

# JOSEPHBURG AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY

## Agricultural Society Scholarship Criteria Sheet

### Award

Annually, the Josephburg Agricultural Society awards two \$1000.00 scholarships; these awards are based equally on academic achievement and community involvement. **In addition**, a separate \$1000 scholarship in memory of our long-standing Director and JAS volunteer, Doug Maschmeyer will be awarded.

**In all, three \$1000 scholarships will be awarded.**

### Eligibility

The Scholarships will be available to any post-secondary student commencing or currently enrolled in any year of an accredited program, degree or diploma. The applicant must be a maximum 25 years of age, and is allowed only one successful application.

### Selection Criteria

Children of directors, former directors, permanent employees and members of the Josephburg Agricultural Society are given first consideration, but not exclusively chosen. Academic achievement and community involvement are determining factors. In regards to the Doug Maschmeyer Scholarship, mentoring and volunteering will be key factors in choosing a deserving applicant.

### Prerequisites

The applicant must meet the required prerequisites acceptable to the receiving institution. Prior to the deadline, a copy of Alberta Transcript of High School Achievement (photocopy acceptable) must be forwarded to the Scholarship Committee. If the applicant has completed some university or college, a record of academic achievement from the institution is required.

### References

Candidates must provide two currently dated reference letters pertaining to the criteria for selection (academic and community involvement). Candidates may also be personally interviewed by the Scholarship Committee.

### Essay

Candidates must submit a 500-word essay explaining what volunteerism means to them and how they have incorporated the spirit of volunteerism into their own lives. Include mentorship to be considered for the Doug Maschmeyer Scholarship.

### DEADLINE - SEPTEMBER 1st

Two-page application form, two reference letters, a copy of Alberta Transcript of High School Achievement and/or University or College Academic Achievement, proof of attendance at said institution and 500 word essay must be submitted to the Josephburg Agricultural Society.

**SUBMIT ALL DOCUMENTS IN A CONTINUOUS SELF-CONTAINED PDF TO: [jas.agfacility@gmail.com](mailto:jas.agfacility@gmail.com)**

### To Reapply

It is up to the applicant to resubmit an updated application. Consider adding recent involvements and accomplishments.



Application Date: \_\_\_\_\_

First time applying?  Yes  
 No

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
*Surname First Middle*

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
*Box/RR/Street Town/City Postal Code*

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Date Of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_  
*Year Month Day*

Name(s) of Parents/Guardians: \_\_\_\_\_

Address of Parents/Guardians: \_\_\_\_\_

Your connection to the Josephburg Agricultural Society: \_\_\_\_\_

How many years have you been a resident of Alberta: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of post-secondary Institution you plan to attend, or are presently attending:

Program enrolled in: \_\_\_\_\_ Entering year: \_\_\_\_\_  
*example: B.Sc. Agricultural*

Length of program enrolled in: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Program (Certificate, Diploma, Degree): \_\_\_\_\_

**Educational Institutions Attended**

Name of School	Diploma/Certificate/Degree	Year Completed
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

*e.g. Fort Saskatchewan High School*

*e.g. Grade 12 General Diploma*

**Josephburg Agricultural Society Scholarship ~ Record of Other Activities**

Please list any school-related activities and organizations that you have participated in over the last three years of your school attendance, for example: *Student Council – Treasurer – 2019*. Please attach an additional sheet if you require more space.

Activity	Office/Description of Special Responsibility	Year

Please list any community and volunteer activities that you have participated in over the last three years, example: *Community baseball team – coached and organized tournaments – 2019*. Please attach an additional sheet if you require more space.

Activity	Office/Description of Special Responsibility	Year

Please list any other awards (athletic, community, public speaking) that you have received over the past three years. Please attach an additional sheet if you require more space.


**Checklist of attachments:**

- Two page application form.
- Two reference letters that speak to the main criteria - academic / community involvement / mentoring (if applicable).
- Alberta Transcript of High School Achievement. University or College academic achievement, if applicable. Photocopied.
- Proof of attendance at post-secondary institution.
- 500 word essay.

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**DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION: SEPTEMBER 1 • Be sure to include ALL requested information**