



**Kin Canada**  
*Association of Kinsmen and Kinettes*  
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## **MEDIA RELEASE**

### **45 Students Awarded Kin Canada Bursaries**

**CAMBRIDGE, ON, June 30, 2011** – Kinsmen, Kinette and Kin Clubs from across Canada are pleased to award 45 deserving students with \$1,000 bursaries from Kin Canada Bursaries, a program of the Hal Rogers Endowment Fund (HREF). The program has awarded over \$730,000 in bursaries since its inception in 1994.

Established in 1994 in memory of Hal Rogers, Kin Canada's founder, the bursaries are granted to assist students in their pursuit of a post-secondary education. The bursaries are supported by the annual fundraising efforts of Kin Canada clubs across the country.

This year, more than 700 applications were received from students across the country. Successful applicants were chosen based on their community and school involvement, knowledge of Kin Canada and financial need.

"The Hal Rogers Endowment Fund is proud to present 45 bursaries to students across Canada," said Wendy Rolfe, Chair of the HREF Board of Trustees. "The majority of our funding comes from Kin Canada clubs and we encourage all individuals and companies to consider donating to the HREF fund. Your gift, large or small, will have an impact on the lives of others for many years to come. It's a simple and practical way to invest in the future."

Kin Canada, the Association of Kinsmen, Kinette and Kin clubs, is the largest all-Canadian service club organization. Thousands of dedicated members belong to hundreds of clubs in communities across Canada. Kinsmen and Kinettes work tirelessly to make their communities and country a better place to live, through their promotion of service, fellowship, positive values and national pride.

For more information about Kin Canada Bursaries, visit [www.bursary.ca](http://www.bursary.ca). For more information about Kin Canada, visit [www.kincanada.ca](http://www.kincanada.ca).

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See the attached document for information on the Kin Canada bursary winner from your community.

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Wendy Rolfe  
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## 2011 Bursary Recipients (45) – listed alphabetically by city

Sponsoring Club	Bursary Recipient's Name	Recipient's City & Province
Belleville Kinette Club	Taylor Hyatt	Belleville, ON
Bolton Kinsmen Club	****Shelby Brier Clarke	Bolton, ON
Brampton-Bramalea Kinsmen Club	Ashton-Nicola Forrest	Brampton, ON
Broadview Kinette Club	Courtney Adams	Broadview, SK
Brooks Kinette Club	Xi (Lisa) Li	Brooks, AB
Milton & District Kinsmen Club	Chelsey Osborne	Burlington, ON
Calgary Kinette Club	Rebecca Donaldson	Calgary, AB
Cambridge (Preston) Kinsmen Inc. Club	Lindsay Izsak	Cambridge, ON
Conception Bay South Kinette Club	Lori O'Keefe	Conception Bay South, NL
Brooks Kinsmen Club	Leah Murphy	Duchess, AB
Duncan Kinsmen Club	Jacob Woike	Duncan, BC
Edmonton Kinette Club	Katherina Nguyen	Edmonton, AB
Edmonton Kinsmen Club	Malika Ladha	Edmonton, AB
Yorkton Kinsmen Club	Tiona L. Shire	Esterhazy, SK
Mayerthorpe Kinette Club	Danielle Penchuk	Fort Assiniboine, AB
Fort Erie Kinette Club	Kyla Flagg	Fort Erie, ON
Fort Erie Kinsmen Club	Caleigh Flagg	Fort Erie, ON
Gimli Kinsmen Club	** Jordan Smith	Gimli, MB
Windermere Valley Kinsmen Club	Myla Halverson	Invermere, BC
Ladysmith Kinsmen Club	Geordana Clint	Ladysmith, BC
Lloydminster Kinsmen Club	Sara Willman	Lloydminster, SK
Sackville (NS) Kinsmen Club	Katherine Bishop	Lower Sackville, NS
Margaree Kinette Club	April Crowley	Margaree Forks, NS
Meaford Kinette Club	Megan Weldrick	Meaford, ON
Milk River Kinette Club	David Swanson	Milk River, AB
Erin Mills Kinsmen Club	Muhammad Qureshi	Mississauga, ON
Moose Jaw Kinsmen Club	Siera L. Bearchell	Moose Jaw, SK
Bowmanville Kinsmen Club	Juliette Arsenault	Newcastle, ON
Oakville Kinette Club	Ahyoung Cho	Oakville, ON
Oakville Kinsmen Club	Jake Teufel	Oakville, ON
National Capital Kin Club	Leona Yiu	Ottawa, ON
Penticton Kinette Club	Justine Sawicz	Penticton, BC
Peterborough Kinsmen Club	Dalandrea Adams	Peterborough, ON
Pickering Kinsmen & Kinette Club	Gerald Emmons	Pickering, ON
Pilot Mound Kinsmen Club	Tyson Carter Burns	Pilot Mound, MB
Ponoka Kinette Club	*** Shealyn Reed	Ponoka, AB
Prince Albert Kinette Club	Lisa D. Brown	Prince Albert, SK
Prince George Kinsmen Club	Tracy Williams	Prince George, BC
Feversham & District Kinsmen Club	Janine Brown	Proton Station, ON
Liverpool Kinsmen Club	Katelyn Mansfield	Queens County, NS
Red Deer Kinsmen Club	Travis Chalmers	Red Deer, AB
Rosetown Kinsmen Club	Kalene Kammer	Rosetown, SK
Greater London Kinsmen Club	* Shannon Bailey Howe	Strathroy, ON
Juan De Fuca (Victoria) Kinette Club	Hilary Porter	Victoria, BC
Tillsonburg Kinsmen Club	Janna (Anneke) Schroder	Woodstock, ON

\* Kevin Denbok bursary for music studies, \*\* Winnipeg Kinsmen Jackpot Bingo Bursary, \*\*\* Bob Pittman Bursary for Business Studies, \*\*\*\*Diana Lyn McKenna Memorial Bursary