## Association of Alberta Agricultural Fieldmen MEMORIAL BURSARY

**OBJECTIVE:** 

To encourage Alberta high school students to choose a career in agricultural or environmental sciences, and to financially assist them while attending an agricultural or environmental science related program related to the duties of Agricultural Fieldmen at a post-secondary institution.

## **PROCEDURE:**

- 1. Bursaries are available to students continuing their education at a College or University. Students must be enrolled in an agricultural or environmental science program.
- 2. One \$500 bursary is available in each calendar year for each of the 5 provincial regions of the Association of Alberta Agricultural Fieldmen (AAAF). An Agricultural Fieldman in good standing with the AAAF must receive applications, with all supporting documentation, by September 1<sup>st</sup>.
- 3. Each student may obtain a bursary only once.
- 4. Applicants must be Alberta residents. Applicants residing in the province but attending school outside the province are eligible, and should apply to their local municipal Ag. Fieldman.
- 5. The applicant is required to supply a copy of their marks from the last year of high school attendance, together with a letter of acceptance and course of studies planned at a post-secondary institution. The applicant, if chosen, shall supply a photo to the AAAF for inclusion in the Association newsletter.
- 6. The AAAF shall award bursaries on a regional basis upon the consensus of the Agricultural Fieldmen in each region, based on scholastic standing, social and community activities, and chosen program of study. Their decision is final. Prior to contacting the successful applicant, the AAAF Regional Directors shall ensure that the successful applicant has not been awarded a AAAF Memorial Bursary in another region.
- 7. High school graduates just entering their post-secondary studies will be given priority over students in subsequent year's studies.
- 8. Application forms and terms of reference will be provided to all high schools in Alberta.
- \* Completed Applications, together with the required supporting information, should be forwarded to the Agricultural Fieldman in the closest rural municipality. For a list of municipalities, see the Membership Directory at the AAAF web site:

www.aaaf.ab.ca.

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I hereby apply for the AAAF Memorial Bursary to assist me in an AGRICULTURAL or ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE related program at \_\_ in the term (Post Secondary Institution Name) \_\_\_\_. Attached is a letter of acceptance from this institution. (Start Date of Next Semester) NAME EMAIL ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_PHONE \_\_\_\_ Last Grade Completed \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Credits \_\_\_\_\_ (attach transcript) **EDUCATION** High School Attended \_\_\_\_\_ Other SCHOOL OR COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES IN WHICH I HAVE PARTICIPATED: Year **Activity Position Held** (if room is insufficient, use the back of this sheet or attach a separate page) COURSE OF STUDIES PLANNED: CAREER PLANS UPON COMPLETION:\_\_\_\_ NAME OF PARENT OR GUARDIAN: ADDRESS NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF TWO PERSONAL REFERENCES: I declare that the above and attached information is correct to the best of my knowledge, and if I am awarded a bursary, I will comply with all related regulations to this application. DATE SIGNATURE

Personal information is being collected by authority of the Association of Alberta Agricultural Fieldmen AAAF Memorial Bursary Policy and will be used in the application process. It is protected by the privacy provisions of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act. If you have any questions about the collection, contact the AAAF Secretary Treasurer.