

SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

THE SIEB SCHOLARSHIP

established 1966

Each spring the department announces the recipient(s) of the Vera L. Sieb Scholarship established by Floyd W. Sieb in honor of his sister, who taught English for many years at Valparaiso High School. The scholarship is normally awarded for the senior year but may be awarded to an outstanding student or students for the junior year. The amount of the awards will vary depending on endowment performance, but generally ranges upward from \$1,000. Awards are made solely in recognition of the merit of an English major's work.

THE PAUL F. PHIPPS MERIT IN ENGLISH SCHOLARSHIP

established 1994

The most appropriate memorial to the work of Professor Paul F. Phipps, a distinguished member of the English department for almost forty years, this scholarship encourages excellent students of literature and language. The scholarship, created by Professor Phipps's widow, Arline Phipps, and the Department of English, based solely on academic performance and merit, will be awarded each year to a sophomore or upperclass English major.

THE MARGOT ANN UEHLING PRIZE FOR WRITING

established 1992

This scholarship honors the memory of Margot Ann Uehling, a gifted writer and teacher of literature. Awards up to \$1000 to the undergraduate student who writes the best essay during the academic year. Any undergraduate may submit up to three essays. All essays are eligible, either person or scholarly, prompted by either a class assignment or personal interest. There are no restrictions on length, subject, or format. The winner will be chosen by members of the English department. Their decision is final. The winner will be notified after the end of the spring semester.

WORDFEST WRITING CONTEST

Prizes to be awarded

- WORDFEST POETRY AWARD
- WORDFEST SHORT FICTION AWARD
- WORDFEST CREATIVE NONFICTION AWARD
- WORDFEST CRITICAL ESSAY AWARD
- ACADEMY OF AMERICAN POETS AWARD
- ANNA ZINK SPRINGSTEEN POETRY PRIZE

Cash prizes will be awarded in all categories. Judges for contests are noted authors or editors outside of Valparaiso University. The judges will choose first-, second-, and third-place winners, as well as works recognized for honorable mention in each genre.

All Valparaiso University undergraduate students are encouraged to compete. Students may submit to more than one category. Submissions are limited to one entry in each of the following: short fiction, critical essay, creative nonfiction. A maximum of three poems may be submitted.

Submit *two* copies of your work (short story, critical essay, creative nonfiction, or poems) without your name on the manuscript pages. Also, include a cover sheet containing your name, postal address, email address, phone number, genre, and title of the work(s) submitted. All poems will be considered for the multiple categories applicable.

Bring or send your work to the Huegli Hall Departmental Offices Support Center, 124 Huegli Hall.

Deadline is 5:00 p.m., March 25.

If you have any questions, contact Professor Allison Schuette-Hoffman or Professor Edward Byrne in the Department of English.

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