



Randy Contois Memorial Scholarship

Career Trek Inc. 2019 Scholarship

Career Trek Inc. believes that everyone should have the opportunity to attain education and career success. We envision a Manitoba where everyone who wants a post-secondary education gets one. We realize, however, that funding post-secondary education can be a challenge.

In answer to this challenge, Career Trek is proud to offer the ***Randy Contois Memorial Scholarship***. The purpose of the scholarship is to help Career Trek graduates from the Parkland Region Program (previously, Children Rising) realize their dreams, overcome financial barriers, and honour the memory of one of our participants, Randy Nelson Contois.

Randy Nelson Contois (Red Stone Man) was a participant of the Career Trek Program for five years. He never once missed a trip. Randy accomplished his goals by participating in school programs, playing hockey, fishing and hunting. Randy was an intelligent, handsome, and caring person. He always had a smile on his face and he had a big heart.

Career Trek and the Winnipeg Foundation are thrilled to provide **one recipient with a \$500 scholarship** that will be applied directly to the post-secondary institution or apprenticeship program of their choice.

The award recipient is chosen by a volunteer committee, which will take the following criteria into account:

1. Applicant must be a graduate of the Parkland Region Program (previously, Children Rising).
2. Applicant must confirm their acceptance into a post-secondary institution or apprenticeship program.
3. Applicant must indicate financial barriers to participating in post-secondary (through completion of Part 2: Financial Information).
4. Applicant must describe active contributions or involvement with their community (through completion of Part 3: Community Contributions).

Mail, e-mail, or fax applications to:

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Fax: (204) 942-4912
Phone: (204) 944-1800 x.154

All information submitted with this application will remain confidential. Please note: applicant is eligible to receive and redeem the scholarship once and subsequent applications will be considered ineligible.

Applications must be received by 4:00 p.m. (CT) on Friday, May 17th, 2019.

PART 1: APPLICANT'S PERSONAL INFORMATION (as appears on official documents)

Surname / Family Name	Given Names	Date of Birth (yy/mm/dd)
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Mailing Address	City	Postal Code
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E-mail Address	Home or Mobile Telephone
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Career Trek Information

Which Parkland Region Program/Children Rising Program(s) have you participated in? (check all that apply)

- Phase 1 (Gr. 5-9) Phase 2 (Gr. 9-12)

What year did you graduate from Phase 1 Children Rising? _____

What year(s) did you participate in Phase 2 Children Rising? _____

Intended Program of Post-Secondary Study

Post-Secondary Institution: _____

Intended Program of Study: _____

Acceptance Date: _____

Program Start Date: _____

***Attach a copy of your acceptance letter or other verification of enrollment from the post-secondary institution.**

PART 2: FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Please estimate your annual income and expenses, in order to determine expected financial need (based on current amounts and/or predicted amounts during the school year).

Note: School year, in this case, is defined as an 8 month period.

Estimated Annual Income (8 month period):

Annual Income from Various Sources	Amount (annual)
Employment	
Support from family	
Financial awards	
Band funding or sponsorship	
Registered Education Savings Plan (RESP) funds	
Student loan and grants (if applicable)	
Other income	
Total Annual Income	

Monthly Living Expenses:

Monthly Expenses	Amount (monthly)
Housing (rent or mortgage)	
Utilities	
Cell phone / internet	
Groceries / food	
Transportation	
Entertainment	
Other expenses	
Total Monthly Expense	
Total Monthly Expense x 8 Months =	
Total School Year Living Expenses	

Education Expenses (based on one school year):

Education Expenses (estimated annual)	Amount (annual)
Tuition and fees	
Books	
Supplies	
Other	
Total Education Expenses	

_____ + _____ = _____
Total School Year Living Expenses + Total Education Expenses = TOTAL EXPENSES

_____ - _____ = _____
TOTAL EXPENSES – TOTAL ANNUAL INCOME = FINANCIAL NEED

PART 3: COMMUNITY CONTRIBUTIONS

At Career Trek we believe that involvement and commitment to the community are important for positive development, both personally and on a community level. Please tell us how you are active in your community by **answering ONE of the following questions**:

1. How has your Career Trek experience influenced your community involvement?
2. Describe how you are actively involved in your community and how this has enhanced positive development (personally and within your community).
3. What is your career goal and how will this goal allow you to give back to your community?
4. Identify a challenge that you have overcome to get to this point and how has this encouraged you to be active within your community?

Written criteria: 1-2 pages in length, double-spaced.

Submissions will be accepted in written, audio or video format. If you would like to submit your application in an alternate format, please contact Danielle Hollinger at dhollinger@careertrek.ca or (204) 944-1800 x. 154 to discuss.

We will honour your right to privacy, and your story will only be shared within the confidence of the Scholarship Selection Committee. If you are the winner of the award, we may wish to share excerpts, but will only do so with your permission.

PART 4: DECLARATION OF INFORMATION

APPLICANT

I, _____ (applicant's name) hereby declare that the statements / information given by me on this form are complete and accurate.

Furthermore, by signing this form I declare that the written, audio or video submitted for consideration is my work. I understand that all award offers are dependent on acceptance to a post-secondary institution or a registered apprenticeship program.

Signature of Applicant

Date

PARENT OR GUARDIAN (If applicant is under the age of 18)

I, _____ (parent or guardian name), certify that I have read the information provided by the Applicant on this form and declare that to the best of my knowledge it is a true and accurate account / report.

Signature of Parent / Guardian

Date