Student Name:



# Fall Awards Descriptions & Application Package

DEADLINE: SEPTEMBER 16, 2019



# PONOKA SECONDARY CAMPUS FALL AWARDS PROGRAM & APPLICATION FORM

#### **Our Fall Awards Program At A Glance**

Ponoka Secondary Campus has a very extensive awards program, due in part to the tremendous support from our community, industry and government. We normally have three award celebrations beginning with the *Grad Commencement Ceremony* on the first weekend in June, the *Athletic Banquet* in early June and concluding with the *Fall Awards Program* in October.

Student awards at PSC are classified as either academic awards or non-academic awards. <u>Academic Awards are awards based entirely on marks</u> and do not have to be applied for. Non-academic awards do however; require our awards committee to make a decision as to the best applicant. This decision is based on a combination of an applicant's scholastic, artistic, athletic, leadership and volunteer accomplishments. <u>Non-academic Award applications require the student to comment on their accomplishments based on the criteria for each award.</u>

Below you will find an explanation of what the committee will be looking for as they consider each application. Keep in mind that the awards committee is seeking the applicant that "best combines" these attributes. This means that being strong in one area will not necessarily make you the successful candidate.

# ACCOMPLISHMENTS & CONTRIBUTIONS General Guidelines

**PSC Academics**: The committee wants to know your academic strength.

• What is your academic average as it was calculated for a school certificate or honour pin. If you know your average, write it down. Honours are typically an average of 80%+ and certificates of achievement (75%+) based on courses completed at PSC. If you are unsure of your average, please see Mrs. Adcock for help prior to submitting your application, or log into **mypass.ca.** 

**PSC** Athletics: The committee wants to gain an appreciation for your athletic ability and the extent of your involvement in our programs.

- What sports have you been involved with? How many years have you competed in this sport`? What significant accomplishments have you achieved in each sport (eg. Personal bests? League, Zone or Provincial Champion)
- Other accomplishments? (team captain, all-star, etc.)

**PSC** "The Arts": The committee wants to gain an appreciation of your artistic abilities and to what extent you have been involved in PSC programs.

- How many years have you been a member of the drama club? How many drama classes have you taken? Did you have any leading roles?
- Other dramatic accomplishments?
- List your musical accomplishments? Are you a member of the school band; choral group; stage band? For how long?
- Other musical accomplishments?
- List your graphic arts accomplishments. How many art courses have you taken? Have you participated in the "Arts Night"?
- Other graphic arts accomplishments?

**PSC Leadership:** The committee wants to gain an appreciation of your leadership characteristics and how involved you are in leadership activities.

- At PSC we believe that student leaders actively enrich our school climate through their **direct participation** in school leadership activities. How involved are you? Have you been involved with student council and if so, for how long? Have you been involved with any sub-committees of student council and if so, for how long (assemblies, bulletin boards, citrus fruit, etc.)? Have you taken a leadership role on any clubs or teams? Have you helped out with any other school functions such as Terry Fox, Santa's Anonymous, grad, etc.
- Student leaders step forward when **volunteers** are needed. In addition to the committees you have been a part of, have you volunteered to help out on any other occasion (setting up chairs, cleaning-up after dances, putting away equipment, volunteering in your classes, etc.)?
- Student leaders are **respectful**, **responsible and cooperative**. Briefly explain how these character traits describe you.
  - 1. Being respectful would include things such as using appropriate language, dressing appropriately, listening without interrupting, etc.
  - 2. Being responsible would include such things as being punctual, doing your best on school assignments, following school policies, etc.
  - 3. Being cooperative would mean having a "positive attitude" and making a sincere effort to get along with others.

**Deserving Student:** The committee interprets the word "deserving" as follows:

- A very hard working student.
- A student that demonstrates many of the leadership traits described above.

Please keep in mind ... our Fall Awards Ceremony will be held in OCTOBER. It is our expectation in selecting you for these awards, that you will be in attendance at the Ceremony to accept your Scholarship/ Award. We ask that you mark this date on your calendar now.

# AWARD APPLICATION FORM DEADLINE: SEPTEMBER 16, 2019

Please Note: some awards have Specific Deadline Dates Return completed form and resume to Mrs. Adcock

Name:	<b>Grade:</b>
Future Intentions (upon graduation):	
College/University applied/accepted to (upon graduation):	
Grade 12's - Alternative Email address that is not Wolfcreek Email:	

### Non-Academic Awards that require resume submissions:

Check the appropriate box to indicate which Fall Awards you would like to apply for:

AWARD	DESCRIPTION	YES
1.	Calumet Synergy Association Award	
	SEPARATE APPLICATION - Deadline June 28/19 - Aug 31/19	
2.	Chamber of Commerce Award	
3.	Don Hoar Agricultural Scholarship	
4.	Lions Award, Grade 10	
5.	Halvar Jonson Scholarship	
	SEPARATE APPLICATION - Deadline Sept 1/19	
6.	Joan and Dunc Grant Scholarship	
	SEPARATE APPLICATION - Deadline Sept 15/19	
7.	Ladies Auxiliary Royal Canadian Legion Bursary	
	SEPARATE APPLICATION - Deadline Aug 31/19	
8.	Legacy Ford Scholarship in Memory of Ernie Plested	
9.	Louis Mah Scholarship	
10.	Ponoka Agricultural Society Scholarship	
	<b>SEPARATE APPLICATION - Deadline June 1/19</b>	
11.	Ponoka Hospital & Care Centre; Ladies Auxiliary Community Volunteer Award	
	SEPARATE APPLICATION - Deadline Sept 1/19	
12.	PSC Awards of Excellence; Grade 10 & 11	
13.	Royal Purple Award	
14.	Scott School Community Scholarship	
15.	Seafield Ladies Group – Grade 12 Award	
16.	St. Mary Anglican Church Award	
17.	Wolf Creek ATA Local No. 3 – Local Teachers Award	
18.	Wolf Creek Public Schools – Board Scholarship	
	SEPARATE APPLICATION - Deadline Sept 16/19	
19.	Wolf Creek Public Schools – CTS Award	
	SEPARATE APPLICATION - Deadline Sept 16/19	

#### Academic Awards

The following Fall Award recipients are chosen based upon final academic marks & attendance.

20.	PSC Grade 7, 8, & 9 Honors Certificates
21.	PSC Grade 10, 11 & 12 Honors Certificate
22.	PSC Perfect Attendance
23.	Canadian Legion English 30-2 Award
24.	Doug MacLeod Math Improvement Awards
25.	Dr. Mac & Olive Elofson Chemistry 30 Award
26.	Dr. Mac & Olive Elofson Nursing Award
27.	Governor General's Award
28.	Jean Martin Award in Mathematics and Athletics
29.	Kinsmen English 30-1 Award
30.	Loyal Order of the Moose Award
31.	Rowland, Parker and Associates Math 30 Award
32.	W.J. Hoar Memorial Award

CTS Awards

The following Fall Award recipients are nominated by Ponoka Secondary Campus' CTS teachers.

33.	Merit Contractors Association Scholarship
34.	PSC Art 10, 20 & 30 Awards
35.	PSC Drama 10, 20 & 30 Awards
36.	PSC Career and Technology Awards
	Mechanics 1 – Mechanics 2 – Mechanics 3
	Construction Tech 1 - Construction Tech 2 – Construction 3
	Fabrication 1 – Fabrication 2 – Fabrication 3
	Food Studies 1 – Food Studies 2 – Food Studies 3
37.	PSC In-Reach Award

Once you have checked off the awards or scholarships you would like to be considered for this fall, you must thoroughly complete the application process. This is important as the selection committee will be closely scrutinizing each applicant's package for the necessary criteria of each award or scholarship applied for. It is your job to make sure you provide the necessary evidence to meet the eligibility requirements of the awards you are applying for! If you don't meet the criteria you should not apply for it.

"A RESUME" of your accomplishments *must be created* as a significant part of this application package. Please refer to the "General Guidelines" given above to help assist you in creating a thorough picture of your accomplishments, attributes, and qualifications. You should focus on your academic achievements, school athletics, involvement in the arts (drama, music, art) at school, and your involvement in school leadership.

Please assist the Committee by giving us a detailed description of the volunteer work that you have done at the school and in the community. Be very specific and include: Volunteer Supervisor Name & Contact Information (i.e. telephone number) and as much detail as possible.

As well, you should indicate to what extent you may have be involved in any community-based activities...past or present (i.e. Dance, 4-H, hockey, swimming, golf, music etc). As a final piece to your application package you should provide the Committee with any further information that you feel the Committee should know about you in considering you for these awards. Again, please be very specific and provide as much detail as possible.

# PONOKA SECONDARY CAMPUS AWARDS DESCRIPTIONS

#### FALL AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIPS

Please note that the following awards and scholarships may be discontinued at anytime at the discretion of the sponsor.

## **Non-Academic Awards That Require Resume Submissions**

#### 1. Calumet Synergy Association Award

Presented to a student beginning in post-secondary studies who has made a positive and supportive contribution to this area.

#### SEPARATE APPLICATION - See Mrs. Adcock

**Deadline: June 28/19 - Aug 31/19 Award:** \$500.00 and Certificate

#### 2. Chamber of Commerce Award

Presented to a graduating student who demonstrates an entrepreneurial spirit in the pursuit of business.

Award: \$500.00 and Certificate

#### 3. Don Hoar Agricultural Scholarship

Presented to a graduating student pursuing post secondary education in an agricultural field. Consideration will be given to the candidate that is actively involved on the family farm and in the community.

Award: \$500.00 and Certificate

#### 4. Lions Award

Presented to a boy and girl at the Grade 10 level who has the highest academic standing and has made a significant contribution to the athletic program.

Award: Keepsake gift plus \$75.00 and Certificate

#### 5. Halvar Jonson Scholarship

Presented to a deserving graduate that is registered in a Bachelor of Education program. The Awards Committee will take into consideration academic strength and involvement in community service activities.

#### SEPARATE APPLICATION - See Mrs. Adcock

Deadline: Sept 1/19

Award: \$600.00 and Certificate

#### 6. Joan and Dunc Grant Scholarship

Presented to graduating students who have enrolled in post-secondary program of studies and who meet the following criteria:

- 1) have demonstrated a solid commitment to their studies in High School or in their post-secondary program (high academic standards will be considered but is not a requirement;
- 2) have been involved in school and community service activities for the benefit of others;
- 3) have shown a significant degree of self help in achieving their goals.

#### SEPARATE APPLICATION - See Mrs. Adcock

Deadline: Sept 15/19

**Award:** Amount to be determined and Certificate

#### 7. Ladies Auxiliary Royal Canadian Legion Bursary

Presented to a graduating student pursuing a post-secondary career and whose parents/grandparents have participated in the Canadian Armed Forces.

#### SEPARATE APPLICATION – See Mrs. Adcock

**Deadline:** Aug 31/19

Award: \$500.00 and Certificate

#### 8. Legacy Ford Scholarship in Memory of Ernie Plested

Presented to a deserving graduate that has been involved in high school rodeo or 4H for at least 2 years. The successful candidate will have been a good citizen in the school and community, involved in sports, be a strong academic student and must be pursuing post secondary training/education.

**Award:** \$500.00 and Certificate

#### 9. Louise Mah Scholarship

Presented to a Grade 10 or 11 student who was born outside of Canada or whose parents were both born outside of Canada who exhibits enthusiasm for learning, a positive attitude and community or school service. A student is eligible to receive the award only once.

Award: \$100.00 and Certificate

#### 10. Ponoka Agricultural Society Scholarship

Presented to two graduating students who are entering an apprenticeship program, or a trades program, or a post-secondary institution that supports and benefits Agriculture.

#### SEPARATE APPLICATION - See Mrs. Adcock

**Deadline: June 1/19** 

**Award:** \$500.00 and Certificate

#### 11. Ponoka Hospital and Care Centre - Ladies Auxiliary Community Volunteer Award

The successful applicant will be registered at time of application with a volunteer agency within the Ponoka & District area. Proof of acceptance to a post-secondary program in the field of health care, letter of references and a statement of intent is required.

#### SEPARATE APPLICATION - See Mrs. Adcock

Deadline: Sept 1/19

Award: \$500.00 and certificate

#### 12. PSC Awards of Excellence

Presented to the student in Grades 9, 10, and 11 for all around excellence. These students must meet the school's credit requirements and have best combined academics, athletics, leadership and the arts.

**PSC Grade 10 Award:** \$300.00 and Certificate **PSC Grade 11 Award:** \$500.00 and Certificate

#### 13. Royal Purple Award

Presented to a graduating student with the highest academic average in the required courses for entrance into the field of nursing or medical related field.

Award: \$1,000.00 plus Scroll

#### 14. Scott School Community Scholarship

Presented to a rural student at the Grade 9, 10 or 11 levels that has shown significant improvement in effort and attitude and is involved in school and or community activities.

Award: \$250.00 and Certificate

#### 15. Seafield Community Award

Presented to a graduating student who is deserving and outstanding in their citizenship and shown good improvement. Must be caring and helpful with other students. Preference given to students pursuing an agricultural related career. Not winning another award.

**Award:** \$300.00 and certificate

#### 16. St. Mary Anglican Church

Presented to a deserving graduate who has registered in a technical institute to further his/her training in an apprenticeship program and has shown initiative and commitment in their chosen field. Proof of registration in a training program required.

Award: \$500.00 and Certificate

#### 17. Wolf Creek ATA Local No. 3 - Local Teachers Award

Presented to a deserving graduate who is pursuing a career in post-secondary education related fields. Academic average will be a consideration.

Award: \$400.00 and Certificate

#### 18. Wolf Creek Public Schools - CTS Award

Presented to a deserving student pursing a post-secondary education but not qualifying for a Rutherford Scholarship **in their grade 12 year.** The winning candidate will be selected by the CTS department based on contributions to school affairs, personal attributes and community involvement

#### SEPARATE APPLICATION - See Mrs. Adcock

Award: \$300.00 and Certificate

#### 19. Wolf Creek Public Schools - High Board Scholarships

Presented to 6 deserving students who do not qualify for a Rutherford scholarship in their *Grade 12 year only* and plan to proceed with post-secondary education.

#### SEPARATE APPLICATION - See Mrs. Adcock

Award: \$300.00 and Certificate

## **Academic Awards**

These awards do not require an application

#### 20. Grade 7, 8, 9 Honor Certificate

Awarded to students with a minimum average of 80%, based on their program of studies.

Award: Certificate

#### 21. Grade 10, 11 & 12 Honor Certificate

Awarded to students with a minimum average of 80%, based on 35 credits, in their program of studies.

Award: Certificate

#### 22. PSC Perfect Attendance

Presented to the students at the Grade 9, 10, 11 and 12 levels who have perfect attendance.

Award: Gift and Certificate

#### 23. Canadian Legion English 30-2 Award

Presented to a graduating student with the highest blended mark in English 30-2.

Award: \$500.00 and Certificate

#### 24. Doug MacLeod Math Improvement Awards

Presented to one student in each Math 9, one student in a Math 10C/10-3 level and one student in a Math 20-1/20-2/20-3 level that has made the greatest percentage improvement from midterm to final mark.

Award: \$50.00 each and Certificate

#### 25. Dr. Mac & Olive Elofson Chemistry 30 Award

Presented to a graduating student with the highest blended mark in Chemistry 30.

Award: \$500.00 and Certificate

#### 26. Dr. Mac & Olive Elofson Nursing Award

Presented to a deserving student currently registered in a post-secondary nursing program. The successful candidate will have a strong academic average and will have demonstrated citizenship with the school.

Award: \$500.00 and certificate

#### 27. Governor General's Award

Presented to a graduating student with the highest academic average.

Award: Medallion

#### 28. Jean Martin Award in Mathematics and Athletics

Presented to a deserving graduate who best combines excellence in Math 30-1, Math 31 & athletics.

Award: \$1.000.00 and Certificate

#### 29. Kinsmen English 30-1 Award

Presented to a graduating student with the highest blended mark in English 30-1.

Award: \$500.00 and Certificate

#### 30. Loyal Order of Moose Award

Presented to a graduating student with the highest average in English 30-2 plus two 30 level courses. The student must not be receiving an award in another category.

**Award:** \$300.00 and Certificate

#### 31. Rowland, Parker & Associates Math 30 Award

Presented to a graduating student with the highest blended mark in Math 30.

**Award**: \$500.00 and Certificate

#### 32. W. J. Hoar Memorial Award

Presented to a graduating student with the highest blended average based on 15 credits in 30 level math and sciences. There must be a minimum of 5 credits in math and 5 credits in science.

Award: \$300.00 and Certificate

## **CTS Nominations**

#### 33. Merit Contractors Association Scholarship

Presented to the top building construction student for the school year.

Award: \$300.00 and Certificate

#### 34. PSC Art Awards

Presented to students at the Grade 9, 10, 11 and 12 levels who have a strong work ethic and are enthusiastic.

Award: Certificate

#### 35. PSC Drama Awards

Presented to students at the Grade 9, 10, 11 and 12 levels who have contributed greatly to the success of the BRONCS Drama program.

Award: Certificate

#### 36. Career & Technology Awards

These awards are presented to the students who have excelled in the career and technology pathway as selected by each Department Teacher.

- ~ *Mechanics 1 Mechanics 2 Mechanics 3*
- ~ Construction Tech 1 Construction Tech 2 Construction 3
- ~ Fabrication 1 Fabrication 2 Fabrication 3
- ~ Food Studies 1 Food Studies 2 Food Studies 3

**Award:** Certificate and Gift

#### 37. PSC In-Reach Award

Presented to a deserving student who excelled at our In-Reach programming model. Who also showed great dedication with achievement and attendance.

**Award:** \$50.00 and Certificate