

Scholarships- Battle River Local No. 32



Local Scholarships

Background

In a motion at the August 20, 2000 Executive meeting, Battle River Local No. 32 allocated \$5000 annually for scholarships for graduating high school students in the Battle River Region.

To determine how these awards would be distributed, a Regional Committee was set up. This committee contacted the Awards Chair in each of the high schools in the Region, asking for input with respect to how each school had recognized students in the past and for suggestions on how these scholarships could be distributed in the future. There was little response to this request. The Regional Committee met on October 17, 2000 to develop a policy for the distribution of scholarships in Battle River Region.

Amendment

At a meeting of the Scholarship Committee on October 19, 2005 general funding and changes to the policy have now been made, as shown below.

General Funding Allocations

- A. **\$3900** annually will be allocated to academic awards open to all students in the Region.
- B. **\$300** will be allocated to *each Battle River* teacher's child pursuing post secondary education.
- C. \$100 will be used for administering this program.

Battle River Schools with High School Programs

Bashaw
Battle River On-Line
Bawlf
Camrose Composite High
Central High-Sedgewick
Daysland
Forestberg
Hay Lakes
New Norway
Ryley
Tofield
Viking
PACE

**Submit it to the BRL treasurer by
registered mail
post marked by September 30**

Any submissions mailed after this date will be ineligible.

Award A: GRADE 12 ACADEMIC AWARD

There will be *thirteen* scholarships, each valued at **\$300**, one for each of the Region's high schools.

Eligible students: All grade twelve students graduating from a Battle River School.

Rationale: The Battle River Local of the Alberta Teachers' Association wishes to recognize those students who excel academically.

Criteria:

(a) The **\$300** will be given to each school, who in turn will be responsible for developing criteria for this award at their particular school. It is recommended that each school use (1) or (2) below however, this is only a recommendation.

(1) their Rutherford calculations or,

(2) the highest weighted average over their 3 years of high school.

Award: **\$300** scholarship

Selection Process: The Awards Committee Chair from each school will submit the name of the school winner by fax, to the Treasurer of Battle River Local by September 30.

Submission to:

Submission to: Local Treasurer:

Heather Myck

Ecole Sifton School

4807 – 43 Street

Camrose, AB T4V 1A9

Phone: 780-672-2980

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Award B: SCHOLARSHIP FOR STUDENTS OF BATTLE RIVER TEACHERS

\$300 will be provided for scholarships for children of teachers in the Battle River Region.

Eligible students: All grade twelve students whose parent(s) teach, or have retired from teaching, in Battle River Schools.

Rationale: This scholarship is intended to recognize and support all *Battle River* teachers' children who are pursuing a post secondary education.

Criteria: The recipients:

(a) will have a parent who is teaching *full time or part time*, or retired from teaching in the Battle River Region,

(b) will have a parent who is on leave from the Battle River Region and who is paying the leave of absence fee to the ATA

(c) must be pursuing post secondary education in the September following their grade twelve year, *(the granting of this scholarship may be delayed to a maximum of one year)*

Award:

(a) \$300 to each eligible recipient who has submitted their application by registered mail, post-marked no later than September 30.

Selection Process: Each prospective recipient will:

(a) fill out the attached application form,

(b) attach a proof of *registration* for their post-secondary institution,

(c) submit it to the BRL treasurer by registered mail post marked no later than September 30 of her or his *first year of post secondary education.*

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Battle River Local No. 32
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM
for children of present or retired Battle River Teachers.

NAME:

ADDRESS:

SCHOOL YOU ATTENDED AND YEAR OF GRADUATION FROM HIGH SCHOOL:

NAME AND SCHOOL OF PARENT who is teaching or retired from teaching in Battle River Region:

POST SECONDARY INSTITUTION you are planning to attend:

NAME:

AREA OF STUDY:

(A proof of registration must accompany this application form)

**For questions,
clarification &
submission, contact:**

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