

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF EVANTUREL JACK BRIGGS MEMORIAL AWARD

Jack Briggs, Reeve of the Township of Evanturel passed away April 15, 2014. Mr. Briggs held his post as Reeve for the Township of Evanturel for 11 years. He also held the position of Councillor between the years 1985-1997 for Evanturel Municipal Council.

As a leader, Jack was strong, resilient and had commitment; he sat as presiding officer for 11 years in the same chair through two battles with cancer.

He was passionate about farming and the community, and he always responded to staff and the residents of the Municipality. Jack had confidence in the staff and did not interfere with the operation, but rather guided. He was hands on and pitched in on projects where needed.

In a team environment, he embraced innovation and new strategies which showed support and encouragement of growth and forward thinking. During his service he was involved with the Englehart & Area Fire Board, the Planning Board, and various committees and events; along with the operation of a dairy farm.

In recognition of his many years of service and dedication as both Councillor and Reeve we wish to honour his memory and pay tribute by dedicating an annual bursary for a student graduating from a secondary school in our area that has contributed socially, culturally, or civically and has proven leadership skills and is a team player and/or a student that will be participating in an agriculture program at a post-secondary institution.

The Corporation of the Township of Evanturel invites students to apply for the Jack Briggs Memorial Award as follows:

- Applications will be accepted in short letter format detailing why the applicant should be considered for this award;
- The application must include one letter of reference from a teacher;
- The information should be sent to:

By Mail: Township of Evanturel

P.O. Box 209

Englehart, ON P0J 1H0

In Person: 414269 Bryan's Road, Englehart, ON

By E-mail: clerk@evanturel.com

Attn: Council of the Corporation of the Township of Evanturel

PLEASE NOTE: Applications close Friday - May 17, 2024, at 4:00 p.m.