

# PARKSTON AREA FOUNDATION

## PARKSTON SCHOLARSHIP FUND

In a community effort to enhance Parkston student educational opportunities and future recruitment efforts, I am willing to pledge \$\_\_\_\_\_ per year for five (5) years toward the Parkston Scholarship Fund. I understand this preliminary fund drive will provide no less than \$500 per Parkston student who is eligible for this grant after completing and passing 12 or more credit hours at a post-secondary institution.

The Parkston Scholarship Fund was created within the Parkston Area Foundation in 2017 with the purpose to provide a scholarship to EVERY graduating senior in Parkston. It is our intention to let the youth in Parkston know that we believe in them, we are willing to help them reach their goals, and we would like to see them return to our community in the future.

A committee of community members, school employees, and parents oversees the fundraising. All money raised is invested and managed through the Avera St. Benedict Foundation, a 501C(3) organization. Donors will receive a letter of acknowledgement from the Avera St. Benedict Foundation, as well as a year-end tax document.

The PSF Committee pledge to each donor is to make every effort to remain in contact with recipients and to continue to support them in fulfilling their dreams. Our efforts will also be designed to encourage these students to consider returning to the Parkston community.

Thank you for your willingness to invest in these students and our community.

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### PLEDGE FORM

1/2 scholarship - \$250    1 scholarship - \$500    2 scholarships - \$1,000    Other - \$\_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Please bill me annually for five years.

Included is my one time payment of \$\_\_\_\_\_.

Please make checks out to PARKSTON SCHOLARSHIP FUND. Remove bottom portion and mail to Parkston Area Foundation, PO Box 823, Parkston, SD 57366.