

Notice to All Cape Breton Island High School Administrators

The Reverend Melvin Findlay Memorial Award

Sponsored by: **Island Community Justice Society (ICJS)**

Background

The late Reverend Melvin Findlay was a founding board member and past president of Island Alternative Measures Society, now called Island Community Justice Society. Rev. Melvin Findlay maintained a strong interest in youth throughout his life. In honoring his memory, the Island Community Justice Society Board will offer an award of \$250 to a graduating secondary school student who is pursuing further studies.

Application Process

ICJS requests that each secondary school accept all applications, screen, and select one application for this award. This application is to be forwarded to the ICJS Board of Directors. The Board of Directors will then select a finalist from among those applications brought forward from each high school.

Criteria:

- Grade 12 graduate pursuing post-secondary education in Humanities, Social Sciences or Theology.
- Demonstrated commitment to his/her community re: volunteer work both within and outside the school.
- Demonstrates academic excellence as assessed by secondary school officials and is in need of financial support.

The recipient of this award will be announced at the ICJS Annual General Meeting in June 2021.

PLEASE SUBMIT YOUR CANDIDATE'S APPLICATION NO LATER THAN MAY 31, 2021, VIA FAX AT 902-563-5699 or EMAIL icjs@syd.eastlink.ca.

Island Community Justice Society

Reverend Melvin Findlay Memorial Award

Student Information: _____ **Student Number:** _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

Current School: _____ **Grade:** _____ **Rank:** _____

Program Next Year: _____ **Institution:** _____

School Activities and Community Involvement:

Please record all school and community activities, clubs, organizations and any offices held.

Awards:

Please list all academic, community service and special awards.

Work History: (optional criteria - complete only if applicable)

References:

Date: _____

Signature: _____

Note:

The candidates for this award will be selected by your high school. Please submit this application to your high school principal or Guidance Department.

The successful candidate will only receive the Reverend Melvin Findlay Award of \$250 upon submitting to the ICJS Board of Directors, proof of registration in a post-secondary institution.