**BAKER COUNTY PRIOR GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIPS**

**Listed below are the scholarships that are available through the Baker County Education Foundation. These scholarships are available for individuals who have graduated from Baker County High School and currently reside in Baker County. The deadline for applying for a scholarship is Friday, March 7, 2025 at 3 p.m. Applications are available on the district website at** [**www.bakerk12.org**](http://www.bakerk12.org)**.**

1. **The Neil & Beatrice Kirkland Scholarship** – **1 @ $500**

Requirements are: Attend college or a post-secondary training institution; be a resident of Baker County; graduate from Baker County High School or have a GED diploma from Baker County; must have graduated for at least three years prior to application date; demonstrate financial need; complete 24 semester hours or the equivalent within 24 months of receiving this scholarship; training or studies must be in a field that leads to employment in the area or specialty; demonstrate a personal commitment to the completion of the program of study or training; and show how this training will benefit the general well-being of Baker County

 2) **In Honor of Lydia Masterson Pons Scholarship** – **1 @ $1,000**

Prior Graduate Ag student chosen by Ag Department

(Requires separate application, see additional link to application.)

3) **The Norma G. Kirkland Scholarship** – **1 @ $500**

Requirements are: Attend college or a post-secondary training institution; be a resident of Baker County; graduate from Baker County High School or have a GED diploma from Baker County; must have graduated for at least three years prior to application date; demonstrate financial need; complete 24 semester hours or the equivalent within 24 months of receiving this scholarship; training or studies must be in a field that leads to employment in the area of specialty; demonstrate a personal commitment to the completion of the program of study or training; and show how this training will benefit the general well-being of Baker County

4) **The Jack and Robin Baker Family Scholarship – 1 @ $1,000**

Requirements are: Graduate of Baker County High School or current Baker County school system employee; resident of Baker County. Preference given to an education major.

 5) **The Tim and Martha Starling Scholarship – 1@ $1,000**

Requirements are: Graduate of Baker County High School, attend college, and

 strong moral character in good standing with the community.