

e.f. johnson foundation grants *Created by the Johnson family—Edgar and Ethel, Marvin and Mildred, Everett and Ruth*

The E. F. Johnson Foundation was established in the 1960's by the Johnson Family for the purpose of funding scholarships and other worthwhile projects in the Waseca area. After the sale of E.F. Johnson Company the fund was held by others, and WAF served on the grants committee for the fund. In 2007, the E.F. Johnson Foundation was transferred to the Waseca Area Foundation Family of Funds, and the grants are advised by the Waseca Area Foundation board of directors according to the guidelines set forth by the Johnson family. Guidelines can be found on the WAF website, www.wasecaareafoundation.org

Independent School District #829 – for the Waseca High School Scholarship Program, four \$5,000 scholarships to a 4-year college and five \$1,000 scholarships to a 2-year college	\$25,000
Independent School District #2835 – for the Janesville-Waldorf-Pemberton Schools for one \$3,000 scholarship	3,000
Independent School District #2168 – for the New Richland-Hartland Ellendale-Geneva High School to provide one \$3,000 scholarship	3,000
Selected Community/Technical Colleges – for non-traditional student scholarships	6,000
Farmamerica-Minnesota Agricultural Interpretive Center – for Spring/Fall Tours	7,500
Waseca Area Neighborhood Service Center – for Homelessness Prevention	6,500
Waseca Area Neighborhood Service Center – Board Training	1,500
Waseca Arts Council, Inc. – for support of exhibitions and programs	4,500
*Waseca Arts Council, Inc. – for Arts Center support	25,000
Waseca County Historical Society – for annual Chautauqua program costs	6,000
Waseca County Historical Society – Ecological Bus transportation	400
Heritage Preservation Commission study	920
New Richland-Hartland-Ellendale-Geneva Public Schools – Tech Support	3,000
Waseca Sleigh & Cutter – to promote multi-day February festival	3,000
Farmamerica-Minnesota Agricultural Interpretive Center – for Farm Safety Day	2,500
Waseca Chorale, Inc. – for music, advertising and print materials	900
Waseca Chamber of Commerce – for Lakefest	2,000
Independent School District #829 – for Waseca Public Schools Community Education support for extra-curricular scholarships	10,000
Independent School District #829 – for Waseca High School AVID support	4,000
Waseca Senior High School – for Tech support	3,316
Independent School District #829 – for Waseca High School Science Department for Science Olympiad Tournament expenses	1,400
City of New Richland – New Richland Care Center equipment	1,400
Waseca Jazz Festival	3,600
Waseca Marching Classic	9,000
Waseca Learning Center	2,000
GRAND TOTAL	\$135,436

**Special project Grant-making Fund from WAF & EFJ Foundation Funds*



Waseca Marching Classic



Farmamerica Fall Tours



Waseca Sleigh & Cutter Festival