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## **FIRST FEDERAL BANK PRESENTS SPRING 2008 SCHOLARSHIP COMPETITION FOR ASUMH STUDENTS**

*Mountain Home, Ark., October 2007* – First Federal Bank is proud to present a Spring 2008 Scholarship Competition for current full-time students at Arkansas State University Mountain Home (ASUMH). The scholarship is compliments of Twin Lakes Home Builders Association.

“We are thrilled to be able to offer this scholarship to a deserving student in our market,” said Fred LeGrand, Vice President / Branch Manager Mountain Home. “It’s also exciting that community involvement – our first place win at the Twin Lakes Home Builders Golf Tournament – has afforded us this opportunity.”

Any full-time student currently at ASUMH is eligible to apply. Applicants must have a GPA of at least 3.0, and demonstrate a history of community involvement. The student is required to enroll as a full-time student (minimum of 12 credit hours) for the 2008 Spring Semester.

Applications can be found at the First Federal Bank locations in Mountain Home and Yellville. They are also available in Student Services at ASUMH. Applications are due to First Federal by November 15, 2007. The winning applicant will be notified by December 15, 2007.

### **About Twin Lakes Homebuilders Association**

The Twin Lakes Home Builders Association, located in Mountain Home, is a trade organization comprised of businesses and professionals who provide services and products for homes and offices. They function to help consumers locate the services and products needed to build or remodel a home, office, or other commercial building, and to encourage support of professional builders in the area. For more information, visit [www.twinlakeshomebuilders.com](http://www.twinlakeshomebuilders.com) or call 870.508.5836.

### **About First Federal Bank**

First Federal is a community bank serving consumers and businesses in Northcentral and Northwest Arkansas with a full range of checking, savings, investment, and loan products and services. The Bank, founded in 1934, has \$820.5 million in assets and conducts business from 18 full-service branch locations, one stand-alone loan production office, and 29 ATMs. First Federal Bank is a wholly owned subsidiary of First Federal Bancshares of Arkansas, Inc., whose stock is traded on the NASDAQ Global Market under the symbol FFBH. For information on all the products and services we offer, visit us on the web at [www.ffbh.com](http://www.ffbh.com) or contact our Account Information Center by phone at 870.365.8329 or 866-AIC-FFBH toll free or by email at [aic@ffbh.com](mailto:aic@ffbh.com).

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