

Clapp Conservation Award



The Clapp Conservation Award honours the remarkable efforts of Diane and Harold Clapp, founding members and long-time volunteers who have led by example in building MTRI. The purpose of this award is to encourage and build youth capacity for conservation in southwestern Nova Scotia. MTRI is a non-profit co-operative with a mandate to promote sustainable use of natural resources and biodiversity conservation in the Southwest Nova Biosphere Reserve and beyond through research, education, and the operation of a field station.

Eligibility

There will be two bursaries available; one for a high school graduate considering further studies, and the other to an undergraduate student continuing his/her post-secondary training. Applicants must reside in southwestern Nova Scotia (7 western counties) and must be pursuing a career in nature conservation.

Requirements

1. Describe an outdoor volunteer project relating to nature conservation in an essay or video format (maximum 2 pages including photo(s) for essay or 3 minute video).
2. Provide a resume highlighting interest in nature conservation, including two references.
3. Provide a letter of reference about your project (#1) and your career plans.
4. Provide a current transcript (does not need to be official).

Amount

Two awards at \$500 each.

Time line

The deadline for the Mersey Tobeatic Research Institute's Clapp Conservation Award is 5pm June 3rd each year. Awards will be presented at MTRI's Annual BBQ.

Contact

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