



Who May Apply

- Must be pursuing a career in Public Emergency Services, Fire or EMS, for employment in Northwestern Alberta.
- Accepted into or attending an Accredited post-secondary institution.
- Must live in or be from Northwestern Alberta.
- Must demonstrate financial need.
- Must be at least 18 years of age.

How to Apply

Complete Application Form on reverse or contact 780-538-1253 for more information

Provide supporting documents including:

- Resume
- Three character references (At least one personal & one career)
- Cover letter stating why you should be considered for the bursary
- Career investigation report (One page)

Application Deadline:

June 30, each year



THE TROY DRYSDALE MEMORIAL BURSARY was established to accomplish two meaningful goals. First to create a memorial legacy for Troy Drysdale that reflects his dreams and ambitions. Second to create an opportunity for other young people from Northwestern Alberta to realize their dreams through financial aid.

Troy was a 21 year old student in pursuit of his career in the Emergency Service Technician program at the Alberta Fire Training School in Vermilion, AB. As a result of a dirt bike accident, Troy's life suddenly ended in June 2001. Troy was a personable young man who was involved with the Grovedale Volunteer Fire Department, and had many plans for his future. His spare time was spent either on a snowmobile or a dirt bike. Troy loved to help people and so we are continuing to help people in his name with this bursary.

A quote from one of Troy's fire school assignments:

"There are millions of people who want in to the emergency services field. However I have a few qualities which I believe are an asset for the field. I have a good personality and attitude. I am always looking for the good side of the situation and the good side of people."

I always try to be in a happy mood and I believe in living life to the fullest. If you can't have a good time then what good is time. Having a positive attitude is a key factor in my mind. So far emergency services has been more then what I expected and I love it. Emergency Services helps you enjoy everyday for just that, everyday. When you see what can be taken from you, you enjoy what you have."

- Troy Drysdale

There will be a number of bursaries awarded up to a maximum of \$5000.00 each. Interviews may be required.

Troy Drysdale Memorial Emergency Services Bursary Application Form

CONTACT INFORMATION	
Last Name	
Given Name	
Apartment or Box Number	Street Address
City	Telephone (780)
CONTACT INFORMATION	
Have you lived in Alberta all your life? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No, Since: _____	
Have you received previous Northern Alberta Development Council Bursary support? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION	
Name of Post-Secondary Institution	
City/Town of Institution	
Program Enrolled in (be specific)	
Program Type <input type="checkbox"/> EMR <input type="checkbox"/> EMT <input type="checkbox"/> EMT-P <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER	
Dates I will attend school	
From: _____ To: _____	
ANNUAL EXPENSES	
Tuition	
Fees	
Books/Supplies/Instruments	
Total Annual Education Expenses	
OTHER RESOURCES	
Savings when you start school	
Other funding, grants or scholarships	
List	
Total Other Resources	

Complete the Bursary Application Form, provide supporting documents including resume, three character references (at least 1 personal & 1 career), cover letter, and career investigation report, and mail to:

TROY DRYSDALE MEMORIAL EMERGENCY SERVICES BURSARY

c/o Regional EMS Foundation
 Mail: Suite 2013, #3, 9899-112 Ave
 Grande Prairie, AB T8V 7T2
 In Person: Grande Prairie EMS Station
 10710-97 Street
 Grande Prairie, Alberta