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\$73,042 AWARDED IN SCHOLARSHIPS  
FOR 1973-74 AT UM

MISSOULA--

More than \$73,042 in scholarships has been awarded to new and returning students at the University of Montana for the coming academic year.

Don Mullen, UM Financial Aids director, said the total figure reflects the largest amount of scholarships ever awarded at UM in a single academic year.

"Of the total amount, \$27,616 has been awarded to 73 new freshmen students on the basis of their scholastic achievement and financial need," Mullen said.

"All of the freshmen scholarships were awarded to graduates of Montana high schools," he added.

Mullen said three special scholarship funds are responsible for the bulk of the freshmen awards--the Fox scholarships, the Andrew B. Hammond Worthy Scholar awards and the Haynes Foundation Worthy Scholar awards.

The Fox scholarships are endowed to UM through the estate of the late Mrs. George F. Fox, a Missoula resident for 61 years who was an alumna and long-time friend of the University. Mrs. Fox was instrumental in planning the Women's Club of Missoula Building at UM, a structure which also houses the UM Alumni Center.

The Andrew B. Hammond Worthy Scholar awards are endowed to the University in Hammond's name by his daughter, Mrs. Frank B. King, San Francisco, Calif. Among his achievements, Hammond established a lumber mill at Bonner, built the Florence Hotel and the first railroad from Missoula to Hamilton.

The Haynes Foundation Worthy Scholar awards are endowed to UM through the Haynes Foundation. The Haynes Foundation was established by Isabel Haynes, Bozeman, foundation president, and Jack Ellis to foster and perpetuate western culture. The Haynes' interest in western culture stems from Mr. and Mrs. Haynes' extensive experiences in Yellowstone National Park.

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The largest single contribution to the upperclass returning student scholarship fund is through a \$353,537 donation to the University by Anna and Gordon Watkins, both UM alumni from Santa Barbara, Calif. Interest from the trust fund is awarded as scholarships to 28 UM seniors majoring in disciplines within the College of Arts and Sciences.

Other scholarships and memorial funds for returning UM students include: Fox scholarships for upperclassmen; Vaughn Family scholarships; Buttreys scholarships; Riechel scholarships; Bonner scholarship; Miles scholarship; Gerard scholarship; Gute scholarship; Snyder, Perry, Coyle fund; Baird scholarship; Olive M. Rector scholarship, and Marie Holder scholarship.

All of the scholarships range in amount from \$250 to \$800, Mullen said. He added that the \$73,042 does not indicate all of the scholarships awarded by the University for the 1973-74 academic year because some of the scholarships are awarded in the spring of 1974 and many additional scholarships are awarded directly by the several professional schools at the University.

"The UM scholarship program, coupled with several other financial aid programs, will provide more than \$1 million in assistance to UM students in 1973-74," the Financial Aids director stated.

Names of the recipients will be announced by Mullen's office prior to the start of the academic year.

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