



Ten 4-H Members Awarded Agricultural Scholarship

TD 4-H Agriculture Scholarship Awards \$25,000 across Canada in 2011

Toronto, November 2, 2011 – The Canadian 4-H Council and TD announced today the ten recipients of the 2011 TD 4-H Agricultural Scholarship, each worth \$ 2,500 towards a post-secondary education in agriculture or agricultural related field of study.

“We are very pleased to be offering this scholarship with the help and support of TD,” said Rob Black, president of the Canadian 4-H Council. “This scholarship helps 4-H youth further their studies, and ultimately become leaders in the agricultural industry.”

The following 4-H youth will receive the 2011 TD 4-H Agriculture Scholarship:

- British Columbia - Alison Speller, Monte Lake
- Alberta - Lorraine Hart, Medicine Hat
- Saskatchewan - Erica Friesen, Rosetown
- Manitoba - Logan Pizzey, Binscarth
- Ontario - Julia Romagnoli, Smithville
- Quebec - Melissa Duncan, Ormstown
- New Brunswick - Josie Colpitts, Stoney Creek
- Prince Edward Island - Kaylin Buttimer, New Glasgow
- Nova Scotia - Morgan McNeil, Hantsport
- Newfoundland - Erin Kehoe, St. John’s

“The agricultural industry is vital to Canada, and TD is proud to offer scholarships to its next generation of leaders,” said Craig Bremner, VP, Agriculture Services, TD Canada Trust. “We wish them success in their studies and look forward to their contributions to the field.”

The TD 4-H Agriculture Scholarships are open to all active 4-H members over the age of 16. Applicants with the highest academic average are selected as recipients. Previous scholarship recipients have gone on to study in the fields of veterinary medicine, engineering, agriculture and bio-chemistry.

About 4-H

4-H is one of Canada's longest running youth organizations. Since 1913, 4-H youth have pledged their Head, Heart, Hands and Health to their 4-H club, their community, and their country. Today, more than 26,000 4-H youth, and more than 8,400 volunteer leaders help 4-H members "Learn to do by Doing." The Canadian 4-H Council began in 1933 to oversee all 4-H activities across Canada.

TD Community Giving: Making a Difference Together

Children's health, literacy and education, and the environment are the three main areas of focus for TD's community giving. Flagship programs within these areas include: TD Children's Hospital Fund; TD Friends of the Environment Foundation; TD Canadian Children's Book Week; TD Canada Trust Scholarships for Community Leadership; and the TD Summer Reading Club. With support from customers and employees, TD is involved with a host of national, regional and local causes benefiting diversity, arts and culture and other community programs. In 2010, TD donated \$38.4 million to more than 2,500 organizations across Canada.

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