

Jaydon Sommerfeld Memorial Bursary

Purpose of Award:

This bursary is intended to assist the successful applicants with post-secondary education expenses or assist in any other expense incurred directly related to achieving gainful employment. This bursary is not intended to be strictly an academic bursary where the student with the highest marks is the automatic recipient.

There will be a minimum of 4 annual award recipients with \$500 awarded to each recipient.

Eligibility Criteria:

- Grade twelve Chestermere High School students may apply for this bursary
- The applicant must have maintained at least a 65% average in each of his/her grade twelve subjects up to the application deadline as verified by school/teacher records
- The applicant must have participated in at least one school or community sports program (school intramurals, minor hockey, lacrosse, figure skating, jiu jitsu, weight lifting, wrestling, etc....)
- The applicant must have displayed some (and preferably all) of the following qualities during his / her high school years as these were all qualities that Jaydon displayed: kindness, thoughtfulness, high level of personal integrity, love of life and excellent work ethic
- The applicant must be a Canadian Citizen

Application Deadlines & Selection Process:

- Applications must be submitted in a sealed envelope addressed to the “Jaydon Sommerfeld Memorial Bursary” at the Chestermere High School Office on or before June 7th
- Applicants please include your full name, address, and social insurance number.
- Eligible applicants must submit a personal essay plus three references to the Selection Committee. The essay should explain how the candidate meets the eligibility criteria and intend to use the award funds if selected (maximum 2 pages)
- The Selection Committee will review applications and select award recipients based on the given criteria
- References may be contacted and candidates may be required to participate in an interview with the Selection Committee if requested
- Awards will be presented to the recipients at a High School Awards Ceremony