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Plum Creek Awards Scholarships to Two Ashland-Area High School Students

HAYWARD, Wis. – Plum Creek today announced it has awarded scholarships to two area high school graduates. Plum Creek annually awards scholarships to exemplary high school seniors who plan to continue their education after graduation. Students are selected based on their academic achievements, participation in extracurricular activities and career goals.

Area scholarships recipients include:

- **Allison Dryer** – Dryer is a graduate of Ashland High School in Ashland. After graduation, Dryer plans to study health science at the University of St. Thomas in St. Paul, Minn. Dryer was captain of the gymnastics team and a National Honor Society member. She also traveled abroad twice with People-to-People Student Ambassadors. She is the daughter of Ann and Todd Dryer.
- **Ashley Hamann** – Hamann is a graduate of Drummond High School in Drummond. In the fall, Hamann plans to pursue a degree in journalism at Northern Michigan University. While attending Drummond High School, Hamann was a solo and ensemble clarinetist and honor roll student. She is the daughter of Martin and Kim Hamann.

This year, Plum Creek has awarded 126 scholarships to high school graduates totaling \$172,000.

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