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Wayne Ericksen Lions Memorial Scholarship

Wayne Ericksen farmed just outside of Vulcan for many years and was a valued member of the Lions Club of Vulcan. After Wayne's Passing, his family generously donated the use of 160 acres of land to the Lions Club. The Lions Club of Vulcan started the Wayne Ericksen Memorial Field, where each year, with the generous help from local farmers and donations from many different agriculture input and service companies, they plant, take care of, and harvest the field. The profits from this field then go towards numerous Lions projects and services in and around Vulcan. As a continued memorial to Wayne and thank-you to his family the Lions Club of Vulcan started the **Wayne Ericksen Lions Memorial Scholarship**, valued at **\$1000.00** as just one more way to give back to the community and its future.

This Scholarship is meant to support one eligible student each year. The recipient is not necessarily the top academic in any class, however, is a person who demonstrates a desire to further his/her education, whether it be at a university, college, trade or program to help them reach their chosen career path. There are no academic requirements, more so the general requirement to be a good person with a desire to further oneself in society and life and share this knowledge with others. The recipient should be someone who has demonstrated hard work, volunteerism, community spirit, and a desire to be a productive member of society.

Criteria:

Wayne Ericksen Lions Memorial Scholarship will be awarded each year to a student who:

1. Is a Grade 12 student in the year in which the award is being presented from CCHS Vulcan.
2. Has been accepted to a post secondary institution, trade or apprenticeship program, or a program directed to pre-employment education.
3. Has demonstrated in the years attending CCHS that he/she is someone who fits the heart and soul of the scholarships intent as outlined above.

This award will be chosen by the CCHS Awards Selection Committee. There will be no application process.

Deadline to award this scholarship will be **May 1st** of each graduating year.