

The Cedar Rapids Area
Association of REALTORS®
invites you to

Give the gift of Education!



About the Gift of Education Scholarship

Over 30 years ago, a group of local REALTORS® decided they wanted to give back to the community which had provided their livelihood for so many years. After much brainstorming, they came up with the idea to award a \$500 scholarship to a senior graduating from a Linn County high school. The initial premise was to raise enough money that interest would provide the future scholarships. In those early years, Fundraising efforts allowed for the creation of four annual \$500 scholarships.

In 2005, in order to increase the number of scholarships that would be awarded, it was decided that agents who donated \$250 or more could fund a scholarship in their name and give it to the recipient at the annual awards ceremony. To further sweeten the pot, agents who donated \$500 or more could also designate which school would receive their scholarship.

Thanks to generous CRAAR members like yourself, we are now able to award over 60 \$500 scholarships and have added Benton and Jones County schools.

Every year we strive to raise awareness and encourage members to donate any amount. You, too, can give the gift of education!

How can I help?

Make a pledge of \$250 or \$500

Purchase 50/50 raffle tickets at
the monthly CRAAR Luncheon

Join the Scholarship Committee

Participate in any of the
fundraising events

You can donate any amount via
your CRAAR billing statement,
either as a one time donation or
on a monthly basis.

Your donation is
100% tax deductible



Questions? Comments? Email scholarship@crraltors.org.
Find more information at www.crraltors.org/scholarship-program

Double your impact!

Does your spouse or significant other work for a company* that offers a matching donation?

Alliant Energy	MidAmerican Energy Foundation	Transamerica Foundation
Bristol-Myers Squibb	Monsanto Fund	US Bancorp
Cargill Corn Milling Foundation	Pepsico Foundation (Quaker Oats)	UPS
Collins Aerospace	Prudential Foundation	Verizon Foundation
General Mills Foundation	Schneider Electric	Wellmark Blue Cross Blue Shield
Grainger	SquareD	Wells Fargo
Merrill Lynch	Toyota Motor Sales	Xerox Foundation

*This is not a complete list. Have your spouse or significant other check with their HR department to see if they match funds.

Meet the 2021 Committee Members

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