

## 2022 Predators Scholarship Application

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

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Position: \_\_\_\_\_



University/College or Program enrolled for the Fall of 2022:  
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Read this application fully prior to submitting a completed application. I wish to apply for the following scholarship:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Eric Usjak Memorial Scholarship     | Amount \$400 (approx)  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Brandon Nickel Memorial Scholarship | Amount: \$400 (approx) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Kyle Griffiths Memorial Scholarship | Amount \$400 (approx)  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Kathy Mason Founders Award          | Amount \$400 (approx)  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Waterloo Region Predator Award      | Amount \$400 (approx)  |

- I have read the requirements for the four available scholarships. I understand that I may only apply for more than one scholarship. The winner of each scholarship will be selected and awarded at the Predators Banquet on Sunday, August 21, 2022. You are encouraged to attend the banquet if you have submitted an application.
- My registration fee for the 2022 season has been paid in full.
- I have included an essay that addresses why I am an eligible recipient for the scholarship to which I have applied for and the criteria listed within each award for this year. I also understand the essays become the property of Waterloo Region Football. Essays are due Monday, August 8, 2022. Applications and essays received after this date and time will not qualify.

*A copy of the application and essay are to be submitted to Shelley Hillier via e-mail [shelley.hillier@waterlooregionfootball.com](mailto:shelley.hillier@waterlooregionfootball.com)*

*Disclaimer: Outside of naming the award winners of each scholarship given by Waterloo Region Minor Football, all decisions are confidential and final.*

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### **Eric Usjak Memorial Scholarship**

The Eric Usjak Memorial scholarship is awarded in the memory of former Predator Erik Usjak to a predator player who exhibits the following criteria;

- is eligible and has applied to a community college, university or apprenticeship program for the 2022 school year;
- demonstrates outstanding community service with preference given to work with the Canadian Mental Health Association or one of its affiliates;
- demonstrates compassion, empathy on and off the football field.

### **Brandon Nickel Memorial Scholarship**

The Brandon Nickel Memorial scholarship is awarded in the memory of former Predator Brandon Nickel to the predator player who exhibits the following criteria;

- is eligible and has applied to a community college, university or apprenticeship program for the 2022 school year;
- demonstrates the importance of morals and values consistent with a respected member of our community and exemplifies these qualities in their daily life;
- demonstrates outstanding community service;
- demonstrates a true love for football and a dedication to the Predators program

### **Kyle Griffiths Memorial Scholarship**

The Kyle Griffiths Memorial scholarship is awarded in the memory of former Predator Kyle Griffiths to a predator player who exhibits the following criteria;

- is eligible and has applied to a community college, university or apprenticeship program for the 2022 school year;
- demonstrates outstanding community service with preference given to work with the Children's organizations;
- demonstrates compassion, empathy on and off the football field;
- preference will be given to an offensive or defensive linemen;
- demonstrates his/her commitment to the Predator Program and displays exemplary dedication through his/her attendance at practices, games and other functions;

### **The Kathy Mason Founders Scholarship**

The Kathy Mason Founders scholarship is awarded to the predator player who exhibits the following criteria;

- is eligible and has applied to a community college, university or apprenticeship program for the 2022 school year;
- demonstrates leadership and excellence both on and off the field;
- demonstrates a true love for football and a dedication to the Predators program

- demonstrates altruistic qualities; puts the Predator Team's, fellow players and coaches needs before their own needs.

### **The Waterloo Region Predator Award**

The Waterloo Region Predator award is presented to the Predator player who exhibits the following criteria:

- is eligible and has applied to a community college, university or apprenticeship program for the 2022 school year;
- demonstrates excellent athletic abilities and football skills;
- demonstrates that they are a team member supportive of fellow players, coaches, parents and Waterloo Region Football Executive;
- displays respect for themselves and others in a manner that is exemplary to others;
- demonstrates his/her commitment to the Predator Program and displays exemplary dedication through his/her attendance at practices, games and other functions.

Essays need to include the player's name, address and scholarship being applied and must appear at the top of the page. Essays should not exceed 2000 words.

**Please remember to submit the scholarship application and your essay to Shelley at [shelley.hillier@waterlooregionfootball.com](mailto:shelley.hillier@waterlooregionfootball.com) before August 8, 2022**