina at Pembroke, by establishing this scholarship in his memory. Dr. Fisher was employed at UNCP from 1967 until his retirement in 1994. While at UNCP he worked as a professor in the Education Department and an administrator. One of his greatest aspirations was to teach in a way that would encourage students to want to continue their education. Therefore, this scholarship is being established to help a deserving student in the School of Education achieve her or his ultimate goal of an undergraduate or graduate degree at UNC Pembroke. The recipients of the Dr. Carl M. Fisher Memorial Scholarship must have a declared major in Education and maintain a minimum 3.0 GPA. Recipients may be either part- or full-time undergraduate students in their junior or senior year of study or graduate students. There is no restriction of residency or financial need. The award is renewable if funds are available.

Dr. Charles Jenkins Educational Leadership Endowed Scholarship

The Dr. Charles Jenkins Educational Leadership Endowed Scholarship has been established to provide financial aid to students pursuing a Master of School Administration in the UNCP School of Education.

Dr. Collie Coleman and Dr. Robert L. Canida, II Award

This award was established by Mr. Robert Canida, the first African-American Director for UNCP's Office of Multicultural and Minority Affairs, and Mrs. Annie Coleman, Assistant Dean of Research Services in the Mary Livermore Library at UNC Pembroke and widow of Dr. Coleman, in honor of her late husband, the first African-American Associate Vice Chancellor for Outreach at UNC Pembroke. The Donors wish to memorialize Dr. Coleman as a true educator, mentor, community activist, leader and visionary. Dr. Coleman will always remain in the hearts of those that truly knew him as "A Somebody!" The purpose of this fund is to provide an award to a member of UNC Pembroke's National Pan-Hellenic Council (NPHC) who exhibits academic excellence. In the event that the NPHC shall become non-existent, the Donors would like for the award to go to the office/department responsible for overseeing University Diversity Initiatives. The recipients of the Dr. Collie Coleman Award

shall be natives of North Carolina; but there is no restriction to county. Recipients shall: (1) be undergraduate students in either the sophomore, junior or senior year of study; (2) maintain a 3.0 GPA; (3) be a current member of good standing of the UNCP National Pan-Hellenic Council (NPHC); and, (4) be of demonstrated financial need. The award, made in the spring of the year, is renewable

Dr. David Eliades Memorial Scholarship in History

This scholarship is established in memory of the beloved UNCP History Professor, Dr. David K. Eliades. Dr. Eliades was a popular, award-winning educator, scholar, journalist, and author who taught North Carolina and American Indian history among other courses from 1967-2001. He served as chair of the History Department, coordinator of the American Studies Program, and was honored with the title of professor emeritus in retirement. Dr. Eliades was also awarded UNCPâ€™s first Distinguished Professor Award in 1983, and the UNC Board of Governors Award for Teaching Excellence in 1998. His scholarship included The Only Land I Know: A History of the Lumbee Indiansâ(1974) coauthored with Adolph L. Dial, and â€œPembroke State University: A Centennial History (1987) coauthored with Dr. Linda Oxendine (reprinted as Hail to UNCP! A 125-Year History of the University of North Carolina at Pembroke with contributions made by Lawrence T. Locklear - 2014).

The recipient of the Dr. David Eliades Memorial Scholarship in History will be a full-time undergraduate in their Junior or Senior year. The recipient will have a declared major in History or Social Studies Education. The recipient must have a minimum 3.0 GPA.

Dr. Gerald Dean and Annie Ruth Maynor Endowed Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship was established by the family of Dr. Gerald Dean and Annie Ruth Maynor, former Chair of the Education Department of UNCP, in honor of his belief in the importance of education and his desire to help others succeed. The recipient of the scholarship will be a resident of Robeson County and a graduate of Purnell Swett High School. The recipient will be a full time undergraduate student with a minimum 3.0 GPA. The recipient shall have a financial need. The award is renewable.

Dr. Harold David Maxwell Scholarship in Biology

This scholarship is established by the family, colleagues and friends to honor the memory of Dr. Harold David Maxwell, a distinguished professor of Biology. Dr. Maxwell joined the UNC Pembroke faculty in 1967 and spent over fifty years with the university until his tragic passing in 2020. This scholarship was established to continue the legacy of Dr. Maxwell's work by supporting students that excel academically but experience financial need.

The recipient will be a full-time freshman or sophomore pursuing a degree in Biology. The recipient must demonstrate financial need and have at least a 3.0 QPA. This scholarship will be awarded each fall and is renewable if the recipient continues to meet the eligibility requirements.

Dr. Harold Teague Endowed Scholarship

Distributions from the Fund shall be used to support students majoring in health science in the College of Arts and Sciences with a preference given to students majoring in general and organic chemistry.

Dr. Jill Tolar Campbell Endowed Scholarship in Music

Nat Talor establishes this scholarship in honor of his daughter, Dr. Jill Campbell, who is an associate professor, singer, and instructor in musical education in Eastern Kentucky University's School of Music. Distributions from the Fund shall be used to provide financial aid for students majoring in Music at UNC Pembroke.

Dr. L. Ray Brayboy Endowed Scholarship

The recipients of the DR. RAY BRAYBOY SCHOLARSHIP will be graduate students in Education Administration and residents of North Carolina resident. Preference will be given to graduates of NC public schools. The Recipient must be an enrolled member of a federally or state recognized tribe. Recipients shall be full-time graduate students, maintaining a minimum 3.0 QPA. The award will be made half in the fall and half in the spring and is renewable as long as funds are available and the recipient continues to meet the criteria. In the occurrence there is not a qualified graduate student to receive set scholarship, a qualified undergraduate student majoring in Elementary Education will also then be capable eligible to apply/be awarded.

Dr. Mary Ann Elliott Scholarship

The Donor wishes to support a financially deserving engineering student. The recipients of The Mary Ann Elliott Endowed Scholarship will be residents of North Carolina studying toward a major in Engineering or Telecommunications-related field. Recipients must maintain a minimum of 2.5 GPA and may be full-time or part-time undergraduate students. The award will occur half in the fall and half in the spring semester, can be made in any year of study and is renewable.

Dr. Mary Guy Beaver Memorial Scholarship

The recipients of the Dr. Mary Guy Beaver Memorial Scholarship shall be recreation majors in their Sophomore, junior or senior year of study. Recipients must maintain a 2.5 GPA and be full-time. The award is renewable as long as all the criteria is met. Financial need is not a consideration and there is no residency restriction.

Dr. Rev. Jerry Lowry Scholarship

In 1990, Rev. Jerry Lowry established a Planned Gift with the University of North Carolina at Pembroke Foundation. Because this gift was prompted by his love of UNCP, upon his death, the gift endowed a scholarship in the Department of Philosophy and Religion. The

establishment of this scholarship affirmed Dr. Lowry's strong belief in the importance of faith and serving others. The recipients of the Doctor Reverend Jerry Lowry Endowed Scholarship will be residents of North Carolina, with preference going to a Robeson County native majoring or with a minor in Religion at UNC Pembroke. Recipients shall be either full- or part-time undergraduate students of demonstrated financial need, maintaining a 3.0 GPA. The award will be made half in the fall and half in the spring and is renewable as long as funds are available and the recipient continues to meet the criteria.

Dr. Robert L. Romine Music Scholarship

The recipient of the Dr. Robert L. Romine Music Scholarship shall be an undergraduate or graduate student in any year of study pursuing a music degree with an instrumental orientation or a music education degree (any emphasis). The recipient can be a full-time or part-time, and must maintain a 2.5 QPA and have a demonstrated financial need. Residency status will not be considered. This scholarship is renewable to the same recipient.

Dr. Sherry Laurent Endowed Scholarship

The donor established this scholarship to honor his spouse, Dr. Sherry Laurent. The recipient will be a member of a State or Federally recognized tribe, full-time undergraduate and a resident of North Carolina.

Dr. Thomas E. Wooten Endowed Scholarship

Dr. Thomas E. Wooten, a native of Hamlet, North Carolina, put himself through college and graduate school. Dr. Wooten taught Forestry at Clemson University for 37.5 years. During this time he advised and mentored many undergraduate and graduate students. Dr. Wooten was a strong advocate of education and throughout his life remained devoted to Southeastern North Carolina. The donors wish to honor his memory and recognize an outstanding continuing graduate student within the Physical Education program by providing this scholarship. The recipients will be graduate-level Physical Education majors and maintain a minimum of 3.0 GPA. Recipients may be full-time or part-time students. The award is renewable.

Dr. Tommy Thompson Endowed Scholarship in Sports Management

The donor wishes to recognize the work of Dr. Tommy Thompson, a graduate of the University of North Carolina at Pembroke (then Pembroke State College) who served as a faculty member in the Health, Physical Education and Recreation Department for 35 years, 27 of which he was department chair. During his tenure as department chair, Dr. Thompson established the Sports Management track within the Exercise and Sport Science degree program, and was instrumental in establishing a master's degree in Physical Education.

The recipients of the Dr. Tommy Thompson Endowed Scholarship in Sports Management will be a full-time sophomore or junior pursuing an Exercise and Sport Science degree in the

Sports Management track and maintain a minimum 3.0 QPA. Financial need is not a consideration. The award is renewable.

Dr. Von S. Locklear Memorial Scholarship in Social Work

The Dr. Von S. Locklear Memorial Scholarship is awarded to a sophomore or junior Social Work major to be used for a year of study. Preference will be given to:(a) persons who demonstrate an appreciation for the Lumbee culture and tradition; (b) those who have demonstrated a commitment to the social work profession; and (c) a good GPA. The scholarship is given in memory of Von Locklear who died of cancer in 1989 at the age of 36. During his short adult life, Von consistently demonstrated an unconditional commitment to the profession of social work.

Dr. Warren Baker Endowed Scholarship for Teacher Education

Dr. Warren Baker had a long and successful association with UNC Pembroke. He earned his bachelor's degree in Political Science and Advanced Teaching Certificate in 1975 at UNCP, and held several significant administrative posts on campus including Admissions Counselor, Director of Admissions, Director of Institutional Research and Planning, Director of University-School Partnerships, Interim Dean of Education, and Dean of Education. The recipients of the Dr. Warren Baker Endowed Scholarship for Teacher Education will be undergraduate students majoring in the Teacher Education Program and residents of North Carolina. Preference will be given to graduates of Bladen, Cumberland, or Robeson County public schools. Recipients shall be full-time undergraduate students, maintaining a minimum 3.0 GPA. The award will be made half in the fall and half in the spring and is renewable as long as funds are available and the recipient continues to meet the criteria.

Drs. Naomi Lee and Cecil Conley Endowed Scholarship in Business Administration

This scholarship documents the Donors' wishes to support the area of study in which each of them specialized during their long and distinguished careers as faculty members. In 1963, Dr. Cecil Conley became the chairman of Pembroke State University's (now the University of North Carolina at Pembroke) Division of Science and Mathematics. Dr. Naomi Lee, also a PSU alumna, was dean of women and assistant professor in the PSU Business Department. Because of these ties to UNCP, the fact that they met and married while on the PSU campus, and because education had been their careers, these two now retired faculty members established the scholarships in 1993. It has been their hope that these scholarships will benefit young people from the area. Candidates for award of The Doctors Naomi Lee and Cecil Conley Endowed Scholarship in Business Administration shall be a Robeson County resident majoring in Business Administration, maintaining a 3.0 GPA, whose financial need may be considered but should not be a determining factor.

Duke Energy Endowed Scholarship

This scholarship is awarded to an Education major with a GPA Status of 3.5. The student must be pursuing a teacher certification in Math or Science and demonstrate academic excellence, leadership potential and desire to succeed.

Duke Energy Endowed Teaching Scholarship

UNC Pembroke respectfully requests funding for the establishment of the Progress Energy Teaching Scholars program for junior and senior Education majors with an emphasis in science. The program would allow UNC Pembroke the opportunity to recruit and offer scholarships to two outstanding Native American students to major in Education. The scholarship would be renewed for their senior year as long as the recipients maintained a 3.5 QPA and met the requirements of the School of Education. Recipient must be part of a state or federally recognized tribe.

Earl A. and Ophelia Thomas Endowed Scholarship

Earl A. Thomas graduated from Pembroke Indian Normal School (the predecessor to today's UNCP) in 1934 while his wife Ophelia Thomas graduated in 1933. Named in their memory, this scholarship is awarded annually to two academically talented members of a state or federally recognized tribe, first preference to one male and one female, who demonstrate a need for financial assistance. Recipients must maintain a minimum 3.0 GPA, incoming freshman and is renewable.

Purnell Swett Graduate & renewable through time at UNCP per information sheet.

Earl Hughes Oxendine Memorial Scholarship

The Earl Hughes Oxendine Endowed Memorial Scholarship was established in 1991 by family and friends to honor this long-time educator who graduated from UNC Pembroke in 1957. Awards will be made to deserving students from the region who demonstrate qualities of leadership, service, and integrity. Recipients must receive the recommendation of their high school advisor or principal. Awards will normally be renewed to the recipient as long as h/she remains in good standing at the University. Decisions for renewal will be made annually.

Ed Crain Track & Cross Country

The Donor wishes to provide financial support for track and field and cross country athletes that have a demonstrated need and help supplement athletic department scholarships offered to track and field / cross-country athletes.The recipients will be members of the UNCP Men's Track & Field and/or Men's Cross-Country teams who meet NCAA and conference eligibility requirements. Incoming freshman as well as current students, both undergraduates and graduates, will be eligible. Students must have full-time status. The award may be renewable to the same recipient. If there are no applicants that meet the

above requirements, the Office of Financial Aid may make an award to the applicant that most closely meets the requirements.

Elsmer Ray and Edith V. Barnes Scholarship

Mr. Elsmer Ray Barnes generously provides this scholarship in loving memory of his wife and for the purpose of assisting aspiring students who demonstrate outstanding leadership potential. Based upon high school involvement and academic record, this scholarship is renewable for four years of continuous study. In order to maintain the scholarship, the recipient must be a full-time student and have a 3.0 GPA.

The recipient of this scholarship shall be a full-time student. The recipient must have at least a 3.0 high school GPA and maintain at least a 3.0 GPA while in college to receive and maintain the award. Preference will be given to students from Robeson and Columbus counties, and preference will be given to students who plan to major in Teacher Education or Business. Financial need will be taken into consideration.

Endowed Scholarship in Elementary Education Honoring the Saddletree Community

Candidates for this scholarship will be graduates from a high school in Robeson County and current residents of North Carolina. The candidates will be full-time and majoring in Elementary Education. The candidates will have and maintain a minimum 3.0 GPA. Incoming freshmen as well as current students will be eligible. The scholarship will be based on financial need. The award is renewable as long as the criteria is met.

Erskine B. Bowles Endowed Scholarship

The University of North Carolina at Pembroke established this scholarship in honor of the Donor with funds contributed to the University to assist students in financial need seeking a degree at UNCP. The recipients will be selected solely on their demonstrated financial need. There is no restriction of major, GPA, year of study, status or residency.

Esther G. Maynor Endowed Scholarship

Maynor scholarships can be awarded to incoming, first-year members of the Maynor Honors College. This scholarship will cover any unmet financial need (applied toward the cost of tuition, fees, room, and board) minus any other financial aid the student receives. A book stipend is also included. To assess financial need, Maynor scholarship awardees need to submit an annual FAFSA application to the Office of Financial Aid. The scholarship is renewable for three additional years provided that the student remains in good academic standing at the university and meets the requirements for continuation in the Honors College. Born and raised in Robeson County, Esther Graham Maynor was the daughter of Duncan and Dovie Lowry Graham. She married Therod Maynor. During WWII, Therod Maynor and Floyd Pike became friends and eventually business partners with Pike Electric

in Mount Airy, NC. Pike Electric is the largest electrical contractor in the southeast. Therod passed away in 1967 and Mrs. Maynor stayed in Mount Airy. Upon Mrs. Maynor's death, she left in her will that her Trust Estate, minus some specific distributions that she listed, be given to the Trustees of UNC Pembroke for the purpose of establishing the Esther G. Maynor Scholarship.

Esther G. Maynor Study Abroad Scholarship

Part of the Maynor Gift has been set aside to support study abroad opportunities. These scholarships are open to any UNCP student in good standing, though preference will be given to members of the Maynor Honors College. The scholarships are designed to offset expenses associated with formal study abroad opportunities. The program abroad must result in college credit transferable to UNCP, and students must have a demonstrated financial need. Awards are typically valued at approximately $1000, depending upon the number of awards and available funds.
Born and raised in Robeson County, Esther Graham Maynor was the daughter of Duncan and Dovie Lowry Graham. She married Therod "Horse" Maynor. During WWII, Therod Maynor and Floyd Pike became friends and eventually business partners with Pike Electric in Mount Airy, NC. Pike Electric is the largest electrical contractor in the southeast. Therod passed away in 1967 and Mrs. Maynor stayed in Mount Airy. Upon Mrs. Maynor's death, she left in her will that her Trust Estate, minus some specific distributions that she listed, be given to the Trustees of UNC Pembroke for the purpose of establishing the Esther G. Maynor Scholarship.

Eugene Anderson Accounting Endowed Scholarship

Distributions from the fund shall be used to provide financial aid to students majoring in Accounting from Eastern North Carolina, with a preference for students who have transferred into UNC Pembroke.

Family and Friends of Peter Brooks Endowed Scholarship for the UNC System Veterinary Education Access (UNC-SVEA) Program

The donor has established a living memorial in honor of Peter Brooks. Peter Brooks was known in the community as a protector of freedom, a servant of the people, and a proponent of education. He was genuinely concerned about the welfare of others and encouraged continuing education. His philosophies form the hallmark of this scholarship. The recipient will be a full-time student pursuing a degree in Biology, who has been accepted in the UNC System Veterinary Education Access (UNC-SVEA) Program. Preference will be given to a recipient who is in a State or Federally recognized tribe. The scholarship is renewable, if the recipient continues to remain in the program.

Faye Nye Lewis ROTC Scholarship

The scholarship, generously supported by Ms. Lewis, is awarded annually to a sophomore ROTC candidate who has completed his or her freshman year as a Reserve Officers Training Corps (ROTC) student. It is to provide funds for the student's sophomore year as an ROTC cadet and is based on his/her overall achievement.

First Union Chancellors Scholarship

Given to an academically gifted student.

FOL Ben Chavis, Grandmother Lela Locklear-Chavis, and Great-Great Grandfather John Archie Locklear Endowed Scholarship

The Donor's intent is to establish an award in honor of Ben Chavis, his grandmother, Lela Locklear-Chavis, great-great grand-father John Archie Locklear and ancestors, for their outstanding service and contribution to provide educational opportunities for young people. This award is established to affirm and promote their belief in the enduring value of education and in the importance of applying oneself in order to achieve success. This endowed scholarship is meant to encourage and inspire recipients to perform at an optimal level of excellence and to provide financial support as they pursue their field of study. The Donor believes that education is a means of broadening one's horizons, not only in the pursuit of a career but also in the quest for a future that is open to the many possibilities that come with a strong educational foundation. Candidates qualified for this scholarship shall major in math or a science related field of study, pursuing an undergraduate degree at The University of North Carolina at Pembroke. The Donor prefers that financial need is demonstrated; however, the Friends of the Library may use its discretion to determine the recipient which is most deserving. One award will be made annually.

FOL Dean Elinor Foster Newberry Endowed Scholarship

The Donors wish to fully endow the existing Friends of the Library Dean Elinor Foster Newberry Scholarship to assist at least one or two undergraduate students per year at UNCP, depending upon fund availability. The purpose of this fund is to provide financial assistance with tuition and fees. Candidates for consideration of this award shall be full time undergraduate students in the sophomore, junior or senior year of study at UNCP meeting a 3.0 minimum QPA standard restriction. Candidates may be pursuing a degree in English or Education. Candidates must demonstrate financial need and the award is renewable but candidates must reapply each semester.

FOL Dr. Anthony R. Curtis Endowed Scholarship

Friends of the Library selects the recipient. Students applying for the scholarship must be in their sophomore, junior, or senior year at the time of application and must maintain a 3.0 GPA.

Fredrick (Freddie) Paul Deese Endowed Scholarship

The Donors wish to honor the memory of their beloved Freddie Deese by establishing the Fredrick (Freddie) Paul Deese Endowed Scholarship. Freddie left this world too early and this endowed scholarship will honor his memory for years to come. He was an outstanding person with many responsibilities. He loved music and played the guitar wherever he went. Freddie graduated from the University of North Carolina at Pembroke in 1993 with a Bachelor of Science degree in Criminal Justice. He continued his educational pursuits and received a Masters of Art in Teaching from UNC Pembroke in 2008. He was a probation officer and later taught history at Purnell Swett High School.

The Fredrick (Freddie) Paul Deese Endowed Scholarship will be awarded to a full time or part time student pursuing a degree in History, Science, Technology, Education or Math. The recipient will be a North Carolina resident consideration will be given to residents of Robeson County who graduated from a Public Schools of Robeson County high school. The recipient will have the University Minimum GPA, be in their Freshman year of study, and have a financial need. The award is renewable as long as the recipient maintains the University Minimum GPA.

Garry Henry Endowed Scholarship

The Donor wishes to recognize former UNCP student-athlete, Garry Henry, for his outstanding accomplishments as a long distance runner both while at UNCP and afterwards. In 1978 Garry led UNCP's Cross Country Team to a National Championship. Garry's personal bests while at UNCP include a time of 29:31 in the 10K (6.2 miles) and 23:50 in the 8K (5 miles). In 1980 he achieved international prominence as a long distance runner when he ran four marathons, averaging 2:12. In his fourth marathon of that year he ran the fourth fastest marathon in the world with a time of 2:10.09. This scholarship is open to state, national, and international students who meet University enrollment standards. Both incoming freshman and current students will be eligible. Recipients must maintain a minimum 2.0 QPA and remain in an undergraduate degree program approved by the University. The award is renewable.

Gary Spitler Memorial Scholarship

The Donor's gift will be awarded annually to a student assistant sports information director enrolled at Pembroke State University (Now UNC Pembroke). The student will maintain acceptable University standards of academic performance and be a full-time student. The scholarship will be awarded in the fall and paid equally in the fall and spring. The Director of the athletics department and the sports information director will be responsible for recipient selection. The award may be renewed.

Gene Locklear Art Scholarship

This scholarship was established by friends of Gene Locklear, a Pembroke native, former professional baseball player and renowned artist. Mr. Locklear's paintings, primarily depicting Native Americans, have owners worldwide and include the governor of North

Carolina and baseball legend Pete Rose. One of Mr. Locklear's paintings was even selected to hang in the White House. This scholarship is awarded annually to an Art major. The recipient is selected on the basis of artistic ability and/or need.

Gene Warren Endowed Scholarship

This scholarship is awarded annually to a student majoring or intending to pursue a career in journalism or public relations. It is based on academic performance. The award is renewable and given to highest GPA.

General Allen J. Jamerson Scholarship

The Donor wishes to establish this endowed scholarship to help a young person further their education and reach their educational goals. The scholarship will recognize the outstanding UNC Pembroke Air Force ROTC cadet as determined by the Detachment 607 staff. This scholarship will be awarded to a deserving full-time Junior or Senior in good academic standing. The recipient must maintain a minimum grade point average of 2.5.

George "Kelly" Locklear Jr. Memorial Scholarship

The Donor wishes to honor her brother, Kelly, by establishing this scholarship in his memory. The recipients will be Veterans in a State or Federally recognized tribe and/or their family members. They will be full-time undergraduates in any year of study, have a 2.5 GPA, demonstrate financial need. The award is renewable as long as the requirements continue to be met.

George H. Martino Memorial Scholarship

His daughter Georgiann M. George established this scholarship in loving memory of Mr. George H. Martino. Mr. Martino lived his life as a positive example to all who had the joy of knowing him. He was a quiet and compassionate man, a good husband, a loving father and a nurturing grandfather. He is remembered as an untiring volunteer who gave unselfishly to those less fortunate than he was. Candidate for award of this scholarship shall be a full time undergraduate student at The University of North Carolina at Pembroke in any year of study. They must have a declared major in Education and be of demonstrated financial need. Candidate must maintain a 3.0 GPA.

George Lea Harper, Jr. Scholarship

The George Lea Harper, Jr. Memorial Scholarship was established on March 24, 1995, in memory of Dr. George Harper, a former professor in the Philosophy and Religion Department, by his friends and colleagues. The recipients must major in Philosophy or Religion and meet all academic standards of the University. It is available to undergraduate students in any year of study as well as to graduate students. The recipients may be full-or-part-time status. There is no residency restriction and the scholarship is renewable.

George R. Walter Endowed Scholarship

The Donors wish to honor Dr. Walter for his many years of teaching and leadership in The University of North Carolina at Pembroke's Music Department. The recipient will be a full time student majoring in music. The recipient must maintain a minimum of 3.0 GPA and be in the sophomore year of study. The award will be made in the fall. The recipient does not have to demonstrate financial need.

Gibson-MacLean Endowed Scholarship

This Gibson-MacLean Scholarship was established by Dr. Hector MacLean and Dr. M. Carr Gibson of Lumberton, N.C. The scholarship is to be awarded annually to an academically gifted student. The award will normally be renewed to the recipient as long as the student remains in good academic standing at the University. The decision regarding renewal will be made annually.

Gilbert D. Prevatte Endowed Memorial Scholarship

The donors wish to honor the memory of Mr. Tony Prevatte's brother, Gilbert D. Prevatte, a 1979 UNCP graduate. Eligible candidates are residents of Robeson County, NC, enrolled as full-time undergraduate students in any year of study. The recipient must maintain a 3.0 GPA and may major in any area of study. The amount of this scholarship will be awarded in two allotments: half in the fall semester and the remaining half in the spring semester. The award will be renewable if funds are available.

Glenn E. Sampson Scholarship

This scholarship is established to honor the memory of Glenn Sampson. As a middle grade student, Glenn became active in the American Indian Science and Engineering Society (AISES) program and participated in AISES summer camps in Wisconsin, Iowa, New Mexico and California. Later in high school and college he attended several national conferences. Glenn chose to remain active in AISES beyond his graduation from The University of North Carolina at Pembroke, where he graduated with a B.S. in mathematics.
The scholarship will provide financial assistance to a student that is a member of AISES to attend a major (regional or national) AISES conference. The scholarship can also be awarded to provide financial assistance to a declared Math major. The recipient of the Glenn E. Sampson Scholarship will be a full-time undergraduate or graduate student, and have one or both of the following: a declared major in Mathematics or a member of AISES, preparing to attend a state or national conference. The recipient must be a resident of North Carolina, have a financial need, and have a minimum 2.0 GPA. The award is renewable as long as the qualifications continue to be met. Two awards will be given each academic year.

Glenn-Hagmeier Athletic Training Scholarship

This scholarship was established in 2000 by Allan Glenn based upon his experience of support and assistance during his years as a student and athletic trainer at the University. It also honors the memory of his father, Mr. Raymond Haigmeier who devoted many years to officiating baseball at the University. This scholarship is designed to provide an opportunity for an athletic training student to have a portion of their education funded. Criteria for award of this scholarship include: the recipient of this scholarship shall be a graduate student seeking a Master of Science in Athletic Training at the University without regard to financial need, year of study, or county/state of residence. The recipient must maintain a minimum GPA of 3.0. The scholarship will be awarded half in the fall and half in the spring. The scholarship is renewable.

Gordon and Mary Lea Dove Endowed Scholarship for UNC Pembroke Athletics

The Gordon and Mary Lea Dove Endowed Scholarship for UNC Pembroke Athletics is open to any member of UNC Pembroke Athletics programs demonstrating financial need. There is no preference with regards to residency, major or year of study. The recipient must maintain minimum University and NCAA academic eligibility standards. The award is renewable.

Gordon Gibson Endowed Scholarship

This scholarship was established in memory of Dr. Gibson, who retired from a distinguished musical career in New York and served as a staff accompanist at UNCP before passing away in 2004, at the age of 80. This scholarship recognizes musical excellence and personal commitment to the Music Department. The candidate for award of this scholarship shall be a full-time, graduate or undergraduate student majoring in Music at The University of North Carolina at Pembroke. Candidate must be in the junior or senior year of study possessing a minimum QPA of 2.5 to be considered for this award. There is no residency restriction or restriction to financial need.

Grace Loving Gibson Scholarship

The scholarship was established by students and friends of Grace E. L. Gibson, who taught composition, literature, journalism, and creative writing (1966-1986) in the Communicative Arts Department of UNC Pembroke. It is awarded annually to a talented student writer majoring in English who has demonstrated creativity and ability in communication.

Greg and Gail Allen Scholarship in History

The recipient of the Greg and Gail Allen Scholarship in History will be a full-time undergraduate in their Junior or Senior year. The recipient will have a declared major in History. Preference will be given to a recipient who graduated from a high school in Robeson County. The recipient must have a minimum 3.0 GPA.

Gregory Nathan Tolar Endowed Scholarship in Computer Science

Nathaniel "Nat" Dunn Tolar establishes this scholarship in loving memory of his son, Gregory "Greg" Nathan Tolar. After high school, Greg built his systems expertise through roles at Google, McAfee, Nokia, and Zscaler. He Then became a Senior Systems Engineer for Yahoo, where he was recognized for his talent at the senior engineer level. In addition to his professional achievements, Greg was a devoted and loving son, brother, and uncle. Nat Tolar establishes this scholarship to carry on the legacy of his son's achievement and to support students who are interested in the same field that he was. The recipients of this scholarship will be students in the computer science department in any program, including cybersecurity, computer science, and information technology.

H. Gail Davis Nursing Scholarship

The Donors wish to honor H. Gail Davis by establishing this scholarship in her honor. Southeastern Regional Medical Center's family and friends recognize Ms. Davis for her 38 years of dedicated service to the nursing profession and her contributions that ensured consistent, quality patient care. Candidate for award of this scholarship shall be a resident of the state of North Carolina who is a full-time undergraduate student in the junior or senior year of study seeking a degree in Nursing and maintaining a 2.5 GPA at The University of North Carolina at Pembroke. There is no restriction of financial need, and the award is renewable.

Hampton and Pattie Brayboy Endowed Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship was established in memory of Pattie L. Brayboy, a graduate of UNC Pembroke, class of 1967. Mrs. Brayboy was an outstanding educator and guidance counselor. She was respected by her students and peers and was dedicated to the intellectual development of her students for 21 years. The scholarship is to be awarded annually to graduating seniors from Purnell Swett High School who will be entering UNC Pembroke. The students must have an overall B average in their senior year plus a strong recommendation from the guidance counselor and principal. The recipient shall demonstrate financial need.

Harold T. Ellen Baseball Endowed Scholarship

The Donors wish to honor the accomplishments and contributions of longtime UNCP Baseball Coach Harold T. Ellen with the establishment of this scholarship. Coach Ellen's lifelong commitment to education and athletics garnered him many personal awards including induction into the NAIA and UNCP Halls of Fame; however, he most cherished the friendships established and the knowledge that, through teaching and coaching, he made a positive impact on so many lives. This scholarship recognizes his legacy as a husband, father, coach, and teacher. The recipient of the Harold T. Ellen Baseball Endowed Scholarship shall be a full-time undergraduate student and UNCP baseball player meeting NCAA and UNCP Athletic Department eligibility requirements. The recipient must maintain

a minimum 2.5 QPA in his field of study. There is no preference to residency, subject major, or year of study. Demonstrated financial need is not a consideration and the scholarship is renewable. The recipient is to be selected by the Financial Aid Office with input provided by the UNCP Baseball Head Coach using the above criteria.

Harry Hutchison Gibson Endowed Scholarship

The Gibson scholarship is to be awarded annually to freshman and to an academically gifted student. It will normally be renewed to the recipient as long as he/she is in good standing at the University. The decision regarding renewal will be made annually.

Haskins Family Endowed Scholarship in Women's Basketball & Football

The Haskins Family Endowed Scholarship for Football and Women's Basketball was created by John and Kelly Haskins, and their children, Morgan and Connor. The scholarship was established by the Haskins Family to award a student-athlete playing football special teams or women's basketball. The Haskins Family's love of sports and the dedication of John and Connor as a coach and student-athlete, respectively, for UNC Pembroke Athletics inspired the family to financially invest in future student-athletes who have a similar passion for their sport and UNC Pembroke. The recipients of this scholarship will be student athletes of the UNC Pembroke Football and Women's Basketball programs. The award will alternate between Football and Women's Basketball programs, starting with Football. The initial award recipient will be a member of the football program with a high preference for a special teams player. There is no preference relating to financial need, residency, year of study, or subject major. This scholarship is renewable until the recipient exhausts their playing eligibility at which time the recipient will switch to the other program. The recipient will be an undergraduate student-athlete maintaining the minimum University standard.

Hattie M. Strong Scholars Program

The Donor wishes to reduce financial pressure for students in teacher education programs during the student-teaching semester, when a student's ability to offset expenses with outside employment is curtailed by the rigor of full-time work in the classroom.

The recipients of the Strong Scholars Program's annual scholarship will be education majors who are in the process of initial licensure whom the selection committee identifies as having the potential to become excellent classroom teachers. Recipients must be undergraduate students who have exhibited outstanding success and enthusiasm in field experience prior to the final year of the program or graduate students whose life experiences prior to enrollment reveal the same traits. Recipients must maintain a minimum of 3.0 GPA in the two semesters prior to their final year. Recipients must have demonstrated financial need. Several awards at around $5,000 each will be given each year that funds are available.

You must complete your student teaching internship in the current academic year to be eligible for this scholarship.

Hedgpeth Family Endowed Scholarship

The Donor is creating the Wendy M. Hedgpeth Scholarship in order to help students in financial need to overcome barriers and to reach their full potential. Part of the criteria is that the recipient be pursuing a degree in Computer Science because the donor is passionate about technology and believes the country needs more technology focused talent. The recipients of the Wendy M. Hedgpeth Scholarship shall be undergraduate students, juniors or seniors, of either full or part-time status, majoring in Computer Science and maintaining a minimum 2.5 GPA. The recipient should complete community service. First preference shall be given to a candidate from a state- or federally-recognized American Indian tribe. Recipients shall be natives of Robeson County with demonstrated financial need. The award is renewable as long as the recipient continues to meet the criteria.

Helen Maynor Scheirbeck Endowed Scholarship

This scholarship is established by family and friends to honor Helen's distinguished service and lifelong contributions to American Indian people and, in particular, to the Lumbee Tribe of which she was a member. The intent of this scholarship is to establish an award which will affirm and promote Helen's belief in the enduring value of education; and to commemorate the memory and legacy of one who dedicated her life to the advancement and advocacy of American Indian justice and her appreciation for the academic discipline of American Indian Studies. This endowed scholarship is meant to encourage and inspire recipients to recognize the relevance and the importance of the contributions of American Indians to this country and the belief that education is a means of broadening horizons, pursuing a meaningful career, and advancing the quest to serve all humanity. Candidates for this scholarship shall be American Indian Studies majors; must maintain a 3.0 GPA; must be a sophomore, junior or senior; and, must be of demonstrated financial need. Recipients shall be enrolled in a State of North Carolina or Federally recognized tribe. Recipients must have residential status from one of the following counties: Robeson, Cumberland, Scotland, or Hoke. If there should be no qualified American Indian candidates, the scholarship should be awarded to an American Indian Studies major.

Herman and Louise M. Jenkins Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship was established by the family as a living memorial in honor of Herman and Louise M. Jenkins who were life-long residents of Richmond County, NC. It is designed to help students who are in need of financial assistance to continue their education at UNC Pembroke. First preference will be given to students from Richmond County who are planning to teach in Richmond County. Students must demonstrate that they are deserving of this award on the basis of achievement, motivation, and hard work.

Independent Insurance Agents of North Carolina Endowed Scholarship

This scholarship was established through the generosity of independent insurance agents throughout North Carolina to provide scholarship support to sophomores, juniors and senior students with a declared major in Business. The recipients must meet all academic requirements of the University. The award amount will paid half in the fall and spring.

J.T. & Vera Doris Locklear Malcolm

Awarded to Education majors (in music or reading) or cadets with any major who are in the U.S. Army or Air Force R.O.T.C. programs, or any commissioning program offered to enrolled students at UNC Pembroke by another service component, and who maintain a minimum 2.5 QPA. Recipients may be in their sophomore, junior or senior year and must be full-time students. Recipients must have graduated from one of the public high schools in Robeson, Hoke, Bladen, Columbus or Scotland Counties, unless the applicant parent(s) are serving in another state due to active military service to our nation. In such case, the applicants parent(s) must have maintained and/or established their legal residency in one of the aforementioned counties at least one year prior to the applicant starting school at UNC Pembroke. Financial need will not be considered. The award is renewable. Successful candidates should be well-rounded students, with leadership potential.

Jackie Parker Adams Scholarship

The Donors wish to establish this endowment to honor the life of Jackie Parker Adams, a 1980 graduate of The University of North Carolina at Pembroke. Candidates for award of this scholarship shall be a full time student at UNCP in any year of study, majoring in Business and maintaining a 3.0 GPA. Recipient must be of demonstrated financial need and be a resident of North Carolina. As part of the application process, candidate must submit a short essay explaining why he/she should receive the award.

James A. Sampson Endowed Scholarship

The Donor wishes to recognize James A. Sampson who devoted his life to education, his church and community projects and activities. His life span covered most of the 1900's which propelled the nation, community, and the University into its modern day existence. His and many others' participation in the affairs and activities of those years gave impetus for the path we traveled to reach our present position. In 1936, he was selected as a member of the Board of Trustees for the Cherokee Indian Normal School and served for fifteen years. More information is available in the James A. Sampson Endowed Scholarship file in the Advancement office. The recipient shall be a resident of North Carolina and a full-time undergraduate with minimum University standard GPA. The recipient can be in any year of study and there is no preference to subject major. Financial need shall be considered. The award is renewable as long as funds are available and the recipient continues to meet the criteria as established. The award is given half in the Fall and half in the Spring.

James B & Evelyn J Kirkland Middle Grade-Language Arts Endowed Scholarship

The Donor wishes to recognize outstanding juniors or seniors in Middle Grade Language Arts. The recipients of this scholarship will be residents of North Carolina and demonstrate financial need. The student must maintain a 3.0 GPA. This scholarship is open to English education majors with a Middle Grades Language Arts Education 6-9 concentration. Incoming juniors and seniors are preferred. The award is renewable.

James B. Chavis Endowed Scholarship

Robeson County resident, an undergraduate majoring in Pre-Med Biology or Chemistry in their junior or senior year of study, 3.0 GPA, and may be full-time or part-time-status, and renewable as long as the candidate continues to meet the criteria. First preference for awarding shall be given to a candidate of American Indian descent from a state or federally recognized tribe; also, that potential candidates are cleared through the Student Affairs Office prior to a selection being confirmed to ensure that the recipient chosen is in good standing and in compliance with the Student Handbook rules. The Office of Financial Aid shall serve as the selection committee, with input from the College of Arts & Sciences and the Directors of HCOP (Health Careers Opportunity Program) and HCAP (Health Careers Access Program). Recipient must be of demonstrated financial need.

James C. Maynor Scholarship

This scholarship was established by Dr. Jayne P. Maynor to honor her father, James C. Maynor, a member of the UNCP class of 1950 and a generous benefactor. The recipients of the James C. Maynor Endowed Scholarship will be residents of North Carolina with a major in history. Recipients must maintain a minimum of 2.5 GPA and be full time undergraduate students. The award will occur half in the fall semester and half in the spring semester, can be made in any year of study and is renewable.

James E. & Nancy M. Martin Endowed Scholarship

The recipients of the James E. & Nancy M. Martin Endowed Scholarship will be residents of North Carolina and demonstrate financial need. The student must maintain the minimum university standard GPA. Incoming freshmen students are preferred with the intention that the student will continue to meet the criteria each year and afforded the opportunity to receive the scholarship annually, but this is not a requirement. The scholarship is open to all majors with a preference of a full-time student, however, consideration of a part time student is allowed.

James F. "Buddy" Bell Memorial Endowed Scholarship

The recipients of the James F. "Buddy" Bell Memorial Endowed Scholarship will be graduates of a Robeson County high school and a participant in a varsity sport at UNCP.

Each recipient must maintain the minimum university standard GPA and be a full-time student. Incoming freshmen as well as current students will be eligible. Financial need is not a consideration. The award is renewable.

James H. and Katherine B. Dial Scholarship

The Donor wishes to honor James H. Dial, the patriarch of the Dial Family and lifelong educator and community leader, by establishing the James H. and Katherine B. Dial Endowed Scholarship in Education. Candidate for award of this scholarship shall be a Native American resident of Robeson County, North Carolina, showing financial need, who is either a full-time or part-time undergraduate student in the junior year of study, majoring in Education (K-7) and maintaining a 3.0 GPA. Recipient must be part of a state or federally recognized tribe.

James Knox Braboy Memorial Scholarship

The Donor wishes to honor the memory of Mr. James Knox Braboy by establishing a scholarship that will recognize his dedication to the teaching profession and to acknowledge his lifelong passion for educating under-served children. Mr. Braboy received his two-year diploma from the Indian Normal School (now UNCP) in 1928 and returned in 1958 to receive his four-year degree in Education. In 1970 he was named South Carolina's Teacher of the Year and one of the top three teachers in the nation. After his death in 1976, Mr. Braboy was described as being "a just and kind man," serving his people faithfully, and walking humbly with God. His main purpose in life was to see that the Indian children at Leland Grove School (Dillon, South Carolina) got the best education that he could provide them with the limited resources available to him. Candidate for award of this scholarship shall be a member of a state- or federally-recognized American Indian tribe and a legal resident of Robeson County in the junior or senior year of study seeking a degree in Education at The University of North Carolina at Pembroke. Candidate may be a part-time or full-time undergraduate, but must maintain the University's minimum GPA standard and be of demonstrated financial need. The award is renewable.

James Leon and Christine R. Hunt Scholarship

The Donors wish to honor the patriarch and matriarch of the Hunt Family by establishing the James Leon and Christine Roberts Hunt Endowed Memorial Scholarship. Leon, UNCP Class of 1950, and Christine, UNCP Class of 1957, were the first members of their respective families to earn a college degree. They were both retired educators in Robeson County, North Carolina collectively working a total of 60 years. Leon and Christine believed strongly in education and worked hard to provide educational opportunities for their six sons, four of whom are also graduates of UNCP. Candidate for award of this scholarship shall be of demonstrated financial need, a full-time undergraduate student in the junior or senior year of study majoring in Education and maintaining a 2.5 GPA.

James Porter Mathematics and Environmental Sciences Scholarship

The Donor wishes to recognize her father, whose guidance and example made a profound difference in the course her life has taken. James Porter's belief in the power of education influenced his daughter's decision to pursue advanced degrees, and ultimately played a huge role in her success. Equally important was this father's impact on the way his daughter attempts to live her life: with spirit, passion, perspective, and a love of God, life, family, and community. The recipients of this scholarship will be students who have declared a major in mathematics, computer science, environmental science, the life sciences, or other related disciplines as they may be established at UNCP; maintain a minimum of 2.5 GPA; have demonstrated financial need; a preference should be shown for Native American students. The award is renewable. Recipient must be part of a state or federally recognized tribe.

James S. and Pat Hunt Family Scholarship

The recipients of the James S. and Patricia Clark Hunt Family Endowed Scholarship may be either full-or-part-time students, in their junior or senior year of study, majoring in Education. The recipients must maintain a 2.5 QPA in order to retain the award. There is no restriction of residency. The award is renewable as long as funds are available and the recipient remains in good standing by continuing to meet the criteria of the scholarship. The recipients must be of demonstrated financial need.

James T. Turner Rotary Club of Red Springs Scholarship

The Red Springs Rotary Club has established the *James T. Turner Rotary Club of Red Springs Scholarship* to be awarded to an undergraduate student pursuing a criminal justice degree. The student must be a resident of North Carolina with preference given to a resident of Robeson County, and must maintain the minimum university GPA. Additionally, the student should represent the motto of Rotary Club International: "Service Above Self." The student should demonstrate a commitment to community service on campus or in their personal life. Financial need will be considered. This scholarship is renewable to the same recipient.

James Thomas & Dorothy Harmon Sampson Family Endowed Scholarship

The Donor wishes to honor the memory of her parents James "Coach Sampson" Thomas and Dorothy Harmon Sampson. Sally has fond memories as a young child of growing up on the campus of Pembroke College. They lived in a very small apartment at the end of what were then the men's dormitories. The whole campus, small compared to today, was her playground. Her mother was an English teacher at the local high school and father was the first football coach at Pembroke. He also coached basketball and men's and women's baseball. Coach Sampson was the Athletic Director and taught several physical education classes. Education and coaching remained a very important part of her parents' lives and she knows they would both be pleased if they knew that some student at the University might be helped in some small way by receiving this scholarship. The recipients of this scholarship will be residents of North Carolina with preference given to residents of

Robeson County. The recipients will be Education, English and/or Health Promotion majors. Incoming freshman as well as current students will be eligible. Financial need should be considered. The award is renewable as long as all requirements are met.

Jane C. Oxendine Endowed Scholarship

This scholarship has been established in recognition of Mrs. . Oxendine's dedication to the preservation of the American Indian culture. The Donee agrees to use the Donor's gift to fund an annual scholarship for a Native American with a major or minor in American Indian Studies . The recipient shall be enrolled in good standing at the University and be in need of financial assistance. The recipient must be actively involved in cultural activities on and off campus. The selection committee will be made up of the faculty of the American Indian Studies Department. The Department chair will chair the committee. Recipient must be part of a state or federally recognized tribe.

Jason Wayne Hunt Memorial Scholarship

The Donor, on behalf of the Family and Phi Sigma Nu Fraternity, wishes to establish the Jason Wayne Hunt Endowed Memorial Scholarship to honor the memory of Jason. At the time of his death, Jason was a rising Junior at The University of North Carolina at Pembroke with Computer Science as his declared major. Jason's strongest subjects were Science and Math, but he also loved helping children by tutoring them. He was active with his fraternity, Phi Sigma Nu; played softball and worked part-time while a full-time student. This scholarship was established to carry Jason's name and dream to deserving students seeking a goal and a dream of a college education. Candidates for award of this scholarship shall be residents of Robeson County, the state of North Carolina, showing financial need, a full-time undergraduate student in the sophomore year of study, majoring in Computer Science and maintaining the minimum university standard GPA.

Jeffrey K Lucas Endowed Memorial Scholarship

The donor wishes to commemorate the career and professional dedication of Dr. Jeffrey K. Lucas, Department of History (2006-2015), and to provide financial support to deserving History and Social Science Education majors in honor of Dr. Lucas.

The recipients of this scholarship will be full-time undergraduate History or SSE majors and maintain a minimum of 3.0 GPA. Sophomores with two full semesters on campus will be considered as well as juniors and seniors. There is no preference to residency. Financial need is a consideration. The award is renewable.

Jepty Patrick Strickland Endowed Scholarship

Ken Strickland, a businessman of Mclean, VA, a native of Robeson County, and a graduate of Prospect High School class of 1959, wanted to provide an educational opportunity to UNCP students while honoring his father, Jepty Strickland. Therefore, he established the Jepty

Patrick Strickland Endowed Scholarship. His father, a Lumbee Indian, was a farmer in Robeson County and a lifelong member of St. Anna Church, believing strongly in the importance of religion in everyday life and in providing service to his community and fellowman. Mr. Jepty was committed to education for his children and worked diligently to provide guidance to his family towards that end. Awards from this scholarship shall provide tuition assistance to candidates in their junior or senior year of study who are seeking a degree in: (1) teacher education; (2) Business; or (3) Science at UNC Pembroke. Through the year 2020, first preference shall be given to a candidate from a state- or federally-recognized American Indian tribe. However, in the absence of a qualified American Indian candidate, the scholarship shall have no racial or ethnic preferences. After 2020, this scholarship is open and available to all races, creeds and nationalities. The recipient must show promise, be of demonstrated financial need, and be a native or current resident of Robeson County. The recipient must maintain a minimum 3.25 GPA and be involved in community service to be eligible for the scholarship. The scholarship is renewable as long as the requirements continue to be met.

Jeremiah 29:11 Community Scholarship

Anthony Santangelo and his wife Annie Sears created this scholarship to support students in the Southeastern North Carolina region by creating this scholarship. The recipient(s) will be an incoming or returning student that meets the current academic requirements set forth by the University of North Carolina Pembroke. It is preferred that the recipient(s) be from Robeson, Hoke, or Cumberland County.

Jeriad Paul Jacobs Memorial Scholarship

The Donors wish to honor the memory of their son by establishing the Jeriad Paul Jacobs Endowed Memorial Scholarship. Jeriad was a brave, modern-day Indian warrior who died in Iraq while serving his country as a member of the US Marine Corps. He possessed a number of passions, two of which were his family and his American Indian heritage. Jeriad was a poet who, in his brief 19 years, wrote numerous poems that expressed yet another true passion-life. Even though he loved his "Indian people," Jeriad also believed in loving and helping all people. Candidates for award of this scholarship shall be members of a state- or federally-recognized American Indian tribe and residents of Robeson County, North Carolina. Candidates must show demonstrated financial need and must be full-time undergraduate students in any year of study and maintaining at least the minimum university standard GPA. There is no restriction to major or field of study.

Jerry Daniel Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship was established to support The University of North Carolina at Pembroke and honor Jerry Daniel, a UNCP graduate in the class of 1968 and long-time coach at West Montgomery High School. The award will support a West Montgomery High School student entering his or her freshman year of study as a full-time undergraduate student. If a freshman cannot be identified, it will be renewed to a previous recipient.

West Montgomery High School was was combined with East Montgomery High School to create Montgomery Central High School.

Jetter Bernard Locklear Memorial Scholarship

Established in 1988 by friends, family members, and Mrs. Francine Locklear in memory of her husband, Jetter Bernard Locklear this scholarship is awarded to an academically talented, economically disadvantaged Native American, who is pursuing a degree in the Human/Social Services. The recipient of the scholarship will have declared a major in Psychology, Sociology, or Social Work. Recipient must be part of a state or federally recognized tribe.

Jim Thorpe Scholarship

This scholarship was established by UNCP professor and Thorpe scholar Dr. Robert Reising to reward a deserving student as well as to honor "the Greatest Athlete in the World." Jim Thorpe, a Sac and Fox Indian, Olympic and professional athlete, was a one-time resident of North Carolina. Criteria for award of this scholarship include a demonstrated financial need, full-time undergraduate student status, and, preferably, majoring in American Indian Studies. One scholarship will be awarded in the fall of the year. The scholarship is renewable.

Jimmy Carroll Memorial Endowed Scholarship

Established by parents and friends to honor the memory of Jimmy Carroll, a Lumberton High School athlete and life-long resident of Robeson County, this scholarship shall be awarded to an undergraduate student athlete who is eligible under NCAA academic requirements. Preference is given to a Lumberton High School graduate or, if none is available, a resident of Robeson County.

Jimmy Goins Family Endowed Scholarship

Each recipient of the Jimmy Goins Family Endowed Scholarship will be a resident of Robeson County and a member of a state or federally recognized tribe. Recipients must maintain the University Standard GPA and be a full-time undergraduate student. Incoming freshmen as well as current students are eligible. Financial need is not a consideration. The award is renewable.

Joan Howard Wallace NCSDAR Scholarship

The Donor, a nurse, is fulfilling a goal by establishing this scholarship at The University of North Carolina at Pembroke to provide financial assistance to to a nursing student who is a member of a state- or federally-recognized American Indian tribe and exhibits ability and promise in the nursing profession. The NCSDAR (North Carolina Society Daughters of the American Revolution) State Chairman-American Indians Committee was established in Washington, D.C. in 1941 to educate members of the DAR and school children about the

Native American Culture and to provide funds for education of members of state- or federally-recognized American Indian tribes. The Donor was appointed Chair of that organization in 2000. The scholarship's name reflects the DAR support and the American Indian Committee. Candidates for award of this scholarship shall be of demonstrated financial need and a full-time nursing student in the sophomore to senior year of study at The University of North Carolina at Pembroke. There is no restriction for residency of any county and no minimum GPA is required.

Joe Gallagher Basketball Scholarship

This scholarship was established by teammates, players, and friends of Joe Gallagher to honor his achievements at UNCP and in life. Joe, a 1968 graduate, was the all-time scoring and rebounding leader in UNCP's basketball program and, for this reason, he was inducted into the UNCP Hall of Fame. Joe was an All-American during his days at UNCP, later coached at UNCP, coached for several other colleges and, eventually, the pros. Joe is loyal to his family, friends and his alma mater. The Donors want the recipient of this scholarship to emulate Joe's work ethic, loyalties, and his belief in family. The recipients of the Joe Gallagher Basketball Scholarship will be full-time undergraduate students in any year of study and must maintain the minimum University standard and the NCAA Academic Guidelines. There is no restriction of residency or major and the recipient must be of demonstrated financial need. The award is renewable as long as the recipient continues to meet the aforementioned criteria.

John E. Reissner Memorial Scholarship

The Donors wish to honor their husband and father by establishing a scholarship in his memory. A professor emeritus in the Department of Chemistry and Physics, Dr. John Reissner joined the UNCP faculty in 1976 and continued to teach in the phased retirement program until his death in April 2006. Dr. Reissner was dedicated to sharing the wonder of science with his students. The recipients of this scholarship will demonstrate an eagerness for knowledge and enthusiasm for learning, especially in the sciences. The ideal candidates will demonstrate a commitment to kindness, community service and/or the welfare of others. The recipients of the John E. Reissner Memorial Scholarship will be residents of North Carolina with a declared or intended major in Chemistry at The University of North Carolina at Pembroke. Recipients must maintain a 3.0 GPA and be full-time undergraduate students, of demonstrated financial need, in the sophomore, junior, or senior year of study. The award is renewable.

John Foy McMillan Memorial Scholarship

The Donor wishes to honor the memory of her younger brother by establishing this scholarship. John, whose life was tragically taken in an automobile accident on Valentine's Day 2009, was a man of strong moral character. Raised by his mother and three siblings, John possessed a strong work ethic. After the military, he worked to put himself through college, graduated with a bachelor's degree from UNCP, became an employee of the

University and later earned a Master's degree. John had a humble spirit, never speaking a harmful word to anyone, and went out of his way to help a colleague. He was polite, sincere, honest, positive and a proud UNCP employee. As Director of New Student and Family Orientation at UNCP John helped new students transition into university life by assisting with student placement testing, advising, registration and orientation. John loved his dogs. He was a member of Masonic Lodge 501 and First Baptist Church in Red Springs. Through this scholarship, John's legacy will continue to live within us and throughout the halls of UNCP; and, numerous students will receive funding that will help them obtain their dream of a college degree. The recipient of the John Foy McMillan Endowed Memorial Scholarship shall be a lifelong resident of Robeson County, of part-time status, and maintaining a 3.0 GPA. There is no restriction of major or year of study. The recipient shall have been raised in a one-parent household and be of demonstrated financial need. This scholarship is renewable as long as funds are available.

John Green Memorial Scholarship

The scholarship was established in 1984 and endowed by generous contributions from The Robesonian, family members, and friends of the late John Green ('84). The scholarship is given to a capable and energetic student who wishes to pursue a career in writing. It will be awarded to a student majoring in Journalism.

John J. Brooks, Lela Brooks and Steve Brooks Memorial Scholarship

The scholarship was established in memory of John J. Brooks by the Brooks family. John J. Brooks was a Native American alumnus of the institution and a teacher in the local public schools for many years. The family wishes to honor their deceased mother, Lela Brooks, and brother, Steve Brooks, by adding their names to the existing scholarship. The recipient shall be a Native American graduate of the Public Schools of Robeson County who shows academic promise, who has demonstrated need for financial assistance in attending college, who intends to study and is interested in a career in education with the Public Schools of Robeson County, and who by virtue of birth, affiliation, or experiences is genuinely committed to encouraging the study, understanding, and preservation of Native American history, tradition, and culture. Recipient must maintain the university minimum standards of 2.5 GPA and be a full-time undergraduate student. The award is renewable. Recipient must be part of a state or federally recognized tribe.

John L. Carter Student Athlete Endowed Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship was established by family and friends of John L. Carter, the Donors, to honor John: an esteemed member of the Pembroke community; 1926 graduate of the Indian Normal School (to become Pembroke State College and then the University of North Carolina at Pembroke); former Registrar of Pembroke State College; and, avid supporter of athletics at Pembroke High School. Carter was deeply involved with the Pembroke High School Booster Club, known today as the Purnell Swett Booster Club, was a member of the Burnt Swamp Baptist Association, and a member of the Mt. Airy Baptist Church in

Pembroke. Throughout his life, John L. believed in the values of sportsmanship and healthy competition, and built a legacy that this scholarship attempts to honor.

The recipients of the John L. Carter Student Athlete Endowed Memorial Scholarship shall be UNCP student athletes of high character and who are of demonstrated financial need. The scholarship shall be awarded to Robeson County natives who are members of an athletic team at UNCP. Recipients are expected to maintain a minimum of 2.5 QPA and maintain their standing as a student athlete with the NCAA Academic Guidelines. The award is renewable as long as the recipients continue to meet the above criteria.

John W. (Ned) and Eva B. Sampson Endowed Men's Basketball Scholarship

This scholarship was established by his family in honor of the many years of service of "Mr. Ned" (class of 1953 and Hall of Fame member) to Magnolia School as well as his contributions to the University. The scholarship is designed to assist deserving young athletes who might not otherwise realize the dream of a university degree. The scholarship is awarded annually to a basketball player, with priority given to a Robeson County resident.

John Winston and Addie M. Locklear Scholarship

The scholarship was established by loving family members in memory of John Winston and Addie Mae Locklear, parents who believed in the value of education. It is available to all majors with a 3.0 GPA or better. The recipient must be a North Carolina resident and a full time student. The award is renewable annually.

Johnny Allen Locklear Endowed Scholarship

The Donor wishes to recognize Mr. Johnny Allen Locklear's life and love of teaching the young people of Robeson County. The recipients of this scholarship will be full-time students maintaining a minimum of 3.0 GPA. Incoming freshman as well as current students will be eligible. Recipients must reside in Robeson County. The award is renewable to the same recipient. Financial need is a requirement. In the event that not all of the above criteria are met by any student, the Director of Financial Aid may make an award to the applicant who most closely meets the requirements.

Johnny and Demetrius Hunt Endowed Scholarship in Education

The recipients of the Johnny and Demetrius Hunt Endowed Scholarship in Education will be Education majors maintaining a minimum 2.7 GPA. Recipients must be in their junior or senior year and must be full-time students. Recipients must be residents of Robeson County who graduated from a Public Schools of Robeson County high school and aspire to a career as a teacher. Recipients must demonstrate financial need. The award is renewable. Successful candidates should be well-rounded students as evidenced by their involvement

in University and community service and activities. The student must engage in volunteerism opportunities that occur throughout the academic year that promote education; either on or off campus.

Johnson Scholarship Foundation Entrepreneurship Scholarship

Through business education and institutions that support Indigenous businesses, the Johnson Scholarship Foundation aims to catalyze growth and economic development in Indigenous communities. Eligibility: Must identify as American Indian Must be a business major, business minor, or pursing a business certification at UNCP Minimum GPA of 2.0 Sophomore, Junior, or SeniorPart-time or Full-Time

Jose and Dorothy D'Arruda Scholarship

The Donors wish to express their belief in the advantages of higher education and the University of North Carolina at Pembroke in particular by establishing a scholarship that will provide incentive and support to young people who are entering the sciences. As a longtime Professor of Physics and Chair of the Physical Science Department, Dr. Jose D'Arruda has an obvious attachment to his area of study. His friend and partner since the age of 16, Dorothy D'Arruda holds two degrees from UNCP and taught high school level science for many years. Both of these donors are lovers of the logic of science and have devoted a large part of their lives to the art of teaching. In the hope that they might instill a sense of wonder and pleasure at the principles of nature and encourage a sense of awe at the order and beauty contained in the universe, the D'Arrudas have made this commitment to education at UNCP. The recipient of The Jose and Dorothy D'Arruda Endowed Scholarship will be an incoming or current student with a major (or an intent to major) in Physics. Recipients must maintain a minimum of 3.0 GPA and be full-time undergraduate students. The award will be made in any year of study and is renewable.

Joseph B. Oxendine Endowed Scholarship

This scholarship was established by Chancellor Emeritus Dr. Joseph B. Oxendine along with numerous friends and colleagues. Dr. Oxendine believes strongly in the importance of education and has devoted his career to students. The scholarship shall be awarded annually to an academically gifted student. The decision regarding renewal shall be made annually.

Josephine B. Lucente Endowed Scholarship

This scholarship was established by Mrs. Josephine Burnett Lucente, an alumna of UNCP and retired elementary school teacher, so that aspiring teachers may reap the many benefits of a college education and a teaching career. The scholarship is to be awarded annually to a sophomore or junior elementary education major with a strong background in basic skills such as reading and mathematics. Recipient must maintain a minimum 3.0 GPA, be in financial need, and be of good character.

Judge Dexter Brooks Endowed Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship was established in honor of Judge Dexter Brooks to provide financial support for low-income individuals in Robeson County who are eligible to attend The University of North Carolina at Pembroke. First consideration for award of THE JUDGE DEXTER BOOKS ENDOWED MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP will be given to members of Lumbee Native American Tribe who are residents of Robeson County, North Carolina, and second consideration will be given to members of Lumbee Native American Tribe who are residents of North Carolina. Recipients must maintain a minimum of 2.5 QPA, be full time students and demonstrate financial need. The awards of up to full tuition and fees will occur half in the fall semester and half in the spring semester; will be made to undergraduate students; and, are renewable. Recipients must be part of state or federally recognized tribe.

Julia Merritt Memorial Scholarship

â€¢ Cumulative GPA of 3.00 or higher
â€¢ Full-time student who is a declared Music Education major (includes all tracks of Music Education: Instrumental, Vocal, Keyboard/Instrumental, and Keyboard/Vocal)
â€¢ Has passed Evaluation Forum.

Julian T. Pierce Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship was established by the trustees of the Julian T. Pierce Memorial Fund for the purpose of creating a living memorial to Julian T. Pierce. Mr. Pierce, a Lumbee Indian, was a humanitarian with great courage and foresight who demonstrated his concern for the poor and the underprivileged in Robeson County, NC. The scholarship is to be awarded annually to a resident(s) of Robeson County, who is/are in financial need, and has/have demonstrated scholastic and leadership abilities. The scholarship provides the student(s) with full tuition for an academic year. It will normally be renewed each academic year providing the recipient(s) maintain a 3.0 GPA or better. Recipient must be part of a state or federally recognized tribe.

Jump Start Scholarship

The Donor wishes to establish a scholarship designed for any student with a strong desire for an education and of financial need. The Jump Start Endowed Scholarship Fund is designed for persons who have a strong desire for a college education and want to give it a try. The Donor believes that often average students, who have the desire to work hard, are deserving of aid even though they may not be the most academically talented of students. Therefore the recipient(s) shall be undergraduate students who meet or exceed minimum University standards. The candidate may be a recent high school graduate or may have been out in the working world for several years. The high school record is not the basis for this scholarship (as long as the applicants have the minimum requirements for UNCP admission); it is based on motivation. The award is available to students for any year of study and any major. The scholarship application must contain a letter expressing the

applicant's desire for a college degree with the reasoning for this realization. The scholarship award shall equal tuition and fees for one semester to one student initially. If the candidate succeeds and motivation continues, the scholarship is renewed each semester as long as there are sufficient available funds.

Kathleen Price and Joseph M. Bryan Family Foundation Scholarship

Though the Bryan Family Foundation concluded their work in 2000, this endowed scholarship fund continues to provide support to disadvantaged students attending UNC Pembroke. The scholarship award is based on academic aptitude, as indicated by a sound scholastic record, and appropriately documented financial needs.

Kathy Elaine Cummings Annual Nursing Scholarship

The donor wishes to establish this scholarship to provide financial aid for a student majoring in Nursing meeting the university minimum GPA.

Kay McClanahan Endowed Scholarship in Theatre

Several members of the UNCP community who knew and loved Dr. Virginia K. (Kay) McClanahan establish this scholarship to honor her memory. Drama was Kay's major at St. Andrews Presbyterian College during her undergraduate days, and it continued to be a great source of pleasure for her all the rest of her life. This scholarship is intended to recognize and recruit students with outstanding potential in the dramatic arts. This scholarship will be awarded to a deserving undergraduate student who is enrolled full time in the Theatre Program at the University of North Carolina at Pembroke. The student must maintain a minimum of 2.5 GPA. Incoming freshmen as well as current students will be eligible. The award is renewable provided the student reapplies and maintains qualified status.

Ken Strickland and Dr. Ruth Infante Endowed Scholarship

The donors believe that education, exposure to other cultures, and the willingness to see the world, have impacted their lives. Their support of UNCP stems from a vested interest in supporting students who are committed to obtaining a college degree and that also have a personal financial stake in their success. The recipients of the Ken Strickland and Dr. Ruth Infante Endowed Scholarship will be expected to maintain a minimum of 3.0 GPA. Full time students classified as a Junior or Senior will be eligible and must have graduated from a high school in Robeson County. The scholarship will be based on financial need, however the student must have unmet need that is not covered through scholarship support. The donors require that the student has responsibility for covering some portion of their tuition out of pocket. The donor also hopes that the student will consider teaching in Robeson County. The student should commit to 25 hours of community service preferably through the UNCP Care Resource Center. The award is renewable. The student must be pursuing a School of Education major.

Kenneth and Glenda Bird Memorial Endowed Scholarship in Nursing

The donor wishes to honor Kenneth and Glenda R. Bird with this scholarship that recognizes devoted and caring individuals committed to the field of nursing. Mr. & Mrs. Bird were firm believers in education.
The recipients of this scholarship will be a junior or senior Nursing major and shall be an enrolled member in a state recognized tribe or a federally recognized tribe and a North Carolina resident. Recipients may be full- or part-time undergraduate students and must maintain the University Standard GPA. The recipients must have demonstrated financial need. The award is renewable to the same recipient as long as they meet the criteria. If there are no qualified students who meet the tribal membership criteria, the scholarship should be awarded to a non-tribal member who meets the other criteria.

Kenneth P Johnson Physical Education Scholarship

The Kenneth P. Johnson Endowed scholarship, named in honor of the revered UNCP Physical Education professor and coach, is awarded annually to a UNC Pembroke student majoring in Health and Human Performance.

Kenneth Ray & Geraldine Maynor Family Endowed Scholarship

The Donor wishes to recognize Kenneth Ray Maynor, a 1957 graduate of Pembroke State College, now known as UNC Pembroke. While at Pembroke State, he majored in education and spent his free time on the basketball court. Anyone who knew him understood, had it not been for Pembroke State College, Kenneth Maynor would have never had the opportunity to gain anything past a high school degree. It was this university that not only opened doors for him and his wife, but also allowed him to open doors for his children and grandchildren. With his education degree, his love of basketball, his work as a teacher in Robeson County, and his position as Executive Director for LRDA, Kenneth Maynor was able to reach, teach, influence and impact the lives of Native American people both on local and national levels. Mr. Ken loved young people, and looked for opportunities to help them in whatever way he could. It is for this reason the family of Kenneth Ray Maynor would like to establish a scholarship in his honor. Through this gift, he will pay homage to Pembroke State College, and continue to live on through the lives of young people of the future. The recipients of this scholarship will be full-time scholar-athletes (preferably basketball players - male or female), with a preference for education majors. The recipients should maintain a minimum QPA of 3.0. Incoming freshman as well as current students will be eligible. The recipients must be members of a state or federally recognized tribe. They should reside Robeson County. If there are no qualified applicants from Robeson County, applicants from any county in North Carolina may be considered. Financial need should be considered. The award is renewable.

Kenney Family Athletic Endowed Scholarship

This scholarship was created by friends, family, coaches, administrators, and Braves Club members in honor of the family of Mira and Dan Kenney and their five children-Geoff, Rebecca, Matt, Kyle, and Mack. Dan Kenney served UNC Pembroke in many leadership roles spanning five decades beginning in 1977, including those of a coach, director of athletics, faculty member, and chief of staff. The recipients of the Kenney Family Endowed Scholarship will be student athletes who have been at UNC Pembroke for more than one year and exhibit the characteristics of the Kenney Family-including a strong passion for UNC Pembroke, integrity, positive attitude, and a commitment to teamwork. The recipients must meet NCAA Eligibility Standards and will be selected by the Director of Athletics or designee. Preference is for the recipient to be a rising senior with an interest in coaching, teaching, or administration as a career ambition.

Lacey E. Gane Athletic Scholarship

The scholarship was established by the friends of Lacey E. Gane in honor of his many accomplishments and contributions. He contributed greatly to the success of the UNCP Athletic Program as golf coach, basketball coach and athletic director. The scholarship will be awarded to full-time student athletes who are eligible under NCAA academic requirements. The scholarship will alternate each year between golf and basketball. It is available to students of any year of study.

Lacy and Alice Bacot Higher Education Scholarship Award

The donor wishes to establish this scholarship award in memory of his parents. Lacy and Alice Bacot stressed the importance of education, and the fact that education is a lifelong possession that can never be taken away. The donor hopes to assist a deserving student in their pursuit of a college degree at UNCP. The recipient shall be a full-time or part-time undergraduate student, with preference for a recipient who graduated from a high school in Robeson County, N.C. The recipient will have a financial need and must maintain a minimum 2.0 GPA. The recipient will be in any year of study.

Lance Foundation Scholarship

The Lance Foundation scholarship fund was established in support of disadvantaged students attending UNC Pembroke. This scholarship is open to students from the Charlotte/Mecklenburg County area. It is based on academic aptitude as indicated by a sound academic record and financial need.

Larry Marshal Townsend Endowed Scholarship

The Larry Marshal Townsend Endowed Scholarship will be awarded to a full time undergraduate student pursuing a degree is Political Science, Criminal Justice, American Indian Studies or Education. The recipient will be a graduate of a high school in Robeson County, North Carolina. The recipient will be member of a state or federally organized tribe with preference for an enrolled member in the Lumbee Tribe. The recipient will have a

minimum GPA requirement of 3.0, in their junior or senior year of study, and demonstrate financial need. The scholarship will be renewable as long as the above criteria is met. The Larry Marshal Townsend Endowed Scholarship will be awarded in the spring.

Larry Ray & Loleta H. Chavis Endowed Scholarship

The Larry Ray and Loleta H. Chavis Endowed Scholarship shall be awarded to one or more students with financial need majoring in education and one or more students with financial need majoring in business. Preference shall be given to residents of Robeson County. The award shall be as substantial as possible with a maximum award of five thousand dollars split evenly between the fall and spring semesters for each student. The award is renewable to the same students who must be enrolled full-time. If there are no applicants that meet the above requirements the Office of Financial Aid may make an award to the applicant that most closely meets the requirements.

Laura Faye Lowry Locklear Art Education Scholarship

Mr. Harold B. Locklear wishes to honor his deceased wife, and the mother of his children, by establishing a scholarship in her name. Laura Faye was an educator with the Public Schools of Robeson County before sickness required her to leave the classroom on medical disability. Mr. Locklear also taught in the public school after four years in the Marines and after retiring as a Master Sergeant from the North Carolina Air National Guard. The Donor wants to give a deserving and qualified student the opportunity to attend school by providing financial assistance. Mr. Locklear remembers the hardships he endured while working toward a post-secondary degree and wants to help lighten the burden for someone else. The recipient of the Laura Faye Lowry Locklear Scholarship in Art Education will be either a full-time or part-time undergraduate student in the junior or senior year of study working toward a degree in Art Education. Recipients shall be natives of the Prospect Community in Robeson County and be willing to remain and work at Prospect Elementary School if the opportunity presents itself. The award is based on demonstrated financial need and is renewable as long as the recipient maintains the minimum University GPA standard.

Legacy Award in Teacher Education

The donors wish to establish this scholarship to honor outstanding educators and support teacher education majors as they prepare a career in teaching. This scholarship pays tribute to developing lifelong learners and making a positive difference in the lives of others through education.

The recipient of the Legacy Award in Teacher Education will be a full-time or part-time undergraduate or graduate student. The recipient will have a declared major in Elementary Education or Teacher Education. Preference will be given to an Elementary Education Major. The recipient must be admitted to Teacher Education or accepted into the Teacher Education Graduate Program. The recipient must maintain a 3.0 GPA. The award is renewable as long as the above criteria continues to be met.

Lenore & Dick Taylor Endowed Scholarship

The scholarship recipient will be determined by the head coach for each team. In the case of the Cross Country and Track and Field team, the awards will alternate between female student athletes (first award) and male student-athletes. Cross Country and Track and Field will receive 50% of the total scholarship funds available teach year and Men's Basketball will receive 50% of the total scholarship funds available each year. The scholarship will be given to student-athlete for a period not to exceed four years (8 semester) or until the student-athlete graduates, whichever occurs first. The scholarship will be terminated by any of three conditions: 1) the student-athlete graduates; 2) after four years (8 semesters, fall and spring), or 3) the student-athlete is dropped from the team for any reason. Student-athletes who are removed from their respective teams for any reason are not eligible to receive the scholarship in the future.This scholarship is to be added to each team's scholarship fund and not be used to supplement each team's scholarship fund, to the extent possible within applicable NCAA and University financial aid-related policies. For example, if the University normally provides $100k in scholarship funds to the cross Country and Track and Field team and the amount of the Lenore and Dick Taylor Endowed Scholarship is $3k, then the Cross Country and Track and Field team should receive $103k and not $100k. It would be contrary to the wishes of the Donor for these funds to be used to replace existing team scholarship funds. For example, the University should not keep the Cross Country and Track and Field's scholarship funds at $100k and divert the Donor's funds (in this example, $3k) for any other purpose.

Lewis and Louise Austin Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship is given in memory of the Donor's parents who valued a college education and who possessed uncompromising encouragement and support for not only their own children but others who were seeking an education. The Donor established this scholarship to give back or "pay it back" to those who encouraged and supported him during his educational journey. The education he received at Pembroke State University, due to his parents' determination, allows him today to give this scholarship in their memory. He challenges the students who receive this scholarship to remember those people who were instrumental in their quest for an education and urges them to return the support and encouragement that helped them obtain their education at UNC Pembroke by supporting a student in the future as his parents did and as he does in their memory. First choice for recipients of the Lewis M. and Louise P. Austin Endowed Memorial Scholarship will be residents of Marlboro County, South Carolina. There is no residency restriction, however, if no recipients can be identified from this area. There is no restriction of major, GPA, or year of study and the recipient may be of graduate or undergraduate status. The recipient shall be of demonstrated financial need and the award is renewable if funds are available.

Linda and Don Metzger Endowed Scholarship in Business

The Donors wish to establish this endowed scholarship to help a young person further their education and reach their educational goals. The scholarship will recognize students who demonstrate commitment and dedication to getting an education and improving their future. This includes students who may not perform well on examinations but who exhibit a knowledge and understanding of the subject as well as attending the required classes, being on time with assignments, and showing an overall sense of responsibility. This scholarship will be awarded to a deserving student who is a resident of North Carolina. The student must maintain a minimum of 2.7 GPA. Incoming freshman as well as current students majoring in Business will be eligible. The student must exhibit a level of financial need, and the award is renewable provided the student reapplies and maintains qualified status.

Linda D. Oxendine Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship was established in 1989 and endowed by contributions from family members and friends of the late Linda D. Oxendine, a long time UNC Pembroke employee with the Physical Science Department. It is awarded annually to an outstanding student majoring in Physical Science.

Linda Gail Hammond Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship was established in 2001 to honor the memory of Linda Gail Hammond and to provide financial support for low-income individuals in Robeson County, NC who are eligible to attend the University. First consideration for award will be given to members of the Lumbee Native American Tribe who are residents of Robeson County, North Carolina. Second consideration will be given to other members of the Lumbee Native American Tribe. Third consideration will be given to other residents of Robeson County, NC. Recipients must maintain a minimum of 2.5 GPA, be full time students and demonstrate financial need. The awards will occur half in the fall semester and half in the spring semester; will be made to students in the freshman year of study; and, are renewable.

Locklear Dial Endowed Scholarship in Education

The recipients of the Locklear-Dial Endowed Scholarship in Education will be Education majors and maintain the University Standard minimum QPA. The recipient must be in their junior or senior year and must attend full-time. The recipient must be a resident of Robeson County, with a preference for students who are residents within the postal zip codes of Pembroke or Maxton. The recipient must be a member of a state or federally recognized tribe and of demonstrated financial need. The award is not renewable to the same student. If there are no applicants who meet the above requirements, the selection committee may make an award to the applicant that most closely meets the requirements.

Lockwood & Gary Wayne Locklear Memorial Endowed Scholarship

Mr. Eddie Mac chooses to endow this scholarship in honor of his late brothers, Mr Lockwood Locklear and Mr. Gary Wayne Locklear, both of them had deep ties to UNC

Pembroke. Mr. Lockwood worked as a carpenter on the campus on UNCP until his retirement. He was deeply loved by everyone he met during his time of employment, student and staff alike. Mr. Gary Wayne was an alumnus of the former Pembroke State University where he was a proud member of the Braves Men's Basketball team. He religiously gave back to his alma mater and was always present to support when he could. Both brothers were avid sportsmen and believed in cultivating lives through sports, faith, and education. This scholarship will be solely awarded to a Men's Basketball player and shall be awarded annually at the discretion of the head coach.

Louis and Millie Oxendine Scholarship

The scholarship was established by Louis S. Oxendine because of his belief in the importance of education and the desire to assist a student at UNCP. The recipient must be a resident of North Carolina and an undergraduate. Initial award will be to a student with a 3.0 GPA and with financial need. First preference is given to a freshman. The award is renewable as long as the student maintains an academic average of 2.5 GPA after the junior year.

Louise Bell Locklear Memorial Scholarship

The Louise Bell Locklear Memorial Scholarship is being established in honor of the life and accomplishments of Mrs. Louise Bell Locklear. Growing up as a child of the Depression in rural Robeson County, Louise, like most other children, struggled with poverty as well as racial inequities that were prevalent in the South at that time. She attended school in the Saddletree community, and, at an early age, family and teachers began to notice that Louise excelled in her studies. Her parents had the foresight to encourage the prospect that she one day be the first college graduate in her family. The magnitude of that ambition, at that time, could be compared in today's society to a child aspiring to be Governor of a state. Her parents arranged for her to attend high school in Pembroke because there was a better educational opportunity than in her rural country high school. In the early 1900's, when traveling a couple of miles from home was virtually unheard of, Louise traveled 16 miles in hopes of securing a college education. Sadly, upon completion of high school, there was not enough money to pay for her dream. She lived her adult life as most women of that era did-married, bore and raised eight children, lived on a farm-and like most of her community, struggled daily with the legacy of poverty. However, she never lost her resolve about the benefit of education. Through hard work, diligence, and prayer, Louise saw six of her eight children receive college degrees. Her life ended abruptly at age 62, but her dreams and aspirations will continue to live through future generations. The recipient of the Louise Bell Locklear Memorial Scholarship shall be a second-semester sophomore, junior, or senior at UNCP, enrolled either part-time or full-time and majoring in Education. Recipients must be residents of North Carolina, must maintain a minimum 2.5 GPA, and be of demonstrated financial need. The award will be made half in the fall and half in the spring and is renewable as long as the above criteria are met and the recipient is in good standing with the University. First preference shall be given to a member of a state- or federally-

recognized American Indian tribe; however, if a suitable candidate cannot be identified, the preference does not apply.

LRDA Early Childhood Development Scholarship

The Donor wishes to help students seeking a degree in Early Childhood Education (Birth through Kindergarten) by establishing the LRDA Early Childhood Development Endowed Scholarship. Candidate selections shall be based upon: a Robeson County resident of full-time enrollment; classification as a Junior; an Early Childhood (Birth to Kindergarten) major; adherence to the minimum University GPA; and, of demonstrated financial need.

Lucy Maynor Endowed Scholarship

The donors wish to honor the memory of Lucy S. Maynor for her devotion to her family and the community. The recipients shall be full-time undergraduate students pursuing a degree in nursing. The recipient will be a North Carolina resident, first consideration will be given to residents of Robeson County who graduated from a public Robeson County high school. The recipient will have minimum 2.8-3.0 GPA, have a financial need, and be in any year of study. The award is renewable as long as the recipient maintains the above requirements. Â

Lumbee River EMC Scholar Program

The Donor wishes to establish a fund in support of outstanding UNCP students in the Biology or Environmental Science programs with a preference on those students who intend to pursue a career in agriculture. LREMC Scholars will maintain a minimum of 3.0 GPA. Incoming freshman as well as current students will be eligible. The student or their parents/legal guardian must be a member of Lumbee River EMC. The award is renewable.

Lumbee Warriors Association & Lumbee River EMC Veterans Descendants Endowed Scholarship

The recipients of the Lumbee Warriors Association & Lumbee River EMC Veterans Descendants Endowed Scholarship will be current or incoming students in any major at UNCP. They will be full-time students with a minimum 2.5 GPA. They will have financial need. They must provide proof that a parent, grandparent or legal guardian served in the United States military. If the parent, grandparent or legal guardian has been discharged from military service, he/she should have received an honorable discharge or general under honorable conditions. Preference will be given to a recipient who is a member or a state or federally recognized tribe. The scholarship is renewable.

M.I.K.E. Endowed Scholarship

The M.I.K.E. Scholarship is established to support youth of Southeastern North Carolina in their endeavors toward higher education. Mike McIntyre served as the United States

Congressman for Southeastern North Carolina from 1997 to 2015. The scholarship is designed to honor graduating high school seniors who have excelled in four distinct areas. Moral Force of Character, Inspired Leadership, Knowledge and superior academic performance and Exemplary citizenship. Recipients will be a freshman who graduated from a high school and a resident in one of the following counties: Bladen, Brunswick, Columbus, Cumberland, Duplin, New Hanover, Robeson or Sampson. The recipient will have and must maintain a 2.8 GPA, with no preference to field of study. Financial need is not required. It is renewable as long as all requirements continue to be met.

Mac & Sylvia Campbell Football Scholarship

The Mac and Sylvia Campbell, Jr. Family of Elizabethtown, NC, wishes to provide deserving members of the UNCP football team financial aid during the summer terms. The award is available to any member of the UNCP football team, and recipients are chosen through the recommendation of the Head Football Coach at UNCP. Incoming freshmen are eligible if permitted by NCAA regulations.

Mac and Sylvia Campbell Scholarship

This scholarship was established by the Campbells to recognize a member of the men's basketball team and a member of the men's golf team at The University of North Carolina at Pembroke who have demonstrated talent, commitment, and integrity. The recipient shall be a full-time student athlete. The scholarship will be available to a member of the men's basketball team in years ending in an even number and to a member of the men's golf team in years ending in an odd number. The scholarship award shall be the interest accumulated from the principal and be awarded in full in the fall. Award shall not be based upon financial need and is renewable.

Magenta J. Maynor Memorial Scholarship

Established in 2000 by her daughter, Dr. Jayne P. Maynor, this scholarship honors the memory of Magenta J. Maynor, a member of the UNCP class of 1949 who loved sharing the joy, beauty and enrichment of art with her students. The recipients of this scholarship will be residents of North Carolina with a major in art. Recipients must maintain a minimum of 2.5 GPA and be full time students. The two awards will occur half in the fall semester and half in the spring semester, can be made to students in any year of study and are renewable.

Marcus W. Avent Memorial Scholarship

The donor wishes to honor the memory of his son-in-law, Marcus Warren Avent. Marc grew up in Lumberton, North Carolina, and received a business degree from UNCP in 1994. He was a valued manager for Regional Acceptance Corporation and was well respected by his colleagues. He was also a dedicated husband and father. Candidate for award of this scholarship shall be a resident of the state of North Carolina and a full-time undergraduate student in the junior or senior year of study at The University of North Carolina at

Pembroke. Candidate must maintain a 3.0 GPA and be working toward a degree in Education.

Margaret Connell Endowed Scholarship

The donors wish to honor the memory of Margaret S. Connell for her devotion to her family and community. The recipients of this scholarship will be a full-time undergraduate student pursuing a degree in nursing. The recipient will be a North Carolina resident. First consideration will be given to residents of Robeson County who graduated from a public Robeson County high school. The recipients will have a minimum 2.8-3.0 GPA, have a financial need, and be in any year of study. The award is renewable as long as the recipient maintains the above requirements.

Margaret Kennerdell George Endowed Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship was funded by A. Fred George in loving memory of his mother, Margaret Kennerdell George. Mrs. George, as a social worker, gave unselfishly of her time and compassion to enhance the lives of and provide opportunities for less fortunate children in Akron, Ohio. Mrs. George was a true professional, respected by her peers and dearly loved by those whose lives she touched. The scholarship is awarded to a student majoring in Social Work. No restrictions apply regarding race or geographical domain; however, the recipient must qualify for financial assistance and maintain a 3.0 or higher GPA. The scholarship is renewable as long as the recipient makes the satisfactory progress in the program.

Margaret S. Jones Endowed Scholarship

This scholarship was established in honor of Mrs. Jones, wife of former chancellor, Dr. English E. Jones, to aid students in obtaining their educational goals. It is given annually to an outstanding Music major who has proven him/herself to be a dedicated student with exceptional talent and has exhibited a willingness to use this talent for the benefit of the department.

Maria Frances Johnson McCrimmon Memorial Scholarship

The scholarship was established in memory and honor of Maria Frances Johnson McCrimmon, an alumna of UNCP, by her husband John H. McCrimmon, Sr. First preference for recipient(s) of the scholarship shall go to students from Bladen County, North Carolina. Failing qualified or sufficient numbers of applicants, next preference is to students from North Carolina, the United States and, finally, anywhere worldwide. The award is available to students of any year of study and is renewable.

Marion Craddock Endowed Scholarship for Cross Country and Track & Field

This scholarship was established by Marion Lee Craddock, Jr. in an effort to give back to UNC Pembroke and show appreciation for his time as a student-athlete from 1971-1975. As a member of the former Pembroke State University Cross Country and Track & Field programs, Mr. Craddock was able to mature as a person with the help of the many people he encountered during his time on campus. This Pembroke Family experience has helped him his entire life. This endowment is established to help a student-athlete to have a similar experience with the Pembroke Family. The recipients will be student athletes of the UNC Pembroke Cross Country or Track & Field programs with a preference for a long distance runner. The recipients can be a member of the men's or women's programs. There is no preference to financial need, year of study, or subject major. This scholarship is renewable until the recipient exhausts their playing eligibility. The recipient will be an undergraduate student-athlete maintaining the minimum University QPA. Preference is given to a North Carolina resident.

Marion F. Bass Endowed Scholarship

This scholarship was established by Mr. Marion F. Bass, an alumnus of UNC Pembroke and President of Marion Bass Securities Corporation of Charlotte, NC and New York. The scholarship is to be awarded annually to an academically gifted student. The award will normally be renewed to the recipient as long as he/she is in good standing at the University. The decision regarding renewal will be made annually.

Marshall W. and Gertrude Locklear Endowed Memorial Scholarship

The Marshall W. and Gertrude Locklear Endowed Memorial Scholarship was initially established by family and friends in 1990 to honor the memory of Marshall W. Locklear. In 2000, Gertrude Locklear's name was added to honor her memory as well. This scholarship is designed to provide an opportunity for a Native American student to obtain a degree in Religion. The recipient shall be a candidate for the ministry or plan to enter full-time religious service; financial need will not be a consideration; and, the recipient shall be a full-time student with a subject major of Philosophy and Religion. Recipient must be part of a state or a federally recognized tribe.

Martha Ann Floyd Powell Harrington Endowed Scholarship

The recipient will be a full-time undergraduate student in any year and subject major. Financial need is not considered. The award is renewable and maintain a 3.0 GPA and the award is annual.

Martin H. Beach Endowed Scholarship

Candidates shall be a resident of North Carolina. The award is up to full tuition, fees and books. Recipient is encouraged, upon completion of their degree, to contribute to this fund annually in order to allow those who follow them to have such an opportunity. The University Scholarship Committee shall carry out the selection process of the recipient(s).

Mary Alice Pinchbeck Teets Endowed Scholarship in American Indian Studies

The recipients for the Mary Alice Pinchbeck Teets Endowed Scholarship in American Indian Studies will be a current residents of Robeson County and also have attended a high school within Robeson County for the 9th through 12th grades. The student must maintain a 3.0 GPA. Incoming freshman as well as current students will be eligible. This scholarship is open to undergraduate American Indian Studies majors with a preference of a full time student. The scholarship in not renewable and will be awarded half in the fall and half in the spring.

Mary and Wyatt Upchurch Endowed Scholarship

The donor wishes to support students of good character who deserve a high quality education. The recipient will be a full-time student pursuing a degree in STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering or Math), Education or Business. The recipient will be of the highest character. The recipient will have a financial need and participate in extra-curricular activity that demonstrates integrity and commitment to serving others. Preference will be given to residents of NC with a GPA in the 2.8 to 3.2 range. The award is renewable as long as the recipient maintains a minimum 2.8 GPA. Eligible recipients will submit an essay outlining their deservedness for the award to the UNCP Financial Aid Office.

Mary Ann Hubbard Scholarship

This scholarship is given by James and Ellen Hubbard in memory of their daughter, Mary Ann Hubbard, who met a tragic death during her senior year in college. It is given in appreciation for her roommate who meant so much to her during her illness. The scholarship is awarded annually to an educationally challenged student. The recipient must meet current academic requirements and be in financial need. It is renewable. This scholarship is designed to encourage academic perseverance.

Mary Doris Dial-Caple Endowed Scholarship

Distributions from the Fund shall be used to support an incoming or current student from Robeson County, North Carolina.

Mary Elizabeth Jones Brayboy Scholarship

Established in honor of Mary Elizabeth Jones Brayboy, eligible recipients of this scholarship are Native American women enrolled as full-time undergraduate students majoring in Education. Recipients of this renewable scholarship must maintain a 3.0 GPA. Recipient must be part of a state or federally recognized tribe.

Mary McKenzie Edwards Endowed Scholarship

A scholarship established by her daughter in loving memory, Mary McKenzie Edwards struggled to earn her degree in nursing in the 1930's. This scholarship is designed to assist students enrolled in the University Nursing Program who are in financial need. Recipients must be residents of Robeson County with first preference for award to members and descendants of the Lumbee and Tuscarora tribes. The scholarship awards are available to all nursing students. Recipients must be in good academic standing.

Mary Taylor Deters Endowed Scholarship

Through this gift, they hope to ease the financial burden of education for aspiring business leaders, empowering them to follow a similar path of entrepreneurship and success. Distributions from the Fund shall be used to support students with financial need majoring in a program within the Thomas College of Business and Economics. If in the future, the Foundation determines that the purpose for which this Fund was created no longer exists, or is no longer necessary, legal or possible, then the Foundation shall have the right to modify the purpose in a manner that most closely accomplishes the Donor's original intent.

Maurice Bodenstein-Holocaust Mem

This award honors the memory of Maurice Bodenstein, who survived the European death camps in World War II. After liberation, he became a social worker, assisting youngsters who survived the Holocaust. He helped them recover optimism and self-respect. This award is given to a Social Work major for the purchase of textbooks.

Max M. Weinstein History Scholarship

The Donor's intent is to establish an award that will affirm and promote his belief in the enduring value of education and in the study of history. The donor will commemorate the memory and legacy of his late father, Max Weinstein, who shared his belief in the usefulness and value of learning through history. This endowed scholarship is meant to encourage and inspire recipients to recognize the importance and relativity of history in the quest of lifelong learning and to provide financial support as they pursue this field of study. The donor believes that education is a means of broadening one's horizons, not only in the pursuit of a career but also in the quest for a future that is open to the many possibilities that come with a good educational foundation. Candidates qualified for this scholarship award shall be History majors pursuing an undergraduate or graduate degree at the University of North Carolina at Pembroke. The donor prefers that financial need is demonstrated; however, the department may use its discretion to determine the recipient who is most deserving. The award will be made annually.

McMahon Achievement Award

This award was established by Dr. Maria O. McMahon to further demonstrate her strong support for the efforts of the social work program at UNCP. The award is given each year to

a minority social work student (Native American, African American, Asian, or Hispanic) who has demonstrated outstanding service to the UNCP Social Work Program and community.

Ministry Through Education Scholarship

The recipients of The Ministry Through Education Endowed Scholarship will be either full or part time undergraduate students with a major in Religion, Religious Education, or Education with a concentration in Religion with a plan to enter the ministry. Recipients must be Native American and maintain a minimum university standard QPA and can be in any year of study. Recipient must be part of a state or federally recognized tribe.

Mitch Tyler Endowed Scholarship

The donors wish to honor the memory of Mitchell Tyler, a long-time, well respected educator. The recipients will be education majors from Robeson or Hoke County, N.C. Recipients must maintain the University GPA, undergraduate student with a financial need. The scholarship is renewable as long as the above criteria continues to be met.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Edward Oxendine Scholarship

The Donors wish to assist students who are interested in pursuing a medical career, with preference in the area of pre-Pharmacy. Candidate selection shall be based upon: full-time enrollment; either undergraduate or graduate status; pursuing a medical career (pre-Pharmacy preference); adherence to a 2.5 GPA; and financial need. Should there be two candidates of equal qualifications, first preference shall be granted to a Native American. There is no preference of residency or year of study. The scholarship shall be renewable. Recipient must be part of a state or federally recognized tribe.

Nancy Land Wallace Grant In-Aid

ΔKG as a society of educators is committed to continuous support for quality teaching. Lambda Chapter of the Delta Kappa Gamma Society International was chartered in April 1941 and has since that time offered a grant-in-aid to a prospective teacher. This grant is offered to a Robeson County resident in support of the continued need for quality education within its boundaries. The recipients of the Lambda Chapter Teacher Grant-in-Aid shall be full-time undergraduate students in the senior year of study at UNCP with a major in Education. Recipients must be residents of Robeson County, North Carolina demonstrating financial need and maintaining a 3.0 GPA.

Nat and Sandra Tolar Endowed Athletic Scholarship

The Donor wishes to establish this athletic endowment to assist in attracting and retaining quality student-athletes to UNC Pembroke as their chosen higher education institution. The Donor recognizes the important role intercollegiate athletics plays in preparing young people for their life following graduation. The Donor wishes to assist a deserving student-athlete who would not be able to begin or continue their athletic and academic pursuits at

UNC Pembroke without this additional support. The recipients of this scholarship will be a UNC Pembroke student-athlete and maintain the minimum University Standard QPA. Incoming freshman as well as current students will be eligible. There is no requirement with regard to major of study, residency, or financial need. The award is renewable.

Nathaniel Powell Track and Cross-Country Scholarship

The donor wishes to promote the efforts of UNCP Cross Country/Track & Field. Nathan Powell was an outstanding performer for the UNCP Cross Country/Track & Field teams in the midlate eighties. An All-District 26 performer and team member on multiple District Championship squads, Nathan still has one of the top 10 fastest cross country times in UNCP history (26:17/8K in 1986 at The Citadel Invitation). Nathan wishes to give back to the university that gave to him and provide assistance to a UNCP student-athlete. Recipients must maintain NCAA eligibility and will be selected at the discretion of the Head Cross Country/Track & Field Coach.

Nelson Price and Associates Business Scholarship

Nelson Price & Associates, PA, wish to promote the efforts of the School of Business. Nelson Price & Associates, PA, has been a model of good business practice with a foundation that has been built on honesty, integrity, hard work, and customer service. Several employees of the firm are UNCP graduates, including Greg and Andy Price. The firm recognizes the value of higher education and the values of UNCP to the region and wishes to assist students as they strive to enhance their knowledge and college experience. The recipient shall be a business major, and the scholarship will be awarded at the discretion of a committee formed under the supervision of the Dean of the School of Business.

Newy Scruggs Sports Broadcasting Endowed Scholarship

After receiving success in various large markets across the country in the field of sports broadcasting, the Donor wishes to assist other young people who have chosen a similar career track by establishing the Newy Scruggs Sports Broadcasting Endowed Scholarship. The primary requirement for candidates to be awarded this scholarship shall be students majoring in Mass Communication with plans to pursue a career in sports broadcasting, sports reporting or sports information. Final preference will be given to any Mass Communication student who plans to participate in athletics at The University of North Carolina at Pembroke. All candidates must be full-time undergraduate students in any year of study and maintain at least the minimum university standard GPA.

NIEA Rosa Revels Winfree Memorial Endowed Scholarship

Candidate for award of this scholarship shall be member of a state or federally recognized tribe, resident of North Carolina, in the junior year of study, working toward a degree in Education. The candidate may be of full- or part-time status, must maintain a minimum 2.5 GPA, and must be of demonstrated financial need.

North Carolina GSK Foundation Gertrude B. Elion Science Scholars Endowment

The purpose of the GlaxoSmithKline, Inc. Women in Science Scholars Endowed Scholarship is to recognize outstanding scholarship, to provide an incentive for women science students to enter the science profession, and to provide students with a woman scientist mentor at GlaxoSmithKline, Inc. Students must have a GPA of 3.0 or better. Students' GPA must remain at 3.0 or better to be eligible to continue to receive the award. Recipients must be a junior or senior majoring in biology, chemistry or physics. The recipient should have a strong interest in attending graduate school and conducting research. Student whose coursework emphasizes biomedical, molecular or biotechnology studies are encouraged to apply. Recipient must have completed 24 semester hours at UNCP and 16 semester hours in her academic major. Participating student must fulfill Glaxo obligations to receive a stipend.

North Carolina Native American Scholarship

This scholarship was established in 2000 by a gift from UNCP alumnus Christopher Kirks and funded by individuals and corporate donors to provide financial assistance to members of North Carolina Native American tribes who may otherwise not be afforded an education. Criteria for award of these scholarships include: that the recipient(s) be a member of a state or federally recognized tribe of NC Native American ancestry with distribution equally among all NC (recognized) Indian tribes represented. The recipient(s) must be full-time undergraduate students with a minimum GPA and a demonstrated financial need. There is no preference regarding subject major or year of study.

Oscar and Margie Chavis Memorial Scholarship

The Donor, a proud graduate of UNCP in 1947 and retired school teacher, has taught children who were academically capable of attending college but who could not attend due to their financial circumstances. Having been a teacher, she knows the value and importance of education as part of one's future. The Donor is proud to know that this scholarship will help countless students realize their dream of a post-secondary degree and is honored to establish this scholarship in memory of her parents who sacrificed in order that she and her siblings could obtain a college degree. The recipients of the Oscar and Margie Chavis Endowed Memorial Scholarship shall be residents of North Carolina who are of demonstrated financial need. First preference shall be given to a member of a state- or federally-recognized American Indian tribe. Recipients must maintain a 2.5 GPA and be full-time undergraduate students in the sophomore, junior, or senior year of study. The award will occur half in the fall and half in the spring and is renewable as long as funds are available. There is no restriction of major or field of study.

Oscar R. Sampson Endowed Scholarship

Established by the family and friends of Oscar R. And Susie J. Sampson, this award is to be presented annually to a Native American student who has met all admission requirements

to enroll, or who is currently enrolled at UNC Pembroke. The recipient must possess those qualities of integrity, leadership, scholarship, and service that Mr. Oscar R. Sampson held so dear. The recipient must be in need of financial assistance. The award will cover tuition and fees for the academic year. Recipient must be part of a state or federally recognized tribe.

Pat and Judy Corso Endowed Scholarship

Patrick Corso served as a Trustee for the University of North Carolina and also as Chairman of the Board. Over the course of his career Mr. Corso has provided leadership to the university, the region and state. Both he and Judy are long standing members of the Pinehurst Community. Most of Pat's career was spent in the resort and hospitality industry and while President of Pinehurst Resort in Country Club he served as General Chairman of the 1999 US Open Championship. In 2003 Mr. Corso was named one of 40 North Carolina Tourism Leaders of the 20th Century by Appalachian State University and received the Order of the Long Leaf Pine in 2021.

Judy Corso's mother and three sisters had long careers as educators. Judy served as an elementary school teacher in the Moore County School System for over 25 years. Her career in education has inspired them to help improve education outcomes in this region by establishing the Pat & Judy Corso Endowed Scholarship. This scholarship will be awarded to an academically excellent student with financial need in the School of Education.

Pattie & Luther Locklear and Pearlie M. & Hardywell Locklear Scholarship

Mr. and Mrs. Locklear wish to utilize this commitment to UNCP as a symbol of their appreciation of the university and its impact in their lives and the community it serves. Mrs. Locklear retired as a teacher after 30 years of service and is extremely passionate about education and the arts. Although their lives have been consumed by education, business and community improvement, they have their share of adventurous pursuits and special interests.
The recipient will be a student in the nursing program, an elementary education major, or a music education major and a member of a state or federally recognized tribe. The recipient must maintain a minimum 2.7 GPA. The student must be a current resident of Robeson County and have attended and graduated from high school at Purnell Swett High School (first preference) or a high school in Robeson County (second preference) for 9th through 12th grades. Financial need should be considered. The award is renewable.

Paul R and Lee Givens Endowed Scholarship

Established by Paul and Lee Givens, this scholarship is awarded annually to an academically gifted student. The scholarship may be renewed as long as the recipient maintains a 3.0 GPA or better. The decision regarding renewal will be made annually. Dr. Paul R. Givens holds the position of Chancellor Emeritus, having served as Chancellor from 1979-1989 at UNC Pembroke.

Paul Van Zandt Scholarship in Art

The Donors wish to honor Professor Paul Van Zandt, former Chair of the Department of Art, by providing a scholarship that will assist students in the achievement of their educational goals. Professor Paul Van Zandt was an esteemed artist and faculty member at The University of North Carolina at Pembroke for 35 years until his retirement in 2005. At the time of his retirement, Van Zandt had established his legacy as a teacher, mentor, sculptor and potter. For these reasons, and to thank him for his service, this scholarship has been established to promote education among students majoring in Studio Art. Candidate for award of this scholarship shall be a full-time undergraduate student, in the sophomore, junior or senior year of study declaring an Art Studio major. This candidate shall maintain a minimum 3.0 GPA. There is no restriction of residency and financial need should not be a consideration. The Department of Art Selection Committee reserves the right to renew this award to a previously qualified recipient.

Pearlie Locklear Memorial Scholarship

Awarded annually to a Native American student majoring in Early Childhood Education, the scholarship is made possible by gifts from the Pearlie Locklear family. The recipient will be selected on the basis of academic achievement and financial need. The scholarship may be renewed as long as the recipient is in good standing at the University. Recipient must be part of a state or federally recognized tribe.

Peggy McLellan Lewis Memorial Endowed Scholarship

Mrs. Peggy McLellan Lewis of Fairmont, North Carolina was a beloved wife, mother, and friend to many. Born on a rural farm in the Bethesda community south of Fairmont, Peggy survived the great depression and the loss of her mother at a young age. She went on to raise her brothers before becoming a devoted mother to children of her own. Salutatorian of her class at Barnesville High School, Peggy regretted never receiving her college degree and instilled a strong commitment to higher education in her children who have become very successful. The children of Mrs. Lewis wish to establish this scholarship in their mother's memory and in honor of her support for education. Recipients shall be students from Fairmont, North Carolina with demonstrated financial need. If no such individuals meet this criteria, a student from Robeson County with demonstrated financial need may be selected. The award is not renewable.

Pembroke Business and Professional Women's Organization Career Advancement Scholarship

The Donor wishes to provide financial assistance to a mature woman who needs further education to obtain a promotion, to change to a more promising career field, or to return to the job market. The recipients of the Pembroke Business and Professional Women's Organization Career Advancement Endowed Scholarship will be residents of Robeson County, NC, with a demonstrated financial need and a major in any field of study, with first

preference to Native American students. Recipients must maintain a minimum University GPA, be in their junior year, and be full-time undergraduate students. The award of $500.00 per year will occur half in the fall and half in the spring and is renewable. Recipient must be part of a state or federally recognized tribe.

Pembroke High Class of 1961 Endowed Scholarship

This scholarship is established by class members and friends as a legacy to honor the memory of class members and the high school that was established for Indian students in Pembroke, North Carolina, in 1924. Students were housed in the Indian Normal School, a state owned building. A new building was completed and dedicated in 1939. The completion of Pembroke High School enabled the Indian Normal School to separate its secondary and college branches. Pembroke High School launched its twenty-nine year journey with a faculty of eight and 229 students in grades eight through eleven. The intent of this scholarship is to establish an award which will affirm and promote the belief in the enduring value of education and to commemorate the memory and legacy of the Pembroke High School Class of 1961. This endowed scholarship is meant to encourage and inspire recipients to recognize the relevance and the importance of the contributions of Pembroke High School graduates to this country and the belief that education is a means of broadening horizons, pursuing a meaningful career, and advancing the quest to serve all humanity. Candidates for this scholarship shall be graduates of Purnell Swett High School pursuing an undergraduate degree at The University of North Carolina at Pembroke; must have a GPA of 3.0 and maintain a 3.0 GPA as a junior and senior; and must demonstrate financial need. Recipients shall be enrolled members of a state- or federally-recognized Indian tribe. Recipients must have residential status from Robeson County. If there should be no qualified American Indian candidates, the scholarship would not be awarded.

Pembroke Pathways Scholarship Award for Rising BSN Students from Sandhills Community College

The recipients will be deserving graduates of Sandhills Community College Associate Degree Nursing Program. Eligible students must be enrolling full-time or part-time in the Bachelors of Nursing Program at the University of North Carolina Pembroke. An award will be made each year to each eligible student in the amount of $1,000 for tuition, fees, books, and other supplies for his/her first year of full-time enrollment in the BSN program.

**this scholarship is funded annually with a $10,000 contribution ($1,000 to 10 students), and it's the donor's intent that the full amount be awarded each year. If fewer students qualify in a given year, the available funds should be distributed among those who do.

Pembroke State College Class of 1962 Endowed Scholarship

This scholarship is established by class members and friends as a legacy to honor class members while honoring the founding fathers of the University for their Vision by establishing an educational opportunity that enriched their lives and created life

experiences they would not have been able to attain without receiving a quality education at Pembroke State College. This endowed scholarship is meant to encourage and inspire recipients to recognize the importance of not only obtaining an education but of giving back to this institution to help enrich the lives of students and create opportunities for them to continue their education. Candidates for this scholarship shall be full-time students pursuing an undergraduate degree at The University of North Carolina at Pembroke; must have a GPA of 3.0; and maintain a 3.0 GPA as a sophomore, junior, senior; and must demonstrate financial need.

Percy Richardson Memorial Scholarship

The Donors wish to assist in providing educational opportunities to Native American college students at The University of North Carolina at Pembroke, an accredited four-year University. Candidate selections shall be based upon the following criteria: (1) first preference shall be to Native Americans who are affiliated with a State Recognized Tribe or Terminated Tribe (as evidenced by proof of Tribal enrollment) situated on the East Coast as far west as the Ohio state line, second preference shall be to Federally recognized Native Americans, and last option would be to other students seeking to secure a degree with emphasis on American Indian Studies; (2) no subject major preference unless the scholarship is not awarded to a Native American, in which case, the recipient would have to be seeking a degree with emphasis on American Indian Studies; (3) a minimum University standard GPA; (4) no preference to year of study and is renewable for three additional years (total of four years); and, (5) full-time undergraduate status. If a freshman, the recipient is required to utilize the scholarship within nine months after high school graduation. If the recipient experiences a medical or family hardship and withdraws from school, the recipient is required to return to school within one year in order to retain the scholarship.

Pinchbeck Teets Family Endowed Scholarship in Music

The recipient of the Pinchbeck - Teets Family Endowed Scholarship in Music will be residents of Robeson County and also have attended a highschool within Robeson County for 9th-12th grades. Recipients must demonstrate financial need. The Student must maintain a 3.0 GPA. Incoming freshman as well as current students will be eligible. This scholarship is renewable and will be awarded half in the fall and half in the spring.

Presser Foundation Award

This substantial award, funded by the Presser Foundation, is given to a rising senior. It is based on merit and excellence and is determined by nomination and vote of the Music faculty.

Prospect HS Faculty & Class of '59 International Travel Fund

Ken Strickland wishes to create the Prospect High School Class of 1959 and Faculty Student International Travel Fund in honor of his teachers and classmates whose inspiration and

encouragement helped him attain success in life. The goal of this travel fund is to provide financial assistance to teacher education majors at UNCP who are natives of Robeson County, and are committed to teaching in the Public Schools of Robeson County once they graduate. The Donor feels strongly that exposing future teachers to foreign cultures and societies is a means of enriching their educational experience and bringing those experiences back to their classrooms. Funding shall be awarded to assist a teacher education major traveling abroad in an academically related/sponsored program over the course of a fall or spring semester or summer session (The travel must be within the context of an academic program). The recipient must: (1) demonstrate financial need; (2) be a native or current resident of Robeson County; (3) be a product of the Public Schools of Robeson County; and, (4) commit to teaching in the Public Schools of Robeson County if a teaching position is offered to them. The recipient can participate in international travel during any portion of the academic year, summer sessions included, in order to qualify. The recipient shall be admitted to the teacher education program and have a minimum 3.0 GPA. The Dean of the School of Education, in collaboration with other appropriate faculty/staff of the University, will determine the educational value of the travel as it relates to the Donor's wishes to bring other cultures to the classrooms in Robeson County and may present a pool of candidates to the Financial Aid Office for consideration. The award shall provide travel assistance to as many students as funds will allow as determined by the financial aid office in consultation with the Dean of the School of Education and the International Programs Office. The scholarship is to be used for travel related expenses and is not to be used to pay tuition, fees, etc.; the qualifiers for such academically related/sponsored program are cited above. If no students qualify for the travel award, then the funds will remain for awarding in a future academic year.

Purnell Swett Endowed Teaching Scholarship

This award was established by the Robeson County Indian Education Parent Committee in honor of Purnell Swett. Mr. Swett was the Robeson County School Superintendent from 1977 to 1989. An annual cash award will be given to each of two outstanding members of a state or federally recognized American Indian tribe completing teacher education certification requirements. The recipients must make a statement of intent to work in the Public Schools of Robeson County, if a position was offered.

Ralph H. Lowry Family Endowed Scholarship

The Donor wishes to honor Mr. Ralph H. Lowry, former chairman of the board of trustees of The Cherokee Indian Normal School of Robeson County, which eventually became UNCP, by creating this scholarship. The recipient of the Ralph H. Lowry Family Endowed Scholarship will be an enrolled member of a state- or federally-recognized Indian tribe. The recipient must maintain a GPA that meets the University standard and be an undergraduate of either full- or part-time status. Incoming freshmen as well as current students will be eligible. The recipient will be pursuing a major that is within the School of Business and will reside in

Robeson County, NC. Financial need should be considered. The award is renewable to the same recipient.

Ralph L. Steeds Art Scholarship

Awarded by the Art Dept to an Art Major with at least a 2.5 GPA. Preference given to applicant with emphasis in manual printmaking. The Department of Art Scholarship Selection Committee reserves the right to renew the award.

Raymond B. Pennington Endowed Scholarship

The Donor wishes to honor the patriarch of the Pennington Family who served as Athletic Director, Baseball Coach, Golf Coach, Dean of Men and Chair of the Physical Education Department during his tenure at The University of North Carolina at Pembroke. The candidate for award of this scholarship shall be a full time undergraduate student in any year of study at The University of North Carolina at Pembroke and a member of the men's baseball team maintaining NCAA eligibility. The award shall not exceed $600 per year to one student. The award will be renewable pending available funds. The UNCP Baseball Coach and Athletic Director will conduct selection of the recipients.

Reba M. Lowry Scholarship

Established by Ira Pate Lowry in memory of his wife, Mrs. Reba M. Lowry, who served UNC Pembroke for many years as Dean of Women and Chairman of the Department of Foreign Languages, this scholarship is awarded annually to a student based on scholarship and need.

Remember the 60's Endowed Scholarship

This scholarship was established by a group of interested individuals, organizations and corporations in Lumberton, NC who believe that the opportunity to assist students in pursuit of higher education in the area of performing arts is a worthwhile and necessary activity. Proceeds from the Remember the 60s production fund this scholarship. Recipients will be students majoring in some aspect of performing arts to include but not limited to Music, Dramatic Literature & Performance, Arts Management, Theatre Education and Middle Grades Licensure and shall be a resident of Robeson County.

Richard Pisano Scholarship

The Pisano Family wants to provide an educational opportunity to deserving students at UNC Pembroke while honoring their father, Richard Pisano. Their father believed strongly in education and always loved music.The recipients shall be full-time, undergraduate students in their sophomore, junior or senior year of study at UNCP. The recipients shall be Music majors and shall maintain a minimum 2.5 GPA. This scholarship shall be awarded to a native of North Carolina with one or more of the following conditions: demonstrated

financial need, musical potential, exudes professionalism, a healthy work ethic and campus involvement.

Rickey Lee Gregory Endowed Scholarship

Distributions from the fund shall be used to support students pursuing a Bachelor of Science degree in Agriculture, with preference given to students from Robeson County, North Carolina. If no qualified students from Robeson County are available, the fund may support any qualified in-state student from North Carolina pursuing a Bachelor of Science degree in Agriculture.

Robert F Britt Memorial Scholarship

The Robert F. Britt scholarship was established by family, students, and friends to honor the memory of long-time faculty member and Biology Department Chairman, Dr. Robert F. Britt. The scholarship is awarded annually to a Biology major who has shown interest in the Plant Sciences. In the case that there is not a qualified student who is majoring in biology with an interest in the plant sciences, the scholarship may be awarded to any biology major.

Robert K. Gustafson Memorial Scholarship

The recipient of the Dr. Robert K. Gustafson Endowed Memorial Scholarship will be at least a second semester sophomore, junior, or senior, majoring in Philosophy and/or Religion, who exemplifies high academic performance and positive intellectual leadership. Need shall not be a prerequisite. Half of the annual award shall be given in each fall and spring semester, and the award is renewable as long as the recipient remains in good standing with the Department of Religion and Philosophy. First preference shall be given to a longtime resident of North Carolina from Scotland, Robeson, or Cumberland County.

Robeson County Retired School Personnel Scholarship

Established in 2001 by its namesake organization, this scholarship is designed to provide support to a teacher education major. The recipient will be a resident of Robeson County, NC with a major in teacher education. Recipient must maintain a minimum university GPA, demonstrate financial need and be a full time undergraduate student. The award will occur half in the fall and half in the spring, can be made in the junior year of study and is renewable.

Roger Franklin Harrington Endowed Scholarship

The donor wishes to honor his memory with a scholarship for a resident of Robeson or Brunswick Counties. The recipient will be a full-time undergraduate student with a 3.0 QPA. The recipient can be in any year and any subject major. Financial need is not considered. The award is renewable as long as funds are available, and the recipient continues to meet the criteria established. The award is given annually.

Ron Miller Athletic Scholarship

The children of Ron Miller wish to honor their father who dedicated his life to teaching, coaching, and the betterment of the communities he served. A native of Brooklyn, New York, Ron Miller joined the Pembroke State basketball squad in 1961 after transferring from Edwards Military Institute in Salemburg, NC. Ron graduated from Pembroke State College in 1963 with a B.S. in Health and Physical Education and went on to become a successful high school teacher and coach. Over his 37-year coaching career with both men and women, he won over 600 games, including the 1993 NCHSAA State 4A Championship with South View High School in Fayetteville, NC. Coach Miller remained very active with UNCP throughout his career and after retirement.The scholarship is for any student-athlete with a minimum GPA of 2.5 who is enrolled as a full-time undergraduate student at UNC Pembroke. Additionally, support personnel such as team managers or statisticians actively supporting UNC Pembroke Athletics would also be eligible to receive the scholarship.

Roscoe and Winnie Catherine Locklear Scholarship

Scholarship is awarded to an undergraduate NC resident of Robeson or Burke County with demonstrated financial need. Recipient must be majoring in Education an be in good academic standing. The award will be made half in the fall and half in the spring and is renewable as long as funds are available and the recipient continues to meet the criteria.

Rosemary R. Gibson Endowed Scholarship in Musical Theatre

The donor wishes to help a Musical Theatre major have enough funds to achieve graduation. The recipients of this scholarship in Musical Theatre will be undergraduate students with Musical Theatre as their declared major and maintain a minimum of 2.5 GPA. In the absence of an eligible Musical Theatre major, students who excel at piano (first preference) or conducting (second preference) should be considered; Incoming freshman as well as current students will be eligible. Financial need is not a consideration. The award is renewable to the same recipient.

Royce McNeil Endowed Women's Golf and Women's Basketball Scholarship

This scholarship was created by family, friends, and professional colleagues in memory of Royce McNeill. Royce was a part of the athletic fabric of Robeson County as a golf coach and athletic director at Prospect High School and Purnell Swett High School. Royce's greatest joy was witnessing the accomplishments of his athletes as they moved on to collegiate athletics. The recipients of this scholarship will be student athletes of the UNC Pembroke Women's Golf and Women's Basketball team. The recipients must be residents of North Carolina and maintain a 3.0 QPA. The recipients will be selected by the UNC Pembroke Head Golf Coach and Head Women's Basketball Coach or designee. There is no preference relating to financial need, year of study, or subject major. The award will be split evenly between Women's Golf and Women's Basketball each year.

Ruby Carter Dial Memorial Scholarship

The Donors wish to recognize distinguished service to education as a teacher, administrator, counselor and mentor to young people. Candidates for award of this scholarship shall be residents of Robeson County, the state of North Carolina, who are either full-or-part time undergraduate students in their junior year of study, and maintaining a 3.0 GPA at The University of North Carolina at Pembroke. The $500.00 annual award is merit based; candidates do not have to be of financial need. First preference will be given to a Robeson County member of a state- or federally-recognized American Indian tribe who is enrolled in the teacher certification program, not receiving other financial aid, with demonstrated community service, involvement and experience in American Indian Youth programs and activities. The award will be made half in the fall and half in the spring and the award shall not exceed $500 per year. The award will be renewable if funds are available.

Ruth Martin Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship was established in 1990 and endowed by family, friends, alumni, colleagues, and church groups in memory of Miss Ruth Martin, Associate Professor of Religion (1953-1985), for her many years of service to the University and the community. The award is given annually to a student who is a Religion major preparing for full-time religious service.

Saint Albans Masonic Scholarship

The members of the Lumberton St. Albans Masonic Lodge established this scholarship to help deserving youth in Robeson County, North Carolina receive a quality education. Criteria for award of these scholarships include residency in Robeson County, North Carolina and a minimum University standard GPA The recipient(s) shall demonstrate financial need, be in their freshman year of study and be registered as a full time student. Two scholarships will be awarded with award occurring half in the fall and half in the spring.

Sam Cernugel Memorial Scholarship

The scholarship was established by family and friends to honor the memory of Sam Cernugel of Fairmont. Mr. Cernugel spent much time working to improve the quality of life in and around his home in Robeson County. The recipient of the scholarship shall be a full time undergraduate in financial need who meets all academic requirement of the University. First priority will be given to a student who is a member, or the child of a member, of the First Baptist Church, South Main Street, Fairmont. Failing a qualified candidate, the recipient will be a resident of Robeson County. The award is renewable.

Sammy Cox Baseball Scholarship

This scholarship is provided annually to a qualified member of the UNCP Baseball Team. The student will meet University academic standards. The award is renewable on an annual basis.

Sandra Tidwell Tolar Endowed Scholarship in Education

Nat Taylor established this scholarship to carry on the legacy of his wife's devotion to education and to support students who are interested in the same field that she was. The recipients of this scholarship will be students in the school of education, with a preference for students majoring in elementary education. Students must meet university minimum GPA requirements.

Sarah Locklear Lowery Scholarship

The Donors wish to recognize Mrs. Sarah Locklear Lowery by honoring her life as a long-time educator and one of the first 500 graduates of Pembroke State College (now UNC-Pembroke). Mrs. Lowery was an elementary school teacher for over 32 years; 28 years with the Public Schools of Robeson County in North Carolina and 4 years with the Baltimore County Schools in Maryland. She is a member of Prospect United Methodist Church and has been active in community service projects all her life. The recipients will be either full or part-time undergraduate students maintaining a 3.0 University GPA standard. There is no restriction of residency, major, or year of study. This award is based on demonstrated financial need.

Senator David F. Weinstein Endowed Scholarship in Nursing

The Donor wishes to recognize the quality of the Nursing Department at UNCP and the work of its students by creating the Senator David F. Weinstein Endowed Scholarship in Nursing. The recipients of the Senator David F. Weinstein Endowed Scholarship in Nursing will be nursing majors maintaining the University's and Nursing Department's minimum GPA. Successful candidates should be well-rounded students as evidenced by their involvement in University and community service and activities. Financial need should be considered. The award is renewable.

Sheltering Home Circle of the King's Daughters & Son Nursing Scholarship

This fund shall be used to provide support for a full-time rising Junior or Senior student (or students) studying in the UNC Pembroke Nursing Program. The recipient shall be selected in accordance with the following criteria: has completed requirements for acceptance in the RN-BSN Program; has maintained at least a 2.8 cumulative GPA; is a resident of North Carolina; exhibits financial need; exhibits integrity, moral standards and service through community and campus involvement to the satisfaction of the scholarship committee. Recipient shall be an enrolled member of a State or Federally recognized Indian tribe, with preference to a member of the Lumbee Tribe. Funds from this scholarship will be credited

directly towards the student's account and used for tuition, fees, books, and uniforms. Scholarship may be renewed for a second year as need exists and student's academics continue to meet criteria. Recipient will be responsible for acknowledging receipt of the scholarship to a designated member of the North Carolina Circle of The King's Daughters and Sons and be willing to share how it assisted them in their career goals.

Sheltering Home Circle of the King's Daughters and Sons Education Scholarship

This fund shall be used to provide support for a full-time rising Junior or Senior student (or students) studying to become an elementary classroom teacher in grades K-6. The recipient shall be selected in accordance with the following criteria: has completed two years of study in the School of Education; has maintained at least a 2.5 GPA; is a resident of North Carolina; exhibits financial need; exhibits integrity, moral standards, and service through community and campus involvement to the satisfaction of the scholarship committee; and is an enrolled member of a state- or federally-recognized Indian tribe, with preference to a member of the Lumbee Tribe.

Silas Strickland Endowed Scholarship

The Donors, Kenneth Strickland and Dr. Ruth Infante, establish this scholarship to honor Ken's great-grandfather, Silas Strickland. Silas Strickland was born in 1795 in Robeson County to Jacob and Mary Strickland. Silas, like many Native people, faced struggles with the injustices of his time. He mustered during the War of 1812, which was a conflict fought between the United States and Great Britain over British violations of U.S. maritime rights. Silas served with four other Lumbee Men in the First Brigade of the North Carolina Militia in the 11th Company, detached from the Robeson Regiment. In addition to his military service, he was a successful farmer. He raised his family along the east side of Bear Swamp, in the present-day St. Annah community. The family farm was located north of the Town of Pembroke. He and his wife, Charity, were parents to ten children: Flora, Catherine, Alexander, Jennett, Harris, John, Noah, David, Polly Ann, and Amanda. Silas passed away between 1850 and 1854, and Charity passed away in 1858.

Today, Silas is considered the progenitor, or founding ancestor, of the Lumbee Stricklands of North Carolina. Descendants of Silas and Charity continue to live on the same soil along Bear Swamp. Silas' legacy of commitment to family, country, and community is carried on through his descendants. Many of his descendants pursued the tradition of farming and military service, and others went on to become entrepreneurs, educators, and even a judge.

In honor of Silas Strickland, the Donors have established the Silas Strickland Endowed Scholarship to provide scholarships for students from Robeson County majoring in Education.

Smith-Fields Endowed Scholarship

Richard and Patricia Fields wish to establish this scholarship to honor their parents, Mr. Dennis and Mrs. Nora Odom Smith and Mr. Raymond and Mrs. Joann Willis Fields.

The recipient of Smith-Fields Endowed Family Scholarship will be a resident of North Carolina and a full time undergraduate student with a Minimum University Standard GPA. The recipient can be in any year of study and there is no preference to subject major. Financial need shall be considered. The award is renewable as long as funds are available and the recipient continues to meet the criteria as established. The award is given annually.

Stacy Locklear, Sr. Endowed Scholarship

The Donors wish to honor the memory of Stacy Locklear, Sr. He taught for 35 years in Robeson County, spending most of that time as a secondary science teacher. He went on to become a guidance counselor, and then a principal, and always believed in the value of public education. Mr. Locklear earned his Bachelor's Degree from what was then Pembroke State College in 1962, part of a family legacy of UNCP graduates. The family of Stacy Locklear, Sr. establishes this scholarship in his name to encourage students who are following his footsteps towards a career in public education. The recipients of this scholarship will be residents of Robeson County and maintain the Minimum University Standard GPA. This scholarship is open to full-time undergraduate students in their sophomore or junior year who are majoring in secondary education, with a preference for students studying science education. Financial need should be considered. The award is renewable to the same student should they continue to meet the requirements.

Stacy Ryan Locklear Air Force ROTC Scholarship

The Donors wish to establish a scholarship to honor the memory of Stacy Ryan Locklear, who profoundly impacted the lives of his father, family, and friends. Ryan was a vibrant 3-year-old who passed away unexpectedly on July 25, 2004. He was proud of his dad, who was commissioned an Air Force officer in 1989 through the UNCP Air Force ROTC Program. The Air Force ROTC (AFROTC) curriculum teaches leadership, follower-ship, communication skills, management, and a myriad of other essential skills and is designed to prepare students to assume positions of increasing responsibility in the modern Air Force. Candidate for award of this scholarship shall be a member of a state- or federally-recognized American Indian tribe and a resident of Robeson County. The candidate shall be a full-time, undergraduate student in the junior or senior year of study participating in the Air Force ROTC Program at The University of North Carolina at Pembroke. The candidate shall maintain a 3.0 GPA and must be of demonstrated financial need.

Staff Senate Endowed Scholarship

Established to honor the staff and family members of UNCP staff. In recognition of the many contributions to the life and growth of the University by staff members in every department. The candidates for this award are full-time staff members (who have successfully completed probation) their dependents or spouse. Staff Council members, (current and two

years prior) or their dependents and spouses are not eligible to receive the Staff Council Endowed Scholarship. Staff Council members, dependents and spouses will be eligible when they have not served three consecutive years on the staff council board. Awards will be made in the Fall, Summer and Spring. Only one award will may be granted per person, per year. Candidates shall be either full or part-time students, with preference given in the following order: Staff Members who are undergraduates, dependents or spouses of staff members who are undergraduates, staff members who are graduate students and dependents or spouses who are graduate students. Applications are due July 31st for the Fall Semester, March 1st for the Summer Semester and November 1st for the Spring Semester.

Stephen A. Hammonds Endowed Scholarship

The donor wishes to honor the legacy of his late grandfather with the establishment of an endowed scholarship in his memory. The intent is to provide support for students who wish to obtain a college education at a university that was deeply loved by the honoree, Stephen A. Hammonds. Mr. Hammonds attended the school in 1894 and was a member and Leader of the Red Man's Lodge in his community. His preaching and teaching career carried him to all sections of Robeson County and he was well known county wide. At 21, he started public school teaching, and continued that work in the county for over 35 years while faming. His commitment and determination inspired many people and made a tremendous impact on his descendants and their ability to continue in the same way, with a strong work ethic and religious values. The recipients of this scholarship must be a full time-undergraduate student majoring in Science, Math, Education, or an Agriculture related program. The recipients must be residents of Robeson County and maintain the university's minimum GPA standards. The recipients must demonstrate financial need. The award is renewable.

Steven A. Hunt Memorial Endowed Scholarship

The Donor's intent is to establish this scholarship to honor the memory of Steven A. Hunt. Steve was a passionate and visionary leader. He worked for and with students all of his life. He was a huge supporter of his alma mater and continuously gave back to the university. This scholarship will help continue Steve's legacy.

The recipients of the Steven A. Hunt Memorial Endowed Scholarship will be current students pursuing an undergraduate degree at the University of North Carolina at Pembroke who have benefited from Center for Student Success (CSS) services in previous semesters. The donor wishes that financial need is demonstrated and that the recipients be residents of North Carolina. The award is renewable.

Steven D Bourquin Endowed Memorial Scholarship

The Steven D. Bourquin Scholarship was created by friends, family, coaches, administrators, and colleagues in honor of Dr. Steven D. Bourquin who served UNC Pembroke as a distinguished faculty member, department chair, and dean from 2003 until September 4,

2018. Dr. Bourquin was a full professor and a decorated teacher including being the recipient of the 2016 UNC Board of Governors Teaching Excellence Award. He earned a reputation for being someone who made the study of mathematics fun. He it as a sport and students loved his classes. Dr. Bourquin was lover of college football and was instrumental in bringing football to UNC Pembroke in 2007. He was one of the members of the UNC Pembroke Football Advisory Committee.

The recipient of this scholarship will be a student-athlete majoring in math or teacher education. Recipients need to have been enrolled at UNC Pembroke for more than one year and exhibit the characteristics of Dr. Steven Bourquin, including a strong passion for UNC Pembroke, positive attitude, and a commitment to education. The recipients must meet NCAA Eligibility Standards and will be selected by the Director of Athletics or designee. Preference is for the recipient to be a rising senior with an interest in pursuing a graduate degree and/or a strong desire to become a teacher, researcher, or administrator as a career ambition.

Student Book Endowed Scholarship

This scholarship was established by donors who observed that students struggling to pay tuition and fees may be unable to afford their textbooks. Any student may apply for this annual scholarship through the Financial Aid Office.

Sue Betty Locklear Memorial Scholarship

The Sue Betty Locklear Endowed Memorial Scholarship was established in 1991 by faculty, family, and friends to honor the memory of Sue Betty Locklear, who served as secretary for more than twenty-one years in the Department of Communicative Arts. The award is to be made annually to a non-traditional student who is in need of financial assistance and who has declared a major in either the Department of English, Theatre, and Foreign Languages or the Department of History.

Sylvester Wooten Omega Psi Phi Scholarship

The Donors wish to: honor Dr. Sylvester Wooten by establishing this scholarship in his name and provide financial assistance to members of Omega Psi Phi enrolled at The University of North Carolina at Pembroke. The recipients of the Dr. Sylvester Wooten Omega Psi Phi Scholarship shall be XM members of Omega Psi Phi. If no recipient is identified within the organization for a given academic year, the award will be held until an academic year in which a recipient can be identified within Omega Psi Phi. The recipients must maintain a minimum 2.5 GPA and be of demonstrated financial need. There is no restriction of residency, major, year of study, or student status. The award is renewable if a new recipient cannot be identified.

Sylvia T. Johnson Endowed Scholarship

To be eligible, a student must have a minimum science GPA of 3.0 or a strong recommendation from NC-HCAP Pre-health Advisor. Recipients will be full-time undergraduate students in the sophomore, junior or senior year of study who have clearly demonstrated a strong interest in healthcare and have actively participated in the program opportunities offered through NC-HCAP. The award will be disbursed half fall and half spring and is renewable to the same student (annually) for two consecutive years only as long as funds are available and student meets designated scholarship criteria. Financial need will not be considered. Scholarship available only to students who are residents of the following rural counties within North Carolina: Robeson, Hoke, Scotland, Bladen and Columbus.

Sylvia Tatum Edwards Ann Scholarship

This scholarship is presented by the family of Sylvia Tatum Edwards in her memory. Mrs. Edwards served as administrative assistant to Chancellor Joseph Oxendine, Chancellor Allen Meadors, and the College of Arts and Sciences, consecutively, for 24 years. This scholarship is established to continue her legacy of philanthropy and advocacy for education. It was her desire to graduate from a four-year institution; and, although she was not able to accomplish this, she lived a life of intentionally assisting others to attain this goal. She loved working in the educational environment, she loved the students and enjoyed being a life-long learner. The recipients of this scholarship must be a resident of North Carolina and a student in the College of Arts and Sciences in good academic standing with the University. The scholarship will be awarded to one student for $1000 per academic year.

Tate Family Endowed Scholarship in Nursing

The Tates had a desire to establish this scholarship, in part, because their granddaughter is a University of North Carolina at Pembroke student, and have witnessed how much she has enjoyed her educational journey. They also wish to acknowledge Chancellor Robin G. Cummings and the wonderful job he is doing as the sixth chancellor of our university. The recipients of the Tate Family Endowed Scholarship in Nursing will be nursing majors accepted in to the school of nursing. They are residents of North Carolina, with a preference for Robeson County and Moore County residents at the time of enrollment at UNCP. They will be full-time students in their Junior or Senior year. They will have a minimum 3.0 GPA. They will have a financial need.

Tecumseh B. Jr and Eva Brayboy Memorial Baseball Scholarship

The children of Tecumseh and Eva Brayboy established this scholarship in 2000 to recognize and honor the values and beliefs of their beloved parents. The recipient of the Tecumseh B., Jr. and Eva Brayboy Endowed Memorial Scholarship will be a resident of North Carolina who meets all minimum University academic standards, is of proven financial need, is an athlete in good standing on the baseball team, and a full time student. First preference shall be given to an athlete who is a member of a state- or federally-recognized American Indian tribe. One award shall be made and shall be paid half in the fall

and half in the spring. The award can be made to a student in any year of study and is renewable.

Terry Nathaniel Chavis Scholarship

The recipient(s) of The Terry Nathaniel Chavis Endowed Scholarship will be residents of Robeson County, NC, graduates of Purnell Swett High School, with a demonstrated financial need and preferably with a major in Computer Science. First preference will be given to Native American students. Recipients must maintain a 3.0 QPA, be in their freshman year and be full time undergraduate students. The award will occur half in the fall and halfin the spring. It is not renewable. Recipient must be part of a state or federally recognized tribe.

The Ayars Endowed Engineering Scholarship

The Ayars Endowed Engineering Scholarship will be awarded to a full-time academically excellent student working towards a degree in applied physics as a part of the joint 3+2 dual degree engineering program. Preference will be given to a student with a higher academic performance; preference will not be given based on level of financial need. The scholarship is renewable.

The Bollinger Family Endowed Scholarship

The donor wishes to honor the life and memory of Sue Bollinger Bennett, Elon Tyson Bollinger, Herman Paul Bollinger, Sr., and Donald Bruce Bollinger. As an elementary school teacher, Sue Bollinger Bennett inspired her students to excel and become engaged members of their community. She encouraged and influenced every child, as she understood that the future of the world was in her classroom each day. Sue earned her degree in Elementary Education at UNC Pembroke. She learned her interpersonal skills growing up in Lumberton from her parents Herman and Elon Bollinger and her brother Don Bollinger. Anyone who knows the Bollinger family says, "They are good people." Recipient will be a full time student pursuing an Elementary Education degree and / or a member of the Women's Golf Team or Men's Basketball Team. Consideration will be given to residents of NC with preference given to Lumberton High School graduates, Robeson Community College graduates, McMichael High School graduates or Rockingham County Community College graduates. The award is renewable as long as the recipient maintains a minimum of 3.0 GPA.

The C.A. “Whitey” & P.J. Smith Endowed Wrestling Scholarship

Full-time undergraduate wrestler, maintaining the minimum QPA, in any year of study. No residency restrictions and doesn't require financial need. Fund will produce one award per year up to full tuition and fees. Renewable.

The Converse, Inc. Endowed Scholarship

Endowed by Converse, Incorporated, Lumberton, NC, this scholarship is awarded annually to Robeson County Residents who consistently maintain an average of 3.0 or above. Open to all races and academic majors, the scholarship may be renewed as long as recipients make satisfactory progress toward completion of their degrees. It is understood that preference will be given to qualified students who are sons or daughters of former Converse employees and that financial need will not necessarily be a factor in the selection process.

The Dial-Chavis SNCAE Scholarship

This scholarship was endowed in 1992 by Harriet Caligan Dial, UniServ Director of NCAE, and wife of UNC Pembroke Professor Emeritus, Dr. Adolph L. Dial. It honors longtime Robeson County educator Agnes Hunt Chavis who served the NEA in leadership roles at the local, state, and national levels. The award is presented annually to a junior or senior education (or related academic field) major who plans to teach in the public schools. Candidates must be members of the SNCAEUNCP Chapter. The choice of a recipient will be based on academic achievement and financial need. The scholarship is renewable. In the case that there is not a SNCAE chapter at the University, the candidate must be an education major who is a graduate of a Robeson County High School.

The Dr. James Ebert NC Sons of the Revolution American History Scholarship

The donors wish to contribute to the educational support of students majoring in American History whose field of study concentrates on the Revolutionary Period and/or the period of establishment of the new democratic government of the United States of America through the establishment of The Sons of the Revolution American History Award. This will be a one-year award of $1,000 and may be repeated in future years. The UNCP history faculty will select the recipient, who may be either a full-time or part-time undergraduate in any year of study. At the end of the academic year, the recipient will be required to submit to the Secretary of the Sons of the Revolution a typed research paper on an appropriate topic as part of the Chapter's evaluation process. The Chapter will reserve the right to publish the paper in its publications

The Jill Wilson Endowed Scholarship

Mrs. Wilson, a Wake Forest graduate, truly believes in the implementation of scholarship opportunities for UNC Pembroke students. She understands the critical needs of funding to support the scholastic endeavors of college students and takes provides in creating an endowed scholarship to support educational aspirations.
This scholarship is intended to help a student who demonstrates a financial need and to assist in lessening financial hardship that would prevent a student from persisting towards their educational aspirations.

The Jim & Jamie Self Endowed Tuba Scholarship

This fund is being established by the donor to honor Dr. Joanna Hersey for her excellent career as a tuba player, teacher and administrator and for her service to the greater tuba world. Jim Self establishes this scholarship to support an excellent tuba student in the department of music. If two students are equally excellent, the most creative students should be selected. The recipient will be selected be recommendation of the tuba professor in agreement with the music department chair. This award is renewable if the student continues to maintain the excellent level of performance and achievement.

The K.D. & Nancy Tubb Endowed Scholarship

Les Tubb establishes this scholarship to honor his parents. His intent for this scholarship is to impact the lives of deserving UNC Pembroke students who are interested in pursuing a career with the intent of improving the quality of life in our region. The recipient of this scholarship will be a full-time undergraduate student maintaining a QPA of 2.5. This scholarship is renewable.

The Leonard & Hickory Holmes Medical Career Endowed Scholarship

The recipients of the Leonard and Hickory Holmes Medical Career Endowed Scholarship will be a junior or senior full-time student maintaining a minimum of 3.7 QPA. Recipients must be majoring in Chemistry, Applied Physics or Nursing; and be residents of North Carolina. First preference should be given to those students who are graduates of a Robeson County high school and are members of a state or federally recognized tribe. If there are no applicants meeting the listed criteria, the Office of Financial Aid will make an award to the applicant(s) that most closely meet(s) the requirements.It is the donor's preference to give four scholarship: 2 in Chemistry and/or Physics and 2 in Nursing per academic school year.

The Linda Walters Larke Endowed Scholarship in Math Education

The Donors wish to honor the memory of Linda Walters Larke by endowing this scholarship. Linda Mae Rising Larke was born in Robeson County on May 13, 1947.Â She was the daughter of a local farmer and homemaker. She was the first of eight children to attend college. She attended Pembroke State University and worked hard to pay her way through school. She received her Bachelor of Science degree in Mathematics with a minor in English. She was offered an opportunity to teach at Magnolia High School, prior to completing her student teaching, because of the shortage of math teachers. She agreed to a pay cut, for one year, to satisfy her student teaching requirement. She worked for the public schools of Robeson County for thirty years. She taught math at Magnolia High School, Orrum High School and Littlefield High School. She earned her Master of Arts in Guiding and Counseling from Campbell University and became the school counselor at Littlefield and Fairmont High School. In her last years, she was the Tech Prep Coordinator for the Public Schools of Robeson County. She had a passion for student learning and career planning.

The recipients of the Linda Walters Larke Endowed Scholarship in Math Education will have a declared major in Math Education and maintain the University standard minimum GPA.

Recipients must be full-time students in their junior year when they receive the scholarship and must be residents of Robeson County. Recipients must have demonstrated financial need.

The Mabel Lowry Oxendine, Karla Castrovinci & Belinda Patrick Endowed Scholarship

Charles W. Oxendine Jr. created this scholarship to honor his late wife, Mabel Lowry Oxendine, and daughters, Karla Castrovinci and Belinda Patrick. The Donor hopes to assist towards impacting the lives of deserving UNC Pembroke students. This scholarship is renewable, and the student must maintain a GPA of 2.5. There are no preferences for year of study; however, the individual must be enrolled full-time and in pursuit of an undergraduate degree at The University of North Carolina at Pembroke.

The Maxine Locklear Amos Endowed Nursing Scholarship

The recipient of the Maxine Locklear Endowed Nursing Scholarship will be students accepted into the Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP) program. First consideration should be given to students from Robeson County. If there are no applicants that meet the above requirements, the office of financial aid may make an award to the applicant that most closely meets the requirements.

The Morgan's Hope Endowed Scholarship

The Donor wishes to provide hope and encouragement in a difficult time through financial support of students who have struggled with serious medical issues, either personally or in support of a family member. The donor is inspired to create this endowed scholarship through working with high school students who have had a parent battling cancer. The recipient of this scholarship will be a graduate of Lumberton High School who has faced serious medical issues, either in themselves or a family member. If there are no eligible applicants from Lumberton High School, the scholarship may be awarded to a qualified applicant who is a resident of Robeson County. The recipient must maintain a minimum of 2.5 GPA. Incoming freshman as well as current students will be eligible. Financial need should be considered. The scholarship is renewable.

The Ronnie and Tina Oxendine Endowed Scholarship

The recipient(s) of The Ronnie and Tina Oxendine Endowed Scholarship will be an incoming, full-time student. This scholarship is renewable. If there are no applicants that meet the above requirements, the Office of Financial Aid may make an award to the applicant that most closely meets the requirements.

The Sergeant Major and Mrs. James R. Helms Endowed Family Scholarship

<Distributions from the Fund shall be used to support whole or partial scholarships for full-time, undergraduate students. The recipient(s) will be an incoming or returning student that meets or exceeds the University's minimum QPA requirement. It is preferred that the recipient(s) be enrolled in the ROTC program and/or be enlisted the military or a relative of a military member.

The Spirit of Old Main

The **Spirit of Old Main Scholarship** is one of UNC Pembroke's most prestigious awards for incoming American Indian students. This comprehensive scholarship covers the full cost of attending UNCP for up to four years, which will cover tuition, required fees, on-campus double-occupancy housing, and a meal plan, by covering remaining unmet financial need related to the costs listed.

Applicants must:

- Be a high school senior at the time of application.
- Be enrolled in a federally or state-recognized American Indian tribe (must provide proof of enrollment).
- Intend to enroll as a full-time undergraduate student at UNCP beginning in Fall 2027.
- Be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident.
- Have a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale.
- Submit the 2027–2028 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).
- Understand that the award is renewable annually, contingent upon available funding and maintaining scholarship eligibility.

Students will need the following documents to complete their application:

- Official academic transcript
- Resume highlighting academic achievements, extracurricular involvement, and community service
- One (1) letter of recommendation from a teacher or school counselor
- Written response to an essay prompt
- Evidence of active engagement with and service to American Indian communities and/or tribal organizations.
- Proof enrollment in a federally or state-recognized tribe
- Completed 2027–2028 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).

The application deadline is **January 15, 2027.**

The Spirit of the Brave Endowed Football Scholarship

Brian and Allison Jones established this fund in honor of their sons' love for UNC Pembroke. This fund will honor Josh's and Sam's academic and athletic performance throughout their time they have spent in the classroom and as quarterbacks for UNC Pembroke. This scholarship will be awarded to a football student-athlete.

The Turbeville-Perritt Endowed Scholarship

The scholarship is intended to help student(s) to pay airfare, room, and/or board for an international educational experience. The scholarship will recognize students who demonstrate commitment and dedication to getting a global education.

It is the Donor's desire that those students who take advantage of the Turbeville-Perritt Endowed Scholarship to study abroad will come to appreciate what it means to become a citizen of the world and will dedicate themselves to helping to improve the human condition wherever in the world there is suffering and need.

The Victoria McIntyre Coble Endowed Scholarship

Established in loving memory of the donor's grandmother, the Victoria McIntyre Coble Endowed Scholarship is to provide student financial aid for worthy and needy students in the School of Education who intend to become teacher. The donor prefers, but does not restrict, that student recipients be members of the Lumbee Tribe.

The Vivian Louise Chavis Callahan Annual Scholarship

Sheila Cox, a 1994 graduate of Pembroke State University (now The University of North Carolina at Pembroke) would like to give back to the students of her alma mater by establishing The Vivian Louise Chavis Callahan Annual Scholarship in memory of her mother. The recipient of the scholarship will be a student in the School of Education.

Thomas E. and Cheryl E. Ross Endowed Scholarship in Geography

The Donors wish to establish this scholarship to encourage the study of geography at The University of North Carolina at Pembroke. The recipients of the scholarship will be full-time undergraduate students in any year of study, maintaining a minimum 2.5 GPA and must have completed at least six semester hours of geography at UNCP. Preference should be given to students who are seeking a minor or concentration in geography. When and if a major in Geography/Geo-Environmental Studies is established, preference will be given to a Geography major (though a Geo-Environmental Studies major may be considered if no Geography major or minor qualifies). The faculty of the Department of Geology and Geography may also award this scholarship to a student, regardless of major, minor, or concentration, who earns a place on the State of North Carolina Geography Bowl Team and competes in competition held at the annual meeting of the Southeast Division of the Association of American Geographers. The recipient will be identified and the award made

in the Spring of the year. The award is renewable if funds are available. There is no restriction of residency, and financial need is not to be a consideration for awarding.

Thomas Oxendine Endowed Scholarship

The Thomas Oxendine Endowed Scholarship is established by family and friends to honor his distinguished military service and life contributions to American Indian people. The family's intent is to establish an award which will affirm and promote their belief in the enduring value of education with an appreciation for the academic discipline of American Indian Studies. The donor will commemorate the memory and legacy of the late Thomas Oxendine, who was the nation's first American Indian Navy fighter pilot. Thomas, a highly decorated officer who fought in WWII and in the Korean and Vietnam Wars served his country with distinction. This endowed scholarship is meant to encourage and inspire recipients to recognize the importance and relativity of American Indian's contribution to this country. The donor believes that education is a means of broadening one's horizons, not only in the pursuit of a career but also in the quest to serve all humanity. Candidates qualified for this scholarship award shall be an American Indian Studies major pursuing an undergraduate degree at the University of North Carolina at Pembroke. Recipients are required to maintain a 3.0 GPA and must be a sophomore or above in order to qualify for the scholarship. The Department Chair shall establish a committee to determine the recipient that is most deserving based on the criteria stipulated. The award will be made annually.

Timothy Dunn Endowed Wrestling Scholarship

This scholarship will be awarded to a deserving student-athlete selected by the head wrestling coach at UNC Pembroke in conjunction with the athletics director. This student-athlete will be encouraged to resemble the values of Timothy Dunn by demonstrating an exceptional work ethic, leadership in motivating, mentoring, and demonstrating/encouraging fair play, and a consistently positive attitude and optimism that encourages students through good and bad times.

Tommy Dorsey Swett Endowed Scholarship

Recipients of the Tommy Dorsey Swett Endowed Scholarship will be residents of North Carolina with preference given to residents of Robeson County and demonstrated financial need. The student must maintain a 2.75 GPA. The scholarship is open to students pursuing education, social work, counseling or any other human services degree. This scholarship is open to in-state students in any year of study. The award is renewable.

Track & Field / Cross-Country Alumni Endowed Scholarship

The donor wishes to provide financial support for track and field and cross-country athletes that have a demonstrated need. The recipients of the Track & Field / Cross-Country Alumni Endowed Scholarship will be members of the UNCP Track & Field and/or Cross-

Country men's or women's teams who meet NCAA and conference eligibility requirements. Incoming freshmen as well as current students, both undergraduates and graduates, will be eligible. Student must have full-time status. The award may be renewable to the same recipient. If there are no applicants that meet the above requirements, the Office of Financial Aid may make an award to the applicant that most closely meets the requirements.

Travis Stockley Endowed Scholarship

The Donor wishes to establish this scholarship in memory of Travis Stockley, the first Musical Theatre program coordinator at The University of North Carolina at Pembroke. This scholarship will honor and provide additional financial support to an outstanding Musical Theatre major. The recipient must show good character, strong performance abilities, and meet the Music Department and University academic standards to qualify.

The recipients of The Travis Stockley Endowed Scholarship will be a Musical Theatre major and maintain a minimum of 3.0 QPA. Incoming freshman as well as current students will be eligible. The student must attend full-time. Financial need is not considered, and the scholarship is renewable to the same recipient. There is no residency requirement.

Trina Riddle Scholarship

The Donor wishes to assist students at UNCP by establishing the university's first endowed scholarship designed specifically to enhance the women's athletic program. The primary requirement for candidates for award of The Trina Riddle Endowed Scholarship for Women's Athletics shall be any female participating in varsity athletics at The University of North Carolina at Pembroke. All candidates must be full time undergraduate students in any year of study and maintaining at least the minimum university standard QPA in any field of study. There are no geographic stipulations associated with this award. The award will be made half in the fall and half in the spring. The award will be renewable if funds are available.

Trinity Urgent Care and Family Practice Endowed Scholarship

The Donor's intent is to establish a scholarship that will affirm and promote her belief in the enduring value of education in the field of Nursing and the sciences. The donor will commemorate the memory and legacy of her late mother, Viola Bullard Parsons, whose influence and encouragement inspired the Donor to pursue her dreams and aspirations. This scholarship is meant to encourage and inspire recipients to recognize the importance and relativity of serving humanity through the field of medicine and/or healthcare clinical services. The funding is given in the hopes that recipients will continue in the quest of lifelong learning in this field of study and to provide financial support as they pursue their vocation and training. The Donor believes that education is a means of broadening one's horizons, not only in the pursuit of a career; but also, in the quest for a future that is open to the many possibilities that come with a good educational foundation. Candidates for this

scholarship shall be members of a state- or federally-recognized American Indian tribe; nursing, chemistry, biology or pre-med majors pursuing an undergraduate degree at The University of North Carolina at Pembroke. The candidate must have a financial need. . The award will be made annually.

Truist Banking and Finance Endowed Scholarship

The Finance and Banking Endowment is designed to provide opportunities for students who are majoring in finance and to provide funds for the development of a strong academic environment. The endowment will be used to fund student scholarships in finance and banking. It will also be used to provide research support for faculty, leading-edge banking and financial services software packages, computer and other technological equipment, special library resources, and other needs that cannot be met with state funds alone. The goal of the endowment is to ensure a strong academic program that will produce viable, marketable students in finance and banking.

UNCP AFROTC Alumni Endowed Scholarship

The Recipient of the UNCP AFROTC Alumni Endowed Scholarship will be a full-time undergraduate AFROTC Cadet. The recipient will have a minimum 2.5 GPA (High school GPA weighted). While not required to demonstrate financial hardship, preference will be given to members of the program with demonstrated financial need as determined by the Office of Financial Aid. There is not a residency or major requirement. The scholarship is renewable, so long as the criteria contained within this paragraph continue to be met. Successful candidates should be well-rounded students, with leadership potential, as evidence by their involvement in extracurricular, athletic, and/or community service activities.

UNCP Alumni Soccer Scholarship

The scholarship was established to enable alumni, parents, and friends of the University to provide assistance to the sport of soccer at the University. Recipient(s) may be currently enrolled or incoming soccer player(s). The award is based on athletic ability in the sport of soccer. Recipient(s) will be bound by the stipulations of the University athletic grant-in-aid agreement. The award is renewable on an annual basis.

UNCP Biotechnology Scholarship

The Donor wishes to recognize the efforts of Biotechnology majors and promote the advantages of Biotechnology as well as the advantages of higher education and the University of North Carolina at Pembroke. A longtime member of the UNCP faculty, Dr. Leonard Holmes is promoting the sciences, biotechnology, and higher education, as well as giving back to the university that has been the cornerstone of his professional life by providing him good fortune and friendships. The recipient of the UNCP Biotechnology Endowed Scholarship will be a Biotechnology major. In the event a deserving Biotechnology

major cannot be identified, the award will be made to a Chemistry major. Selection of the students will be made by the faculty of the Department of Chemistry and Physics. Recipients must maintain the minimum university standard grade point average and be full-time undergraduate students. The award will be made in any year of study and is renewable.

UNCP Chancellors Scholarship

N/A

UNCP Endowed Auxiliary Scholarship

Candidates for this scholarship shall be full-time students pursuing an undergraduate degree at The University of North Carolina at Pembroke. The candidates must have a GPA that follows University Standard. This scholarship is renewable to the same recipient. First preference should be given to those students with the highest academic achievement and/or the greatest financial need. If there are no applicants meeting the listed criteria, the Office of Financial Aid will make an award to the applicant(s) that most closely meet(s) the requirements.

UNCP FOL Endowed Honors College Scholarship

The Donors wish to establish the UNCP Friends of the Library Endowed Scholarship, an endowed fund, to assist at least one Honors College student per year at UNCP, depending upon fund availability. The purpose of this fund is to provide financial assistance to an Honors College student who is not the recipient of a merit scholarship. Candidates for consideration of this award shall be full-time undergraduate students in the sophomore, junior, or senior year of study at UNCP meeting a 3.0 minimum GPA standard restriction. Candidates may be pursuing a degree in any major. Candidates do not have to demonstrate financial need, and the award is renewable, but candidates must reapply each semester. When awarded, the award shall be $250.00 per student per award and shall be credited to the recipient's account.

UNCP General Scholarship

N/A

Van Dwight Sampson Endowed Scholarship

This scholarship was established by the family, friends, and co-workers of Van Dwight Sampson in honor of his thirty-four years of dedicated service, teaching, and mentorship to the countless participants of Robeson County Recreation Department. Through his tireless effort, the Robeson County Recreation Department was able to provide outstanding contributions throughout the entire county. The recipients of this scholarship will be full-time students with a declared major with the Health and Human Performance Department who participated in one or more programs through the Robeson County Recreation Department. Participation in Robeson County Recreation Department shall be verified by

contacting the department during the review process. The recipient must have completed 24 credit hours at UNCP and maintain minimum 3.0 GPA while receiving the scholarship. Students studying aboard are eligible. Student graduating in December are eligible for this award in the Fall semester, however, preference will be a student attending the full academic year.

Velva Dean Morgan Memorial Scholarship

The Donor wishes to recognize her deceased sister, Velva, by establishing this scholarship in her memory. Velva felt that her education was one of her greatest achievements and was very proud of this accomplishment. She was very meek when she first enrolled in college; finding money to attend college was hard to do in the 60's. Student loans and other means of financial support were virtually non-existent. Velva did graduate from Pembroke State College in 1967, was successful in her life, and never forgot her humble beginnings. Velva would want to help students who are having the same monetary struggles she had; someone who would not be able to attend college without the help of her scholarship. This scholarship was one of the things she requested to be established through her estate. Velva wanted a recipient who is eager to achieve and succeed, who works hard, and who has high standards. The recipient of this scholarship shall be a resident of North Carolina and a full-time student maintaining a minimum of 3.0 GPA. This scholarship is based on proven financial need and is renewable as long as the recipient continues to satisfy the criteria set forth in this agreement. There is no restriction of major or year of study.

Veterans Guardian Scholarship

To further Veteran's Guardian mission of improving the lives of those who serve and who have served our county, the Donors have established the Veteran's Guardian Endowed Scholarship to provide scholarship aid for the children of disabled veterans.

W. Stewart & Carol Thomas Endowed Scholarship in Business

Dr. William Stewart Thomas and Mrs. Carol Thomas establish this scholarship in support of Business and Accounting students. Dr. Thomas joined UNC Pembroke in 2001 following an 18-year career in industry, working the majority of that period for Eaton Corporation as Core Business Controller over North American and European operations. In his time at UNCP, he has served as Professor of Accounting and Finance in the School of Business and in various administrative positions from Vice Chancellor of Finance and Administration to Associate Dean. Mrs. Thomas has spent the majority of her career at Eaton Corporation in various positions including Global Supply Chain Manager and Global Operations eCommerce Manager.

This scholarship shall be awarded to academically excellent students in the School of Business, who demonstrate financial need.

Wade and Betty Hunt Endowed Scholarship

Distributions from the fund shall be used to support a full-time student majoring in Education.

Walter C. Bell, Jr. & Barbara Penninger Bell Scholarship

The donors are providing this fund to establish a scholarship for the benefit of the students of the University of North Carolina at Pembroke. Both Mr. & Mrs. Bell are alumni of the University, having graduated in 1965. Mr. Bell received a B.A. in History and Math. Mrs. Bell received a B.S. in Home Economics. As they have fond memories and feelings for the University and as they wish to give students the opportunity to attend the University, they have decided to establish this scholarship fund. The number of scholarships will be determined by interest available for award. The scholarship will cover the costs of, but not exceed, in-state tuition, fees, room and board. The scholarship shall be awarded to full-time undergraduates who are residents of North Carolina, Roanoke County, Virginia, or Salem, Virginia. The recipients must be in financial need and maintain a 3.0 GPA or better. The recipients shall be majoring in Mathematics, Computer Science, Biology or Physical Science. The scholarship is renewable based on maintenance of a 3.0 GPA or better and on available funds.

Walter L Weisberg Memorial Scholarship in Political Science

The Weisberg scholarship was established by the Weisberg family in memory of Walter L. Weisberg, a professor of Political Science at UNC Pembroke, 1975-1981. Recipients of the scholarship are selected on the basis of academic achievement.

Wayland H. Cato Jr. Scholarship

Scholarship awards from the Wayland H. Cato, Jr. Endowed Scholarship Fund shall be restricted to full and part-time degree-seeking undergraduate students of UNCP who have financial need (as defined below). Financial need, as defined herein, is expressly not limited to students meeting government assistance (i.e., Pell Grant) criteria. Financial need, as defined herein, shall expressly include students whose income exceeds government assistance criteria, but who can demonstrate a quantifiable need for assistance. Financial need shall be determined by UNCP by evaluating family factors (i.e., family household income, number of family members, number of family members in institutions of higher learning, and ability of the family to contribute) and other types of eligible assistance (including federal and state funds as well as other institutionally controlled scholarship funds received by the student) in relationship to the student's and the student's family's total cost for the student to attend UNCP. Preference for scholarship awards will be given to students who show evidence, either in the past or at the present time, of having demonstrated 1) a commitment to a strong work ethic through meaningful work experience in the public or private sector, and 2) a commitment to volunteerism through performing meaningful community service without compensation.

Wendy L Klenotiz Endowed Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship was established in loving memory of UNCP student Wendy Lee Klenotiz by her family and friends. The recipient shall be a female full-time rising junior or senior student majoring in special education. The recipient must maintain at least a 2.7 grade point average to receive and maintain the award. The award is renewable each year. Preference will be given to students involved in athletics and with special health needs. Financial need will be taken into consideration.

Wiley and Dianne Barrett Endowed Basketball Scholarship

The Donor feels fortunate to have been able to attend UNC Pembroke and play basketball. The Donor wishes to express his appreciation by establishing this endowed scholarship to help a young person further their education and reach their educational goals while playing basketball at UNC Pembroke. The scholarship will recognize students who demonstrate commitment and dedication to getting an education and improving their future. The Wiley and Dianne Barrett Endowed Basketball Scholarship will be awarded to a deserving student who is a member of the Men's or Women's Basketball Team. The student must maintain a minimum of 2.7 QPA. Incoming freshman as well as current students will be eligible. The award is renewable provided the student reapplies and maintains qualified status.

William A. Roach/Lumberton Rotary Club Award

The award was established in memory of William A. Roach, a charter member of the Lumberton Rotary Club. It is awarded annually to a deserving student who is a resident of Robeson County who is in financial need and has demonstrated scholastic and leadership abilities.

William Howard Dean Endowed Scholarship

This scholarship was established to honor the patriarch of the Dean Family, "Howard" Dean. Mr. Dean served as Athletic Director, Basketball Coach, Vice-Chancellor for Academic Affairs, and Dean of Graduate Studies at The University of North Carolina between 1960 and 1992. Candidates must maintain a 3.0 QPA and be planning to participate in men's basketball at The University of North Carolina at Pembroke. The Head Basketball Coach and the Athletic Director shall serve as the selection committee.

William Lonnie Revels, Sr. Memorial Scholarship

The Donor wishes to establish this scholarship-a tribute to her husband's lifelong commitment to education, entrepreneurship, and his American Indian heritage-to encourage and financially assist young American Indian students pursuing an education at UNC Pembroke. The recipients of the William Lonnie Revels, Sr., Memorial Scholarship shall be native residents of North Carolina majoring in American Indian Studies, Education, or Business at UNCP. The awards should rotate within these majors-the first year awarded to an American Indian Studies major, the second year to an Education major, the third year to a Business major with a Concentration in Entrepreneurship, etc. Recipients must maintain a

2.5 GPA and be full-time undergraduate students in any year of study. The award will be made to a member of a state or federally recognized American Indian tribe and student of demonstrated financial need.

William Molan "Big Mo" Strickland Memorial Scholarship

The scholarship was created to remember "Big Mo" Strickland and to honor his unrelenting efforts and desires as a volunteer to improve the quality of Robeson County's athletic programs through encouragement, advice and mentorship of student athletes. The recipient of this scholarship shall be an athlete with a major in the Health and Human Performance Department earning a minimum 2.5 QPA. He/she must be a native of Robeson County, NC, a graduate of Purnell Swett High School and qualify under FAFSA guidelines for financial assistance.

William R. George, Sr. Memorial Scholarship

The scholarship was established by A. Fred George in loving memory of his father, William Robert George. Mr. George was a Chemical engineer whose commitment to excellence both professionally and personally was a positive example to everyone who knew him. His support and encouragement were the key factors behind his three son's success in the business world today. The recipient shall be a full-time undergraduate student majoring in chemistry. The recipient must be in financial need and maintain a minimum 3.0 GPA. The scholarship is renewable.

Willie & Eileen Oxendine Osbourne Endowed Nursing Scholarship

The recipients(s) of the Willie & Eileen Oxendine Osbourne Endowed Nursing Scholarship will be a full-time nursing students(s) who are North Carolina residents. The Donor(s) preference is the recipient(s) be from Robeson or Columbus County, North Carolina. If there are no eligible applicants from those counties, then southeastern North Carolina is preferred. The scholarship is renewable. If there are no applicants that meet the above requirements, the Office of Financial Aid my make an award to the applicant that most closely meets the requirements.

Willie D. Mayes, Jr. Memorial Endowed Wrestling Scholarship

The scholarship is endowed by the fellow students, teammates, realties, and fraternity brothers of the late Willie Mayes. The scholarship is awarded based on need to a rising sophomore, junior, or senior wrestler who most exemplifies Willie's leadership and determination.

Willie R. and Etha C. Harris, Sr. Golf Scholarship

The scholarship has been established in memory of Willie R. Harris, Sr., a good friend of UNC Pembroke, ardent golfer, and former manager of Riverside Golf Course, Pembroke, N.C. The contributing founders of the scholarship were friends and relatives of Mr. Harris. The

scholarship is to be awarded annually to a qualified member of the UNC Pembroke Golf Team. The decision to renew the scholarship will be made each year based on the student's performance and academic standing.

Zeb Lowry Scholarship

The donor wishes to assist aspiring students who demonstrate outstanding leadership potential so they might reap the many benefits of a college education. Emphasis will be placed on student involvement in the University and surrounding community. The recipient will be full-time, maintain a 2.5 GPA and have a financial need. The award is renewable as long as the above conditions continue to be met.

Zula Lee and Thomas C. McRae Memorial Scholarship

The scholarship was bequeathed to UNC Pembroke by Mr. McRae in memory of himself and his wife, Zula Lee McRae. The scholarship is awarded annually to an economically disadvantaged student, with priority given to a resident of Robeson County.