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RE: Claire Jensen

To whom it may concern,

I am writing in strong recommendation in support of Claire Jensen for her scholarship application. Ms. Jensen is a current student in the College of Natural Resources at the University of Wisconsin – Stevens Point (UWSP). This fall she will graduate with a degree in Soil and Land Management at UWSP. Ms. Jensen is an excellent student, and I would rank her in the top 5% of all our students. She is intelligent, engaged, hard-working, and an overall pleasure to interact with. Ms. Jensen is very active on our campus. She conducts research in our Pedology laboratory, is a member of the Soil and Water Conservation Society, and competes on the UWSP Soil Judging Team. Claire is also involved with many other clubs on our campus such as the Adventure Club and Fly Fishing Club. Her coursework and all of her additional activities have given her a strong skill set to be applied in the fields of soil science and natural resources. Ms. Jensen is a tremendous student and future ambassador of UWSP.

More importantly, Claire is an awesome person! Claire is the most-friendly student I have ever met. She instantly makes friends everywhere she goes. If I had to describe Claire with five adjectives, they would be: outgoing, kind, playful, hard-working, and self-sufficient. One of my favorite Claire experiences is observing her interactions on the UWSP Soil Judging team. Claire is the team captain and her positive attitude is the glue binding our team together, like granular soil structure in a well-developed A horizon in a prairie soil. Each day she holds a session for each student (and myself) to share highs and lows. This is such a fun and playful way for students to share the new knowledge and experiences with each other. She truly cares for each of her teammates and loves sharing and exploring life and learning together. Claire is an adventurer. I am envious of Claire's graduation plans to hike the Appalachian Trail. I am sure she will succeed and have an awesome time along the way.

Claire is an excellent candidate for the Adventure Scholar program. I highly recommend her without any reservations.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Bryant C. Scharenbroch".

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