



Subject: *Selection of Presenters - Dr. James T. Snow Bursary & Leadership Awards - 2024*
To: Corporate & Residential Services Committee
Date Prepared: May 16, 2024
Related Motions: N/A
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Summary

Council awards \$1,000 for the Dr. James T. Snow Bursary annually to a recipient at each of the following schools:

- Hants East Rural High School
- Avon View High School
- Hants North Rural High School

Traditionally, a member of Council attends the graduation ceremony to make the presentation on behalf of Council, excluding years when events were cancelled or held virtually due to the Covid pandemic. Council presenters for recent Dr. JT Snow Bursary presentations were:

- Hants East Rural High School
 - Councillor Tom Isenor (2023)
 - Councillor Sandra Garden-Cole (2022)
 - No presenters in 2020 or 2021
- Avon View High School
 - No presenters required since 2019
 - Councillor Elie Moussa (2018 & 2019)
- Hants North Rural High School
 - Councillor Wayne Greene (2023)
 - Councillor Keith Rhyno (2022)
 - No presenters in 2020 or 2021
 - Warden Eleanor Roulston (2019)

As well, a member of Council is asked to present the Leadership Awards to recipients at the following schools:

- Hants North Rural High School
- Riverside Education Centre
- Uniacke District School

Staff have heard back from the schools and they have not set dates yet for their Leadership Awards Ceremony but mentioned they have meetings this month to start planning. They are hoping to know more soon and will let us know.

Financial Impact Statement

\$3,000 approved budget - Dr. JT Snow Bursary
\$500 approved budget - Youth Leadership

Recommendation

Staff recommends that Council select presenters for the Dr. JT Snow Bursary awards and Leadership Awards.

Recommended Motion

Move that the Corporate & Residential Services Committee recommends to Council that Council appoint the following presenters for the 2024 Dr. JT Snow Bursary awards:

- *Hants East Rural High - Councillor*
- *Avon View High School - Councillor*
- *Hants North Rural High School - Councillor*

And that, Council also appoints the following presenters for the 2024 Leadership Awards or staff may make the presentation on behalf of Council:

- *Hants North Rural High School - Councillor*
- *Riverside Education Centre - Councillor*
- *Uniacke District School - Councillor*

Background

Dates of Graduation Events for Dr. JT Snow Bursary Awards:

School	Location	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Hants East Rural High School	Milford	June 29 Covid - no presenter	June 29 Covid - no presenter	June 29 Sandra Garden-Cole	June 29, 2023 3:00PM - 5:00PM Tom Isenor	June 27, 2024 3:00PM-5:00PM
Avon View High School	Windsor	June 29 Covid - no presenter	June 29 Covid - no presenter	June 29 no presenter ("Drive By" Ceremony)	June 29, no presenter	June 27, 2024 10AM-12PM
Hants North Rural High	Kennetcook	June 29 Covid - no presenter	June 29 Covid - no presenter	June 28 Keith Rhyno	June 28, 2023 11:00AM - 12:30PM Wayne Greene	June 26, 2024 6:00PM-8:00-PM

Dates and Times for presentation of Leadership Awards:

School	Location	2024
Hants North Rural High School	Kennetcook	June 11, 2024, at 6:30 pm
Riverside Education Centre	Milford	TBD
Uniacke District School	Mt. Uniacke	June 24, 2024, at 1:00 pm

Alternatives

As directed by Committee.

Recommendation

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