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## News Release

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### **Plum Creek Awards Scholarships to Three Crandon-Area High School Students**

**TOMAHAWK, Wis.** – Plum Creek today announced it has awarded scholarships to three 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 scholarship recipients include:

- **Ben Peters** – Peters is a graduate of Crandon High School in Crandon. In the fall, Peters plans to attend Fox Valley Technical College to pursue a degree in criminal justice. Peters was honored with the Who's Who Among American High School Scholars award. He enjoys the outdoors, motocross and downhill skiing.
- **Joseph Anderson** – Anderson is a graduate of Crandon High School in Crandon. He plans to study fire protection at Fox Valley Technical College. He was a National Honor Society member and WIAA scholar athlete, played baseball, and was also part of the Crandon Volunteer Fire Department. He is the son of Joy and Tim Anderson.
- **Ashley Schutz** – Schutz is a graduate of Crandon High School in Crandon. Schutz plans to attend the University of Wisconsin – Green Bay to major in nursing. Schutz was inducted into the National Honor Society and the Spanish Honor Society. She also enjoys outdoor activities and attending sporting events. She is the daughter of Larry and Angela Blasius.

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

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