

The 2015 Peltier Aviation Scholarship

Scholarship:

The inaugural Peltier Aviation Scholarship is a \$1,000 scholarship that will be awarded to a Métis individual who has demonstrated leadership, service to the Métis community, and a commitment to a post-secondary education in the aviation field. This scholarship is made available through the Peltier Education Foundation which was created by Sid Peltier and his family as a way to give back to the Métis community.

Sid Peltier is Métis and was the oldest of 11 children. Born and raised in Manitoba, Sid moved to British Columbia in the late 1970's to pursue a career as a helicopter pilot. Sid is currently the owner of White River Helicopters, which has been operating in the Terrace, BC, area since 1993, and is the oldest privately and locally owned helicopter charter service in Terrace. After over 39 years in the aviation industry, and over 14,000+ hours of helicopter flying, Sid hopes that this scholarship will help encourage a new generation of Métis to enter the field of aviation.

Eligibility Criteria:

In order to be considered for the Peltier Aviation Scholarship, an applicant must:

- Be Métis,
- Be able to demonstrate leadership and service to the Métis community, and
- Be entering or continuing post-secondary education in any field related to aviation, including, but not limited to:
 - Aircraft mechanics,
 - Engineering,
 - Flight school, etc.

How to Apply:

Applicants must include the following information to be considered for the Peltier Aviation Scholarship:

1. Their completed application form;
2. A copy (both sides) of their Métis Citizenship Card or other proof of the applicant's Métis heritage to the satisfaction of the Peltier Education Foundation;
3. A copy of their confirmation of enrollment in a program related to the field of aviation (individuals may apply and be considered for the Peltier Aviation Scholarship prior to receiving confirmation of enrollment. Proof of enrollment, however, will be required before the scholarship will be awarded);

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4. Two reference letters – one academic and one personal;
5. A covering letter describing why you are a good candidate for the scholarship;
and
6. Their current official transcript of Grade 12 and/or post-secondary institution

Please submit your completed scholarship package post-marked on or before June 1, 2015, to:

Peltier Education Foundation - Aviation
507-15388 105 Ave
Surrey, BC
V3R 0C4

For further information, please email peltier.edu.fdn@gmail.com.

The 2015 Peltier Aviation Scholarship Application Form

PERSONAL INFORMATION (Print or type all information except signature)

The information provided in this application will be kept confidential and will only be used for the purpose of assessing the applicant's eligibility for the Peltier Aviation Scholarship. Please use the space provided. Where more space is needed, please attach additional pages.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Birth Date: _____ Gender: Male Female

Marital Status:

Single Married/Common Law
 Separated/Divorced Widowed

Do you have children or other dependants living with you?

No Yes If yes, how many? _____ (please provide details below)

Name: _____ Age: _____

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EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION (Please attach your most recent high school, college or university official transcript)

List in chronological order all of the institutions you have attended, starting with secondary school through to your most recent or present institution.

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Institution	Years attended (From/To)	Program/Faculty

Your individual financial needs will be considered to some extent. If you would like to volunteer information for consideration, please provide details of your financial needs.

Describe what led you to choose to study in the field of aviation and elaborate on your career goals.

Describe your involvement with the Métis community, such as volunteer positions you have held, including length of time in each position.

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Outline your extracurricular activities, interests and achievements.

Any other information you would like to be considered.

Applicant's signature: _____ Date: _____

Consent of parent or guardian for applicants under the age of 19:

I, (print name) _____, of (address) _____,

being the parent or guardian of the person named above, consent to the above-named student applying for the Peltier Aviation Scholarship and to the disclosure of personal information for use during this application process only.

Signature of parent or guardian: _____ Date: _____