



Captain Arnie Charbonneau, MC Scholarship Application

The Award

The King's Own Calgary Regiment (RCAC) Regimental Funds Foundation has established the Captain Arnie Charbonneau, MC Scholarship after a generous endowment by the Charbonneau family. Arnie Charbonneau was an accomplished athlete, a member of two Grey Cup winning teams prior to his enrollment in the 14th Army Tank Regiment (The Calgary Regiment). He was awarded the Military Cross for his actions at the Battle of Motta Montecorvino in Italy during World War II.

In recognition of Captain Charbonneau's athletic and military achievements, an annual scholarship has been established to be awarded to an athlete of outstanding skill and demonstrated teamwork from the Regimental Family of the King's Own Calgary Regiment.

Who is Eligible?

- The applicant must have a direct connection to The King's Own Calgary Regiment, such as serving reservists or their immediate family, veteran of the Regiment, a serving cadet in a cadet corps affiliated with the Regiment, a direct descendant of a King's Own Calgary Regiment veteran, a volunteer with either the King's Own Calgary Regiment Museum, Regimental Association or Regimental Funds Foundation;
- The applicant must be a competitor in an organized sport or athletic league, association other competitive sports organization; and
- The applicant must be enrolled in full time or part time in an accredited post-secondary institution with preference to full time students.

Application Deadline

The deadline to apply is April 5, 2024.

Athletic Endorsement

Applicants must include letter of endorsement from a coach or official with an organized sport or athletic league, association other competitive sports organization that confirms the applicant's participation and demonstrated teamwork.

Enrollment and academic achievement

Applicants must be enrolled part-time or full-time in an accredited post-secondary institution. Full time is considered to be a minimum of three (3) credit earning courses. Full-time student awards are based on an 8 month academic year for universities or colleges and up to 36 weeks for technical institutes.

If a student withdraws from their academic year of studies, they are no longer eligible for the award and any monies issued must be returned in full to the Regimental Funds Foundation.



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Selection Committee Evaluation Criteria

The following will be used as a guideline with respect to the competitive selection of deserving applicants:

- a) Athletic Achievement (70%):
 - 1) Applicant's competitive level: international, national, provincial, regional, local, competitive, or recreational;
 - 2) Applicant's competitive results: (wins, awards, records, etc.); and
 - 3) Applicant's demonstration of commitment and/or teamwork in the sport as described in a reference letter from a coach.
- b) Recent Contributions to the Regiment (30%):
 - 1) For serving members, their immediate family or cadets - A letter from their Troop Leader (or equivalent) describing their military performance over the past year including % of days paraded by the applicant (or the serving member under whom an immediate family applicant is eligible to apply);
 - 2) For all others – A letter from a supervisor describing the applicant's contribution to the Regiment including # of hours volunteered on Regimental Museum, Association, or Funds Foundation projects.

Confirmation of Receipt

If you wish to be notified that your application has been received, be sure to include an email address and check off the appropriate box on the application. If you do not receive a confirmation, you must contact KOCRScholarship@gmail.com *prior* to the deadline date. No exceptions will be made for misdirected applications.

Announcement and Notification of Award

The recipient of the award will be announced at the annual King's Own Calgary Regiment St. George's Day parade, which will be held on April 21, 2024. The recipient will also be notified by email after April 24, 2024, which will include instructions on submission of documentation to receive funds.

All correspondence relating to the awarding of this scholarship will be directed only to the applicant.

Contact

KOCRScholarship@gmail.com

Charbonneau Scholarship
The King's Own Calgary Regiment (RCAC)
Mewata Armoury
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Applicant Information

ACADEMIC YEAR _____

APPLICANT'S FULL NAME

BIRTHDATE

APPLICANT'S SOCIAL INSURANCE NUMBER

MAILING ADDRESS

CITY/PROVINCE

POSTAL CODE

TELEPHONE NUMBER

CELL PHONE NUMBER

APPLICANT'S EMAIL

PARENT'S EMAIL (if applicable)

Please confirm receipt of application by e-mail

PARENT'S SURNAME AND RANK (if applicable)

GIVEN NAME

(Res)

(Cell)

TELEPHONE NUMBER

TELEPHONE NUMBER

PARENT'S ADDRESS (if applicable)

CITY/PROVINCE

POSTAL CODE

PARENTS STATUS WITH THE KING'S OWN CALGARY REGIMENT:

SERVING

VOLUNTEER specify: _____

RETIRED

DECEASED

APPLICANT'S STATUS WITH THE KING'S OWN CALGARY REGIMENT:

SERVING

CADET

RETIRED

VOLUNTEER specify: _____

WHAT YEAR AND COURSE/FACULTY ARE YOU NOW ENTERING, AND WHERE?

YEAR

COURSE AND FACULTY

NAME OF INSTITUTION



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IF YOUR COURSE VARIES FROM THE STANDARD 8 MONTH (2 SEMESTER) LENGTH PLEASE INDICATE COURSE START AND END DATE

WHAT SEMESTERS ARE YOU APPLYING FOR:

- FALL
 WINTER
 OTHER (dates indicated above)

HAVE YOU PREVIOUSLY RECEIVED FUNDING FROM THE KOCR REGIMENTAL FUNDS? _____

IF YES, IN WHAT YEARS? _____

ALL CORRESPONDENCE RELATING TO THE AWARDING OF THIS SCHOLARSHIP AND THE SCHOLARSHIP AMOUNT WILL BE DIRECTED TO THE APPLICANT. SIGNATURE OF THE PARENT (IF APPLICABLE) IS TO ENABLE REGIMENTAL FUNDS FOUNDATION TO CONFIRM EMPLOYMENT STATUS ONLY. BY SIGNING THIS PAGE, BOTH THE PARENT AND APPLICANT GIVE EXPRESSED CONSENT TO BE CONTACTED VIA EMAIL BY THE KING'S OWN CALGARY REGIMENT REGIMENTAL FUNDS FOUNDATION. IF YOU DO NOT WISH TO GIVE YOUR EXPRESSED CONSENT FOR EMAIL CORRESPONDENCE, PLEASE ADVISE US AT KOCRScholarship@gmail.com

I DECLARE the above information is accurately stated. In the case of a stepparent/child relationship, the member states that they reside with the natural parent of the child and continue to act in the role of stepparent. We are aware that eligibility will be confirmed with the King's Own Calgary Regiment.

The following documentation is required for submission:

- a) A cover letter from the applicant summarizing how they meet the eligibility requirements, and describing why they believe they would be a good choice to receive the scholarship;
- b) Copy of program enrollment and receipt documentation;
- c) Letters of endorsement from a coach or official with an organized sport or athletic league, association other competitive sports organization that confirms the applicant's participation and demonstrated teamwork and Regimental supervisor.

SIGNATURE OF STUDENT

DATE

SIGNATURE OF PARENT (if applicable)

THE KING'S OWN CALGARY REGIMENT REGIMENTAL FUNDS FOUNDATION FOLLOWS LEGISLATED GUIDELINES FOR
PRIVACY