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Doris MacPherson- Caseley Memorial Scholarship Established at UPEI

Island high school students entering the Bachelor of Arts program at the University of Prince Edward Island (UPEI) this fall will have access to a new award. Through an endowment of \$50,000, this perpetual award has been created as a tribute to the memory of Doris MacPherson-Caseley, formerly of Kelvin Grove.

Her family believes that assisting someone to obtain an education is an ideal way to honour their mother who always stressed its importance. She inherited the high value she placed on education from her paternal grandmother, a schoolteacher in the 1880s when rural female teachers were a rarity. Doris MacPherson-Caseley passed away in August 2004.

"Creating an award in our mother's name recognizes her beautiful character and her conviction that young people should be encouraged to reach their full potential," says Doris MacPherson-Caseley's daughter, Sheila Caseley.

Dr. Richard Kurial, Dean of Arts at UPEI, is delighted with the new scholarship. "To have a legacy that captures and expresses a life-long commitment to learning, and the joys inherent therein, is truly a great gift. We at UPEI are very grateful for this wonderful scholarship."

The first Doris MacPherson Caseley Memorial Scholarship of \$2,500 will be awarded in June 2005 to a PEI high school student entering the Bachelor of Arts program at UPEI with sound academic standing and financial need. Applications are available through guidance counsellors or the UPEI Registrar's Office at 566-0358. The deadline is April 30, 2005.

The UPEI Student Union and UPEI Alumni Association Leadership Awards 2005

The UPEI Alumni Association and the UPEI Student Union have joined together to establish annual \$600 awards for UPEI students who, through demonstrated leadership and volunteerism, have contributed to the betterment of University life and are committed to enhancing student experiences at UPEI. The award funds are raised at the Annual Winter Banquet.

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Awards of \$600 will be given to full-time returning student, in good academic standing who demonstrate leadership in University life including, but not limited to, university clubs, Student Union, residence assistants, athletics, tutoring, peer support, or other activities. Financial need is a more important consideration than academic results. Recipients may be granted the award in more than one year.

APPLICATION GUIDELINES

1. A person can be nominated by at least two other members of the UPEI community, including a brief statement about why the student deserves the bursary. It would include reasons why the nominee, through leadership and volunteering, demonstrated dedication to the betterment of University life and commitment to enhancing student experience at UPEI, deserves the bursary. The nominee should be advised by the nominators that his or her name is being put forward, and submit a confidential statement of financial commitments and resources (on the Registrar's Office Scholarship and Bursary application form) before the deadline.
2. Student can apply with a brief essay, no more than one page, outlining their leadership and volunteer experiences as well as a CV, including two on-campus references whom the selection committee may contact. Student must also complete the Registrar's Office Scholarship and Bursary application form, including the statement of financial commitments and resources.

SELECTION

The recipients will be recommended by a special committee of the UPEI Student Union and the UPEI Alumni association, to the Chair of the UPEI Admissions, Degree and Scholarship Committee for confirmation. The bursaries will be deposited to the student's UPEI account in May.

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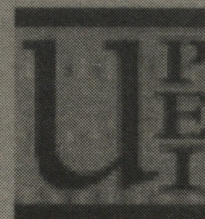
Monday, April 8th, 2005 at 4 pm.

Applications can be dropped off at the Student Union reception desk in the WA Murphy Student Centre during offices hours.

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