



Manitoba Cattle Producers Association Bursaries

The Manitoba Cattle Producers Association is pleased to make available **four** \$500 bursaries annually for MCPA members or their children attending a university, college or other post-secondary institution or pursuing trades training.

Preference will be given to those students pursuing a field of study related to agriculture or to those acquiring a skilled trade that would be beneficial to the rural economy.

Completed applications must be submitted by June 4th, 2010. A selection committee will review the submissions. Winners will be notified by August 30th, 2010. The bursary criteria are as follows:

- Eligibility:**
- must be at least 17 years of age as of January 1, 2010
 - must be an active Manitoba beef producer or the child of an active Manitoba beef producer
 - must use the bursary within two years
- Requirements:**
- must submit a 400 to 500 word (*maximum*) typed essay discussing “The importance of the beef industry in Manitoba”***
 - must submit proof of enrolment in a recognized institution (e.g. transcript)
 - must submit a list of community involvement (e.g. 4-H, community clubs, volunteer work, etc.)
 - post-secondary program or trades training must be a minimum of one year in duration
 - provide the names of three references, including their addresses and telephone numbers

Submissions must be submitted no later than 4:30 p.m.- Friday, June 4th, 2010 to:

Manitoba Cattle Producers Association Bursary Committee
154 Paramount Road
Winnipeg MB R2X 2W3
Fax: (204) 774-3264
E-mail: mcpa.office@mts.net

For more information, please contact the MCPA at (800) 772-0458 or email: mcpa.office@mts.net

***Bursary winners' essays will be published in the MCPA's newspaper *Cattle Country*.

MCPA 2010 Bursary Application Form

Please print

Name: _____

Mailing address: _____

Telephone: _____ Fax or e-mail (if available) _____

Date of birth: _____

Parents' names if you are under 18: _____

Are you a beef producer? _____ Are you the child of a beef producer? _____

Institute of current enrolment***: _____

Current or intended program of study or skilled trades training***: _____

Duration of post-secondary program or skill trades training: _____ year (s)

*****Note:** *If you are already in college, university or an apprenticeship program, please provide proof of enrolment, such as a current transcript. Or, if you are in high school, include a current transcript, as well as a letter of intent to attend, or a letter of acceptance from a post-secondary institution.*

Essay: Please attach a typed 400 to 500 word (*maximum*) essay on "The importance of the beef industry in Manitoba." Note: Bursary winners' essays will be published in the MCPA's newspaper *Cattle Country*.

Please return: the completed application form; proof of enrolment in a post-secondary institution or an apprenticeship program, or a letter of intent to pursue further studies; a list of your community involvement; a typed essay; and, your references *no later than* 4:30 p.m., Friday, June 4th, 2009 to:

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