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The Joneses reside in Friendship.

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The Joneses give to the UW-Platteville Scholarship Program

PLATTEVILLE – The UW-Platteville Scholarship Program gives individuals the opportunity to support graduating high school seniors attending UWP with their gift to this program. By donating to a tri-state area high school of their choice, donors allow the UWP Foundation to grant scholarships to graduating high school seniors that are accepted to UWP from high schools that are participating in this program.

John and Joan Von Behren Jones, of Friendship, are pioneering the path for graduating seniors with their recent gift to the UW-Platteville Scholarship Program for Adams-Friendship High School. The UWP Foundation will use this gift to provide scholarships to graduates of Adams-Friendship High School who enroll at UWP.

As supporters of this program, The Joneses have chosen to give back to their community, ensuring that high school graduates of Adams-Friendship receive a college education. As to why the Joneses chose to support the program, Joan stated, “We both received a quality education at UWP and would encourage others to attend there. Three of our children also received their undergraduate degrees at UWP. We have a granddaughter who is currently a high school junior who hopes to attend there.”

John graduated from UWP in 1956 with a degree in industrial education. He has retired from his positions as an Adams-Friendship High School industrial education teacher, Adams-Friendship High School principal and district business manager. Joan graduated from UWP in 1957 with a degree in secondary education. She is a retired Adams-Friendship high school guidance counselor.

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