HISTORY OF THE WINNIFRED JARDINE SECONDARY SCHOLARSHIP.

In 1992, while President of UAFCS, Winnifred Jardine (with the help of JoAnn Criddle Orr) launched a special fundraising campaign to establish a scholarship endowment fund for Utah high school seniors for the purpose of encouraging students to enter the field of Family and Consumer Sciences. She commissioned Trevor Southey, an Art teacher at Brigham Young University at the time, to create a family portrait which would depict an international family. *The Gathering Place* was the result. Poster size reproductions were printed and sold to members of the association, to schools, and at the AAFCS annual meeting. In 1996 notecards were printed with this image and sold alongside the poster.

Over the years the fund grew sufficiently to allow the use of the interest generated (the principal remains intact) for a $500 scholarship to be awarded to a high school senior in the state of Utah. In 1966 the UAFCS board, under the leadership of President Almina Barksdale, appointed a committee to establish the criteria for the scholarship. This committee consisted of Julie Ingersoll, Sue Dalley and Jenifer Rowley. It was decided to name the scholarship *The Winnifred Jardine Secondary Scholarship*.

Following is the criteria as established by the committee.

**CRITERIA FOR THE WINNIFRED JARDINE SECONDARY SCHOLARSHIP**

The following guidelines for the Winnifred Jardine Secondary Scholarship have been drafted by a committee as direction for the Awards and Scholarship committee.

1. One recipient will receive an amount of $500. The monies used will be from the interest generated by the “Poster Fund” Money Market Account held by the Utah Association of Family and Consumer Sciences (UAFCS). The principle of the Poster Fund will be maintained at a minimum of $15,000 and the interest only be used for this scholarship. As the principle of the Poster Fund increases and the interest generated can support additional scholarships, the Awards and Scholarship committee have the option to award more than one scholarship. The monies provided by this scholarship are not intended solely for tuition, but may be used by the recipients as they see need.

2. The recipient will be selected from applications submitted by high school seniors in the State of Utah who have as their career goal that of an educator with a composite major in Family and Consumer Sciences.

3. The recipient will be awarded the scholarship at the UAFCS annual meeting. Deadlines for applications will be established by the Awards and Scholarship committee. It is suggested that information and applications be distributed to Utah high schools by the Family and Consumer Specialist at the Utah State Office of Education.

4. The money awarded will be distributed to the recipient at the end of the first quarter or semester attended by the recipient at any college or university of choice which offers entry level classes related to their career goal of educator in Family and Consumer Sciences. The money will be released to them upon proof of continued enrollment in Family and Consumer Science related subjects.

5. The application for the Winnifred Jardine Secondary Scholarship will be accompanied by a high school transcript showing credit in Family and Consumer Science classes and the student’s GPA. A letter from the applicant indicating the reason for applying and/or the need for the scholarship, along with three letters of recommendation (one from the student’s Family and Consumer Sciences teacher), will also accompany the application.

6. Criteria for judging the applications received will be established by the Awards and Scholarship committee. However, it is suggested that the committee review and consider the point system criteria established by the Utah FHA. This will establish uniformity for scholarships for secondary students in the field of Family and Consumer Sciences.