**Kay Krause Hemby Memorial Scholarship**

**The Nichols Family – Fred, Julie and Dylan – will award two scholarships at $500 each (one for a Karnes City High School student and one for a Runge High School senior).**

**Deadline: Friday, April 22, 2022**

**Applications may be returned to your counselor or**

**directly to Julie Nichols,** [**juleshemby26@gmail.com**](mailto:juleshemby26@gmail.com)

**or may be mailed to 683 County Road 354, Karnes City, TX 78118**

Kay Krause Hemby felt passionate about art and music – any creative endeavor, really – and positively impacting children. Her scenic paintings fill homes throughout Karnes County and South Texas; she designed many china brooches, pendants and displays for family and friends. Valedictorian of her 1957 Runge High School class, she graduated in 1960 from Texas Lutheran College, where she participated in the Bulldog Band, with Bachelor’s degrees in Art and Elementary Education and then earned her Master’s of Education from Texas A&I University three years later. She was the first in her immediate family to obtain bachelor’s and master’s degrees. She worked at Refugio ISD from 1960 to 1967 and then Runge, where she taught first grade for 19 years before succumbing to a four-year battle against cancer in 1986.

The purpose of this scholarship is to provide financial help for deserving graduates seeking to further their education, but who also hope to make a difference in the world and who believe in thinking “outside the box.” It is not limited to students planning to attend a university; trade school and junior college applicants will also be considered equally.

**Criteria:**

1. Complete the application below ***(An attached resume addressing these inquiries will work fine also).***
2. Include TWO recommendation letters from non-family members.
3. Attach an essay about why **creativity** is important to our society. DO NOT plagiarize.

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**Parents/Guardians:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**List school-related activities and organizations you participate in, and include offices you have held and recognitions or awards you have received:**

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**List church- or community-oriented service projects or activities outside of school and any recognitions:**

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**Future Plans Upon High School Graduation (College, University or Technical or Vocational School):** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**What do you plan to major in/study, and why?**

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