Haliburton / Sexton Scholarship

Est. before 1978

This scholarship had previously been called Upper Class English Scholarship and was handled by Mrs. Bernice Haliburton and Mrs. Kathryn Sexton. Through their association with the scholarship, it seemed only right to rename it in their honor.

Bernice Haliburton was a long-time PSU English instructor. She passed away in 2005.

Kathryn Sexton spent 34 years as a teacher of English: 10 years in public schools and 24 years at PAMC, PSC and PSU. Both Robert and Kathryn were life time members of the Alumni Association. Kathryn was a director on the Foundation board and the author of *The Heritage of the Panhandle*: the history of PAI. Kathryn passed away in 1991 and her husband Robert passed away in 2007. They had no children.

Historically, this scholarship endowment funded two scholarships each year. In 2013, changes were made to fund only one larger scholarship rather than two smaller ones.