

Knights of Columbus (B.C.) Charity Foundation

Bishop Thomas J. Lobsinger, OMI Memorial Bursary Program



2017 General Information and Terms of Reference

GENERAL INFORMATION

A. The 2017 bursary year begins January 1, 2017. No applications will be accepted or processed before this date.

B. Any interested and qualified student must write to the State Bursary Chairman, at the following address, to request a bursary application form:

Dale Hofer,
State Bursary Chairman
2300 Teal Place
Vernon, BC, V1H 1R1

All applications are numbered and tracked; no photocopied applications will be accepted. No one other than the student may request an application.

C. Completed applications, including a short personal resume must be received by the Bursary Chairman on or before June 30, 2017 to be considered for the 2017 bursary program.

D. The terms of reference listed are general guidelines only. The Foundation President may, at his discretion, award bursaries based upon special circumstances or needs.

E. Thirty (30) bursaries valued at \$500.00 each are available.

TERMS OF REFERENCE

1. The Bishop Thomas J. Lobsinger Bursary is available to all Catholic students residing in the province of British Columbia, Canada.
2. Receipt of a bursary from the Foundation in any prior year disqualifies the applicant.
3. The deadline for receipt of completed applications is June 30, immediately preceding the academic year. (Note: Bursary applications must be completed and received by June 30, but can be applied for after January 1, 2017).
4. Applicants must be enrolling in the second or subsequent year of higher education at any legally recognized institute of higher learning, beyond the secondary school level in British Columbia, Canada.
5. Proof for the September 2017 registration, in the form of a tuition receipt from a university or other recognized institute of higher learning, will be required by the State Bursary Chairman from successful applicants **before bursary cheques** can be issued.
6. Bursaries are tenable at any legally recognized educational institute of higher learning, beyond the secondary level in British Columbia, Canada.
7. Applicants must be under the age of twenty-five as of the application deadline.
8. Applicants who demonstrate a financial need may receive primary consideration.
9. The signature of the your sponsoring Parish Priest (parish where you are registered as a parishioner) must be on the application form.
10. Successful candidates will be notified by the State Bursary Chairman before the fifteenth (15th) of August of that same year.
11. Applications will be sent only to students who apply in writing to the State Bursary Chairman. Completed applications, **along with a short personal resume** and **Baptism certificate**, must be returned by June 30.

Dale Hofer
State Bursary Chairman