



COLS
Memorial
Scholarship

Since 2003



Memorial Scholarship

About:

The COLS Memorial Scholarship has been given to two secondary school students who are COLS alumni and who will be attending post-secondary education in the fall following the annual three day seminar.

The applications are evaluated based on school and community work as well as the applicant's continued involvement with COLS. Applications are reviewed by a committee established by COLS' The Board of Directors. For 2019, two scholarships will be awarded in the amount of \$1,000 each to the successful applicants.

From 2003 to 2015 the scholarship was named after Eileen Krieger who was an ambassador in 1997. Eileen was tragically killed in a car accident. In recent years, we have been saddened to lose other members of our COLS family who have been dedicated to volunteering so much of their time to COLS and their communities. The scholarship was renamed in 2015 to recognize our COLS family members who have left us. You will find more information on them in the pages that follow.

Eligibility:

The COLS Memorial Scholarship is open to any graduating secondary school alumni member, who will begin their post secondary education in the fall of 2019.

The applications must be completed in full submitted and via email to scholarship@cols.ca **no later than Sunday, May 12, 2019 at 11:59 pm.**

Applications received after the deadline will not be considered.

Make sure you complete the application as directed. Submissions may not be longer than three (3) letter sized pages in total with a minimum of 12pt font size.

IN MEMORY OF...



Eileen Krieger

Eileen was an ambassador from Ridgeway-Crystal Beach High School in 1997. She was very active in her community and was involved in the Student Leadership Conference at Queen's University. She was on her way to a job interview when she was killed in a car accident.



Nelson Latimer

Nelson was a long time member of the Stoney Creek Optimist Club and a volunteer with COLS since it began in Ontario in 1982. He always had a smile on his face and was a dedicated volunteer at the 3 Day COLS Seminar. Nelson enjoyed talking to parents at the parent seminar on Sunday.



Keith Bone

Keith was a member of the Burlington Optimist Club and a volunteer with COLS since it began in Ontario in 1982. He was a quiet leader who was full of wisdom and touched the hearts of everyone he met. He always left a lasting impression with everyone he talked to.



Bryan Ruston

Bryan was an Optimist member from London who started his volunteer work with COLS in 1982. His volunteer work included senior leader as well as seminar chair. He always showed his PMA and had a smile for everyone.



Tyler Grummet

Tyler who was a budding basketball star was an ambassador in 2014. His infectious smile made everyone want to smile right along with him.



Sherri Fraser

Sherri was an ambassador in 1995. She was a very active member of the Brampton Alumni and COLS as a junior leader and alumni rep. She was tragically killed in a car accident. She always had a smile and when she met her friends it was like they have never been apart.



Amber Fox

Amber was an ambassador in 2002. She was active with the COLS Alumni. She attended McMaster U where she wrote for the university newspaper. She loved to travel and lived in Britain after graduating university. Amber lost her battle with leukemia.



Raphael Justin Loh

Raphael was an ambassador in 2001 and came back to COLS as a senior leader. He was a teacher with the Toronto and District Catholic School Board. He coached several sports teams and was loved by all his students.

Past Recipients:

2003

John Centofanti
Brent Fraser

2004

Preston MacNeil

2005

Peter Newhook
Matt Fowler

2006

Kevin Wang
Shamin Mohammed

2007

Natalie Maxwell
Kaitlyn Tezseri

2008

Claire Buxton
Janalee Ferreria

2009

Mauricio Curbelo
Mishka Nizar

2010

Stephen Galbraith
Sam Ciccarella

2011

Rob Thomson
Nicole Robertson

2012

Ann Marie Corrado
Joelle Schonberg

2013

Michael LaCute
Rachael Rishworth

2014

Tushita Patel
Scott Robinson

2015

Brittany McKinnon
Sapphira Thompson-Bled

2016

Allie Moore
Vadar Hassan

2017

Amy Fisher
Shaun Bredl

2018

Annabelle Morgan
Jaysen Shen

Central Ontario Leadership Alumni Scholarship Application

Please send your application in the body of an email, as an Adobe PDF file (.pdf) or as a Word file (.doc) to scholarship@cola.ca . Please feel free to copy and paste the information below into your application.

Deadline for submissions is: May 12th at 11:59pm

Name (Last, First, Middle Initial):

Phone:

E-mail:

Home Address:

Birthdate (yy/mm/dd):

High School Presently Attending:

Anticipated date of graduation:

Year attended COLS:

College or Universities you wish to attend

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

Please answer the following seven (7) questions using a maximum of three (3) pages with a minimum 12pt font.

- 1.) Describe any honors, prizes, etc. you have received in school and/or any activities you engaged in (i.e. Organizations, Athletics, Publications, Student Council, etc.) Include Positions or Office Held.
- 2.) List your community service activities. (in detail).
- 3.) How have you continued to stay involved in the COLS program? .
- 4.) Describe how COLS has impacted your life.
- 5.) What is your definition of a leader?
- 6.) What is the most powerful word in the English language? Why?
- 7.) How do you plan to contribute to society after your formal education?

Please list below, three (3) references that would be familiar with 1) your COLS experience, 2) your school experience, and 3) your character.

1. COLS

Name

Address:

Phone:

Email:

2. School

Name

Address:

Phone:

Email:

3.Character

Name

Address:

Phone:

Email:

By submitting this application I hereby certify that all the statements contained in this application are true and correct. I hereby make application for scholarship subject to the terms and conditions of the program