

LESTER AND ARDEN OLDFIELD JOHNSON COUNTY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Barney and Vada Oldfield have established the Lester and Arden Oldfield-Johnson County Memorial Scholarship.

Statement of History

Barney, Lester and Arden Oldfield attended Johnson County Schools namely Long Branch and Elk Creek Schools.

Col. Oldfield and his brothers were beneficiaries of educational opportunities in Johnson County Schools and Barney has established, in memory of his brothers, a scholarship to make it possible for a graduate of a Johnson County High School to have an opportunity to receive financial assistance during the freshman year at the University of Nebraska - Lincoln.

Lester Oldfield was inducted into the Lincoln High School Sports Hall of Fame for two years as Nebraska's 100 Yard Backstroke State Champion. At the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, he had two unbeaten seasons in which he had 63 starts and 63 first place finishes. He was the Big Six 100 Yard Backstroke Champion. He served as an Army Air Force pilot in World War II.

Arden made his career in aeronautical construction and boat building in California.

Statement of Eligibility

Only graduating seniors of Johnson County High Schools who are planning on obtaining a degree at U.N.L. are eligible for the scholarship.

Each application will be evaluated on the following criteria:

1. Grade point average and rank in class
2. ACT and Reading Comprehension Test Scores
3. Quality of application
4. Written statement of college goals
5. Financial need will be the tie breaker

Statement of Scholarship Payment

UNL Foundation will apply a \$500.00 credit to the recipients tuition costs at the beginning of each semester next year.

LESTER AND ARDEN OLDFIELD - JOHNSON COUNTY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

NAME _____ TELEPHONE # _____

ADDRESS _____

PARENT'S NAME _____

Completion date for admission to the University: _____

How do you expect to finance your college education?

Activities in high school - list years involved. *Example 9-10 etc.*

FBLA _____ Band _____

Speech _____ Chorus _____

FFA _____ Academic Decathlon _____

Yearbook _____ Drama/Play _____

Quiz Bowl _____ NHS _____

Athletics (list which ones) _____

Others Not Listed (be specific) _____

Honors and Awards _____

Employment, if any (where did you or do you work? From when to when? How long?)

Please attach the following:

---A letter stating:

(a) College plans

(b) Career goals

---An official 7 semester high school transcript

---A copy of your admissions acceptance letter or e-mail from UNL

Academic Information

Cumulative Grade Point Average: _____

Rank in class _____ Number of students in class _____

ACT Scores: English _____ Math _____
Reading _____ Science _____
Composite _____

Volunteer Work/Community Service Experience

(List what you have done and approximately how many hours you put in)

MAIL YOUR APPLICATION FORM BY March 10th to:

Mrs. Janene Bartels
PO Box 171
Tecumseh, Nebraska 68450