## **Spruce View and District Lions Club Scholarship**

The Spruce View and District Lions Scholarship is awarded annually to a Grad 12 student who best reflects and lives a life that is based on the character and philosophy that Lions world-wide are known for: Integrity, Compassion, and Understanding. The chosen student is to be recognized as an individual of honesty and integrity.

The Spruce View and District Lions Club Scholarship is aimed at honoring a graduating student who makes a strong commitment to helping others on a volunteer basis throughout his or her high school years.

The Spruce View and District Lions Club will award \$1000.00 per year in total scholarships given to one or shared by two Spruce View and District graduating grade twelve students that meet the following criteria.

## Who can apply?

Any Spruce View and District graduating grade twelve student who has been successfully accepted at a post secondary school, or institute and is graduating in the current school year.

## What the applying student needs to provide to be considered:

- A one page self- written Letter of Request expressing why they feel they are deserving of this scholarship.
- Confirmation of admission to a post secondary school or institution.
- Academic Report from the Alberta School Board or Spruce View and District school, showing courses taken and marks received.
- Letters of Recommendation at least two and no more than four, that detail the following:
  - Character;
  - Leadership roles within the school;
  - Involvement in extra-curricular activities at school;
  - Involvement in organizations in the community at large;
  - Work experience;
  - Special interests and hobbies
- Resume outlining work experience and volunteer Experience.

## How the successful student is selected.

Having met the above criteria, the Spruce View and District Lions Club will award the scholarship to the student (s) who best demonstrate a commitment to humanitarian causes and exhibits the Lions service oriented philosophy by:

- 1. Demonstrating the spirit of active volunteerism in his or her school;
- 2. Demonstrating leadership qualities;
- 3. Possessing a strong commitment to his or her community through service work, for youth groups, senior citizens, or non-profit organizations.

"For sharing school spirit, furthering one's education, and demonstrating an individual's commitment in helping people in Spruce View and the surrounding area; the Spruce View and District Lions Club would like to recognize an outstanding Grade 12 student(s) who shows their dedication to serving others, which ultimately reflect the Lions goal of leaving a Lasting Legacy in our community."