

Roy Charles Scholarship - \$6000 – Sponsored by Crusader Alumni: Teammates and Friends of Roy Charles

Background (Who Was Roy Charles)

Roy Charles grew up in Lac La Ronge but moved to Prince Albert and attended Riverside and then Carlton schools. He was an exceptional athlete who combined size, strength and work ethic to become a force in football, basketball, wrestling and track. In 1988-1991, Roy played an intergral role in Carlton's provincial basketball championships. Roy received a football scholarship and played football in the American college system before returning home to northern Saskatchewan. Unfortunately, Roy passed away at a relatively young age. In his honor, his teammates decided to create this scholarship for this extraordinary individual who overcame many socio-economic obstacles to become one of the province's most recognized athletes of his era.

Scholarship Criteria

- Grade 12 Carlton student
- First Nations, Metis or Inuit Ancestry
- Post-Secondary Acceptance
- Involved in Extra Curricular Activities
- Possesses Roy's qualities of industriousness, enthusiasm and persistence and overcoming adversity/challenges in life

What Needs to Be Submitted As Part of Application

- Personal/Expository essay which outlines what it means to be industrious, enthusiastic, persistent, resilience over adversity how these four words are part of who they are including examples and why these are important qualities to have (7 paragraphs)
- One letter of reference from coaches/club advisors which highlight your extra-curricular involvement and what you brought to the team/group
- A second letter of reference from a teacher, community member etc that discusses your industrious, enthusiastic, persistent and resilience over adversity.
- Proof of Ancestry
- Proof of Acceptance from Post- Secondary Institution

All parts of the application are to be emailed to Mrs. Kraus (rkraus@srsd119.ca) before April 29/22

The successful recipient will be notified in May.