



# MANITOBA BEEF PRODUCERS

## 2023-24 Scholarship Intake

Manitoba Beef Producers is pleased to make available six \$1,000 scholarships annually for MBP members or their children attending a university, college, other post-secondary institution or pursuing trades training. *Preference will be given to those students pursuing a field of study related to agriculture or to those acquiring a skilled trade or pursuing a career that would be beneficial to the rural economy.*

**This application process is for students who will be undertaking post-secondary studies or trades training in the 2023-24 academic year. The deadline to apply is 4:30 p.m. on Friday, June 23, 2023.**

### **The scholarship criteria are as follows:**

#### **Eligibility:**

- Must be an active Manitoba beef producer or the child of an active Manitoba beef producer. **Note:** *This can also include active beef producers returning to school after a period of time in the workforce.*
- Must be pursuing post-secondary studies or trades training in the 2023-24 academic year.
- Post-secondary programs or trades training must be a minimum of one academic year in duration.

#### **Items You Are Required to Submit:**

- The completed application form;
- Either a typed 600-word (maximum) essay **OR** a 5-7 minute maximum video submission discussing the topic *“What the beef industry means to my family, my community and Manitoba.”* Also, you need to identify in the essay or video the reasons you enjoy being involved in agriculture\*;
- A copy of your transcript (either high school, or a recognized college, university or trade school);
- Proof of enrolment in a recognized institution (current transcript, or your acceptance letter, or a letter of intent indicating your intended institution and field of study for 2023-24);
- A list of your community involvement (e.g. 4-H, community clubs, volunteer work, etc.); and,
- The names of two references, including their addresses and telephone numbers.

**\*Note:** Scholarship winners’ essays or video submissions will be published in Manitoba Beef Producers’ newspaper *Cattle Country* in February 2024 or posted to MBP’s social media channels and website.

**The completed application, all supporting documents, references, required essay or video, etc. must be submitted to MBP no later than 4:30 p.m. Friday, June 23, 2023 to the attention of:**

Manitoba Beef Producers Scholarship Committee  
220 – 530 Century Street  
Winnipeg MB R3H 0Y4  
E-mail: [info@mbbeef.ca](mailto:info@mbbeef.ca)  
Fax: (204) 774-3264

For more information, *including steps on how to submit your video*, please contact Manitoba Beef Producers at 1-800-772-0458 or email [info@mbbeef.ca](mailto:info@mbbeef.ca). A selection committee will review the submissions. **Winners will be notified by September 11, 2023.**



# MBP 2023-24 Academic Year SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

**PLEASE PRINT**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Parents' names if you are under 18: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a beef producer? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you the child of a beef producer? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, what is their name(s)? \_\_\_\_\_

Current institute of enrolment: \_\_\_\_\_

Institute and your intended program of post-secondary study or skilled trades training in 2023-24: \_\_\_\_\_

Duration of post-secondary program or skilled trades training: \_\_\_\_\_ year (s)

**Essay or Short Video Submission Requirement:** Please submit either a typed 600-word (*maximum*) essay\* **OR** a 5-7 minute video on the topic "*What the beef industry means to my family, my community, and Manitoba.*" Also include the reasons you enjoy being involved in agriculture. No preference will be given to either option.

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Please return the following: completed application form; typed essay or video submission; a copy of your transcript; proof of enrolment in a recognized institution or an apprenticeship program (current transcript, letter of acceptance, or a letter of intent to pursue further studies); a list of your community involvement; and, your references **no later than 4:30 p.m., Friday, June 23, 2023** to the attention of:

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