

Hospital Foundation Awards Healthcare Scholarships

MOUNTAIN HOME, ID (July 30, 2010) – Four local students were the first recipients of a new Healthcare Scholarship awarded by Elmore Medical Center Foundation. To be eligible for the scholarships the students must be seeking higher education in a healthcare related career field and be a graduating senior living in the Elmore Medical Center service area.

The scholarship recipients for 2010 are: Tye Graham - Mountain Home; Rose Marie Shenk - King Hill; La Dawn Wade – Mountain Home and Natalie Lasher – Mountain Home. Each recipient will receive a \$200 scholarship to help further their education.

Proceeds from the Elmore Medical Center Foundation Wine and Music Event held in May were dedicated to support the Healthcare Scholarship fund and Endowment Fund. The event raised \$1012. Attendees at the event were provided with wine tastings from Carmela Vineyards and Cold Spring Winery and sample cheeses courtesy of Marathon Cheese. The hospital lawn & gazebo provided a beautiful backdrop for the event.

Elmore Medical Center Foundation also offers scholarships to EMC employees who are going to school to become nurses in support of the “grow your own” initiative assist the hospital and nursing home meet staffing needs. Two employees, Randi Ortega and May Smith, have been recipients of this scholarship, completed their education and currently work as nurses on EMC’s staff.

The number of scholarships awarded and amount of the scholarships will be determined by the Elmore Medical Center Foundation Board of Directors annually based on the availability of funds.

For more information about the scholarship program, Wine & Music Event or how to support the EMC Foundation please contact Doreen Krabbenhoff at 580-2673 or krabbend@slhs.org



Photo attached: L to R - Tye Graham, Rose Marie Shenk, La Dawn Wade and Natalie Lasher