



CANTERBURY COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP AWARD APPLICATION FORM

These scholarship awards have been established to provide recognition to the youth of the Alta Vista ward in their pursuit of post-secondary education and community involvement.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Email address(es): _____

Tel. Number(s): _____

Canterbury Community Association membership: YES NO
(Are you or your family a Member of the Canterbury Community Association)

Post-secondary college or universities to which you have applied:

I am applying for:

(Applicants may apply for the community service scholarship and/or one of either the academic or athletic scholarships. Only one scholarship per applicant will be awarded.)

academic scholarship athletic scholarship community service scholarship

The following are attached:

- An official transcript of your high school academic record (if transcript is unavailable for grade 12, mid year grades from the latest report card. In semester schools, final grade 12 grades for the first semester, and mid term grades for the second semester.)
- Proof of your application to an accredited Canadian post-secondary educational institution
- Three letters of reference, collectively covering your academic/athletic achievements and community involvement
- A one page essay (maximum 500 words) on the value of community involvement and leadership and the role it has played in your life
- A covering letter outlining your interests and accomplishments and demonstrating voluntary involvement and participation in community and school (optional)

Applications should be marked "confidential" and addressed to the Canterbury Community Association Scholarship Committee. They must be postmarked no later than May 20, 2010 and mailed to the Canterbury Community Association Scholarship Committee, P.O. Box 41070, 1910 St. Laurent Blvd., Ottawa Ontario K1G 5K9. You should ensure the Association is kept apprised of any changes to your address, email address(es), or telephone number(s).



CANTERBURY COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION FOURTEENTH ANNUAL SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS 2009 - 2010

PURPOSE

To support the youth of the Alta Vista- Canterbury Community in the pursuit of their educational goals at college or university, and to recognize students who have combined academic or athletic excellence with involvement in their school or local community, or who have displayed exceptional volunteer involvement in their school and community.

NUMBER AND VALUE OF SCHOLARSHIPS

The Association offers two \$1,000 university or college entrance scholarships each year covering either academic or athletic achievement. You may apply in only one of these categories.

In addition to the above scholarships, you may also apply for the \$1,000 university or college entrance scholarship that focuses on community volunteer involvement. The "**Mark and Shanti Inman Community Service Scholarship**" is awarded in recognition of Mark and Shanti Inman's dedication and commitment to the Association and to making life better in the Canterbury Community.

Only one scholarship per individual will be awarded. The scholarships are not renewable.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

The scholarships are awarded for first year college or university studies. To be eligible to apply, you must:

- Be a resident of the Alta Vista – Canterbury ward (boundaries are Bank Street to Riverside, Riverside to Queensway/417, 417 to Walkley Road, and Walkley to Bank), **OR** attend a secondary school within the ward and have performed your community volunteering within the ward.
- Be graduating from an Ottawa area high school in the 2009-2010 school year with a minimum of six (6) grade 12 credits
- Have applied for full-time, first year undergraduate studies at an accredited post-secondary education institution for the 2010-2011 school year

TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION

You should submit the following information:

- A completed application form identifying in which category(s) you are applying. The form can be obtained from the Association office in the Canterbury Community Centre, 2185 Arch Street, or from the Association's web site www.cca-acc.ca. Application forms may also be obtained from the Student Services Office at most high schools in the Alta Vista ward.
- An official transcript showing your high school academic record to date, and if necessary, a report card showing latest mid-term marks including second semester mid-term marks in semester schools.
- Proof of your application to an accredited post-secondary educational institution
- Three letters of reference, collectively covering your academic/athletic achievement and community involvement
- A one page essay (maximum 500 words) on the value of community involvement and leadership, and the role it has played in your life
- A covering letter outlining your interests and accomplishments and demonstrating involvement and participation in the community and (optionally) the school.

At a later date, award winners must provide proof of graduation from an Ottawa area high school; proof of acceptance and registration at an accredited educational institution, and a graduation or head/shoulder photo for publicity purposes.

CLOSING DATE AND FURTHER INFORMATION

Your completed application must be received by the Canterbury Community Association Scholarship Committee postmarked no later than May 20, 2010. For further information, please call 738-8998 and leave a message for the scholarship committee.

SELECTION OF WINNERS

The Evaluation Criteria in each category is given below:

If you are seeking an **ACADEMIC** scholarship, your application will be evaluated as follows:

- 70% for academic performance (grades) (See Below)
- 30% for participation in volunteer Community and School activities (See Below)

To qualify for an Academic scholarship, you must show that you have been involved in at least one organized sports activity at school or in the community over the past year.

If you are seeking an **ATHLETIC** scholarship, your application will be evaluated as follows:

- 70% for athletic performance (See Below)
- 30% for participation in volunteer Community and School activities (See Below)

To qualify for an Athletic scholarship, you must have a 70% average involving six (6) grade-12 credits

If you are applying for the **“Mark and Shanti Inman Community Service Scholarship”**, your application will be evaluated as follows:

- 80% for participation in volunteer Community and School activities (See Below)
- 20% for academic performance (grades) (See Below)

To qualify for this scholarship, you must have a 70% average involving six (6) grade-12 credits

Academic performance (grades)

- your best six grade-12 marks. In semester schools, a combination of your best six grade-12 (first semester) and mid-term (second semester) marks.

Athletic performance

- participation and excellence in one or more organized sports at the high school or community level.

Participation in volunteer Community and School Activities:

- The length of time and commitment to community and school activities is taken into account
- Participation in volunteer school activities is accepted, but volunteer community activity is given preference
- A leadership role in community and school activities will be given additional consideration.

Demonstrated leadership and voluntary community involvement in the local area are deciding factors that will be used in cases where finalists are otherwise judged to be evenly matched. Membership in the Canterbury Community Association will also be viewed favourably.

AWARDING OF SCHOLARSHIPS AND OBLIGATION OF WINNERS

Winners will be invited to attend the Association's Annual General Meeting to be held on June 17, 2010. Award winners must use their scholarship funds for educational purposes and may be requested to provide documentation of their achievements to the Association at the end of the academic year.

Please complete the application in point-form, starting with the most recent activity in each category . USE ADDITIONAL PAPER FOR YOUR LIST AND COMMENTS, IF REQUIRED.

ATHLETIC INVOLVEMENT (COMMUNITY AND SCHOOL)

Location/Team or Event	Activity/Coach	Dates/Duration	Comments

NOTE: If you are applying for an Academic scholarship, you only need to list one or ganized sports activity which could include coaching, lifeguard or equivalent for the past year .

VOLUNTEER COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Location/Organization	Description/Supervisor	Dates/Hours	Comments

VOLUNTEER SCHOOL INVOLVEMENT (SECONDARY SCHOOL ONLY)

Location/Organization	Supervisor	Dates/Hours	Comments

LEADERSHIP/INITIATIVE (COMMUNITY AND SCHOOL)

Location/Organization	Description/Supervisor	Dates/Duration	Comments

NOTE: Volunteer involvement does NOT include full-time or part-time paid employment, but could include the receipt of a small honorarium.

The Canterbury Community Association appreciates your interest in these awards.
