

ATTENTION!!! SCHOLARSHIP ALERT

Ontario Tech University, Durham College, Trent University (Oshawa Campus)

January 7th, 2020

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

The Oshawa Folk Arts Council "The Fiesta People" invites submissions for its Annual Community Services Scholarship Awards for 2019/20. All Durham Region secondary school 2019 graduates who are presently enrolled in first year full-time programs, attending the Ontario Tech University, Trent University (Oshawa Campus), and Durham College are eligible to apply

The scholarship will consist of up to four (4) \$1,000.00 awards to be presented to successful applicants selected by the Scholarship Committee of the Council. The scholarship will recognize excellence by focusing on the student's **academic achievements, school involvement & contribution, personal interests** and, above all, **service to the community**. The Chair of the Scholarship committee must receive submissions no later than Friday March 27th, 2020 as noted below. No formal application form is to be completed. The Application package must include the following:

- A letter of application (cover letter) submitted by the applicant
- A resume outlining school level involvement and contributions, personal interests, service to the Community and other information deemed relevant by the applicant
- Official transcripts of all high school courses
- Two letters of reference that clarify in what capacity the writer knows the applicant, and explain why the writer thinks the applicant is worthy of a community service scholarship
- An essay on Arts and Culture: Enhancing the Canadian Identity, between 500 to 800 words
- Any other information that applicant may wish to provide as relevant to scholarship
- Evidence of full time enrollment at one of the above institutions

Please note that the decision of the Scholarship Committee will be final. Incomplete applications will not be considered. Only selected candidates will be notified. **The monetary awards will be presented to the selected candidates at the Annual Fiesta Week Queen's Court Ball on Saturday May 30th, 2020.**

The applicant by applying gives the O.F.A.C. permission to print and publish parts or all of any Essay's submitted.

PLEASE FORWARD COMPLETED APPLICATION PACKAGE TO: The Oshawa Folk Arts Council, P.O Box 342, Oshawa, Ontario L1H 7L3 NO LATER THAN FRIDAY March 27th, 2020.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact: Richard Davidson at (905) 728-7130 or 905 242-2313 or Czar Jovanovic at (905) 425-1268.