

The George Mac Neil 4-H Entrance Scholarship

Purpose of the Award:

With thanks to all those who gave so generously to allow it to happen, the Cape Breton County 4-H Leaders' Council is proud to establish the **George MacNeil 4-H Scholarship**, an endowed scholarship award in memory of an outstanding 4-H member, leader and friend, George MacNeil. This award will honor the life and legacy of George to the 4-H program, by supporting deserving Nova Scotia 4-H members pursuing post-secondary study.

Award Conditions:

One award of **\$1,000** will be presented annually to a 4-H member entering any recognized post-secondary program of study. The award will be announced at 4-H Weekend in May. The recipient must provide proof of enrolment in a post-secondary program in order to qualify for receipt of the award.

Award Criteria:

- a) The successful candidate must demonstrate involvement in his/her 4-H community and other worthy non-academic activities.
- b) The successful candidate must have a minimum average of 80%, with no failures in most recent evaluations.
- c) This is a one-time, non-institutional-specific award, to be granted to a Nova Scotia 4-H member registered in a recognized degree, diploma or certificate program.

Application Process:

Deadline for application is **April 1st** of the calendar year of the award. Application shall include:

- a) An official recent transcript, including Grade 12 marks
- b) A completed application form (as attached) outlining 4-H and non-4-H activities
- c) One reference letter from a 4-H leader, Community member, or School representative

Members are encouraged to present their information in a concise manner on the application form provided. Materials submitted in addition to (a-c) above, will ***not*** be evaluated or considered by the committee.

George MacNeil 4-H Scholarship Committee
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Application may also be electronically mailed to georgemacneilscholarship@gmail.com with official transcript to follow by regular mail to above address. All materials must be received by the **April 1st deadline.**

Leaders don't create followers, they create more leaders.