# McKee House Seniors Society

# **Student Bursary**

#### INTRODUCTION

McKee House Seniors Society began in 1992 as an organization providing recreation and leisure services to seniors in the community, currently at McKee Seniors Recreation Centre. To acknowledge the community for its support over the years, and to encourage studies in the field of seniors' services and recreation, McKee awards a bursary to a Delta Secondary student in the amount of \$1,000. Funds are awarded at the discretion of the Society Bursary Committee.

#### **ELIGIBILITY**

Applicants must be a current Delta resident, for a period of not less than two years. Applicants must demonstrate financial need.

Applicants must demonstrate a high level of community involvement through volunteering. Successful candidate must furnish proof of registration to McKee House Seniors Society from an approved post-secondary institution by Dec 31<sup>st</sup> of the award calendar year or forfeit the award. Preference will be given to applicants entering a field of study that supports services, programs or recreation specifically directed at seniors.

No funds will be paid out until all requirements have been met.

## **DOCUMENTATION REQUIRED**

Proof of two years of residency in Delta.

Photocopy of most recent academic records.

Two letters of reference (school, employment, volunteering).

Proof of validation of volunteer hours.

Personal letter detailing financial need for the Bursary, career area chosen and reason for pursuing this career.

## **SUBMISSION**

Application forms, with all documentation, should be submitted to Delta Secondary School. Incomplete applications will not be considered. Winner must agree to the publication of their picture in local newspapers, our website and our member newsletter.

#### **CLOSING DATE**

**April 30**<sup>th</sup>. The Bursary will be awarded to the successful candidate at the Commencement Ceremonies in June. For more information, please contact Corinne Leary at cleary@deltaschools.ca.