



MEDIA RELEASE

The Guelph Community Foundation awards 17 local students with \$25,800 in scholarships and bursaries

Guelph, Ontario – Wednesday July 7, 2021 – The Guelph Community Foundation and our fundholders are proud to announce our 2021 scholarship and bursary recipients.

These exceptional students are receiving grants setup by generous community fundholders to help local Guelph and Wellington County students achieve their goals. Many of these grants support students pursuing business, STEM related subjects, trades, athletics or those facing financial barriers. All this year’s recipients demonstrated curiosity, creativity, respect for others, their community and have shown tremendous potential.

Within these scholarship and bursary recipients are aspiring entrepreneurs, nurses, lawyers, and academics.

We sincerely thank our fundholders and anonymous donors who fund these scholarships and bursaries. They have taken the initiative to support youth through their philanthropic goals. The creation of these awards is often in memory of someone important to their family. Our fundholders believe it’s important to remove financial barriers to success and reward outstanding students who choose post-secondary education.

Financial barriers for students are high and on the rise. These scholarships, while a big help to 17 deserving students, only scratch the surface. If you are interested in learning more about how you or your family can create a scholarship or bursary or are looking at ways to support students in our community, please contact the Foundation at guelphcf.ca.

The Foundation’s volunteer Grants Committee in partnership with school administration helped to determine the following recipients.

Wellington Catholic School Board:

School Name	Scholarship Name	Award Winner	Amount Awarded
Bishop Macdonell Catholic High School	Angelo and Rina Longo Scholarship 2021	Dannielle Bergeron	\$500.00
Bishop Macdonell Catholic High School	Eric Goegan Scholarship Award 2021	Matthew Jansen	\$500.00
Bishop Macdonell Catholic High School	John A Hourigan Memorial Award 2021	Megan Lowe	\$200.00
Bishop Macdonell Catholic High School	Mary Phelan Scholarship 2021	Amber King	\$1,000.00
Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic High School	Angelo and Rina Longo Scholarship 2021	Neil Redmond	\$500.00



Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic High School	Frank Taylor Bursary 2021	Daian Deres	\$200.00
Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic High School	Iolanda Maugeri Hall Business Education Bursary 2021	Cathy Le	\$3,500.00
Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic High School	John A Hourigan Memorial Award 2021	Ruby Joseph	\$200.00
Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic High School	SmithValeriotte Education Bursary 2021	Danayt Hibtzghi	\$5,000.00
St. James Catholic High School	Angelo and Rina Longo Scholarship 2021	Mia Valeriotte	\$500.00
St. James Catholic High School	John A Hourigan Memorial Award 2021	Lauren Hoffman	\$200.00
St. John Bosco Secondary School	SmithValeriotte Education Bursary 2021	Mathew Chicago	\$5,000.00
St. John Bosco Secondary School	SmithValeriotte Education Bursary 2021	Sharlie Stahlbaum	\$5,000.00

Upper Grand District School Board:

School Name	Scholarship	Award Winner	Amount Awarded
Centennial Collegiate Vocational Institute	Class of '71 Kathryn Winegard Memorial Scholarship 2021	Andrew Dong	\$500.00
Centre Wellington District High School	Mabel Anne Brouwer Scholarship Fund - Women in STEM Scholarship 2021	Abigail (Abby) Liebrecht	\$1,000.00
Guelph Collegiate Vocational Institute	Bruce Graham Memorial Fund - Women in STEM Scholarship 2021	Natalie Tu	\$1,000.00
Norwell District Secondary School	Bruce Graham Memorial Fund - Women in STEM Scholarship 2021	Enya Kelly	\$1,000.00

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