

# Sasamat Volunteer Firefighters Association



## 2024 Award / Bursary



To all Anmore & Belcarra Grade 12 Students

Amount of Award / Bursary: \$750

### Criterion:

- Must be a Resident of Anmore / Belcarra
- Available to Graduating Students entering a Post Secondary Education program in the field of :  
Fire / Police / Public Safety / Medical / Health-Care / Dental / Military / Social Services /
- Students will need to provide proof of enrollment in a post-secondary program within one year
- 750 – 1,000 word essay on the topic: **“Why volunteering is important in my community”**
- Reference(s) detailing volunteer work hours completed
- 2 Letters of Reference from non-family members (detailing volunteer work hours completed)

### Prompt: “Why is volunteering important in my community?”

- By community, we are referring to where you live (e.g. Anmore or Belcarra), your school, community, faith community, team/club community and/or other communities you belong to
- Describe *your* “community”

You may choose to use the following prompts to elaborate your response:

- What was your role?
- What volunteer service did you do?
- What were your responsibilities? What did you accomplish?
- How many hours did you serve?
- Upon reflection, what did you learn from your experience? In what ways has this experience influenced your future direction?
- What program are you planning on studying? How will your community service assist you?

Feel free to add any additional information to make your answer more complete.

**Important items to remember:**

Reference letters must accompany application and include contact details for your references.

**All applications to be completed and submitted no later than August 7th, 2024**

- Heritage Woods Students can return completed applications to their Career Centre before deadline for pick up by SVFA or you can also return completed applications to your respective Village Hall ( Anmore or Belcarra ) before the deadline.

**Contact and Additional information is available at :**

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