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Wisconsin Aviation Hall of Fame Names 2018 Scholarship Recipients

OSHKOSH, WISCONSIN, June 15, 2018 - The Wisconsin Aviation Hall of Fame will award four aviation scholarships to students this year. WAHF's scholarship selection committee met recently at the Community Foundation of North Central Wisconsin in Wausau, where the scholarship funds are administered, to review the applications and make selections. The committee selected the following students, and their selection was overwhelmingly approved by the WAHF board of directors. The recipients and awards they are receiving are:

Emily Bennett, a student at Southern Illinois University Carbondale, will receive the Carl Guell Memorial and Thiessen Field scholarships. Majoring in Flight and Aviation Management, Emily will receive \$2000 in funds to further her goal of becoming an airline pilot. Emily took an introductory flight at 17 and then committed to her flight training.

Aaron J. Wahlgren has been awarded \$500 from the Jeff Baum Aviation Business & Jim Quinn Flight School Scholarship Fund. Aaron has a career goal to become a professional pilot. His immediate educational goals are to complete his A.A.S. Degree from Gateway Technical College in the Spring of 2019 and then move on to the University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh to complete his bachelor's degree in Aviation Management.

Isaac Lee has been selected to receive the Robert Payzer Memorial/EAA Chapter 640 Scholarship in the amount of \$500. He is a first-year student at Fox Valley Technical College in its Aeronautics-Professional Pilot program

For more information about WAHF's scholarship program, visit www.CFONCW.org or the WAHF website at www.WisconsinAviationHallofFame.org.

The Wisconsin Aviation Hall of Fame has inducted more than 120 men and women since 1985. Its mission is to collect and preserve the history of aviation in Wisconsin, recognize those who made that history, inform others of it, and promote aviation education for future generations. Additional event information will be announced soon. Visit www.WisconsinAviationHallofFame.org or call Tom Thomas at 608-221-1994 for more information.

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