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RCC Foundation Announces Brady Adams Scholarship Endowment

The Rogue Community College Foundation is pleased to announce a new endowed scholarship honoring Brady Adams. Created by seed funding of \$12,500 by his son, Ted Adams and Ted's wife, Paula Adams, this scholarship will be awarded annually to a student who exhibits qualities much like those of Brady Adams: leadership, community involvement, and a generous spirit.



Brady Adams

Brady Adams spent a lifetime championing Grants Pass, a city he truly loved. A successful businessman and former Oregon State Senator, Adams is best remembered by the community as a tireless advocate for the arts and for nonprofits. Thanks to him, we also can enjoy the bears, the toy soldiers and other holiday decorations, and all the other great things Brady brought to Grants Pass.

"This generous endowment will carry forward Brady's commitment to giving people opportunity," said Judy Basker, executive director of the RCC Foundation. Tuition for a full time student at RCC now hovers near \$5000 a year, before books and other expenses. "This scholarship, with others like it, will help the students at RCC find their way to a degree or certificate for gainful employment or successful transfer to a university," Basker added.

The college encourages anyone who admired Brady, and who wants to share in his commitment, to donate to this fund. To learn how to support the fund, visit the RCC Foundation website at www.rougecc.edu/foundation or call 541-956-7327.

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