

Stacey Levitt Memorial Award

Application Deadline: March 02, 2018



About the Award...

Living a Long Life to the Fullest

The Stacey Levitt Memorial Award was created in memory and celebration of her life. On August 30, 1995, Stacey was struck and killed by a car while jogging in North Toronto. She was only 18 years old.

Stacey loved life, and this annual student award encourages Canadian youth to embody Stacey's qualities and ideals, and Parachute's overarching goal of a long life lived to the fullest, while maintaining an approach that is rooted in risk management and injury prevention. The selected recipient will receive \$2,500 to do just that.

Eligibility

The award is open to anyone currently attending a Canadian secondary school. The deadline to apply is **March 02, 2018**. The successful recipient will be selected by the Levitt family and announced on April 30, 2018.

Submissions

If not submitting online, please send your application form, essay and letter of recommendation to Parachute by email, fax or mail.

Email: submissions@parachutecanada.org

Fax: 416.596.2721

Mail: 150 Eglinton Ave. E, Suite 300, Toronto, Ontario M4P 1E8

For more information on this award, contact David Wilson
dwilson@parachutecanada.org
647.776.5100

Application Process

The Application consists of three parts, all which must be submitted to Parachute to be considered for the award. Please ensure all three parts are included in the submission package.

1. A completed application form in one of these methods:
 - Online application form submitted electronically.
 - Paper application form submitted by mail, fax or email.
 - See Submissions information on how to send your documentation to Parachute.
2. A letter of recommendation from an individual with first-hand knowledge of the applicant's involvement in their school or community.
3. A short essay (maximum 2 pages, double-spaced, font size 12) addressing the following questions:
 - How do you demonstrate a long life lived to the fullest and how are you helping others to achieve this?
 - How do you demonstrate Parachute's goals, and brand values of nobility, courage, and inclusivity?
 - If successful, how do you intend to use the funding provided by the Stacey Levitt Memorial Award?

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The Levitt family will award the selected recipient \$2,500 to ultimately live their life to the fullest. This can be accomplished through extension of education, engagement in sports and recreational activities, or investment into a travel experience, all pursuits that would have resonated with Stacey. Grant recipients will be expected to write a reflection on the impact of the funding on their life, due within one year of the distribution of funds. The top five applicants will be interviewed by Parachute. A recommendation will be forwarded to the Levitt family for final selection.

Key Dates

March 02, 2018

Application deadline, submissions will not be accepted after this date.

April 30, 2018

Successful recipient announced.

2018 Stacey Levitt Memorial Award Application Form

Personal Information:

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____

Date of Birth (MM/DD/YYYY): _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Province: _____ Postal Code: _____

Telephone (including area code): _____

Email Address: _____

School Name: _____ Grade: _____

How did you hear about this award? _____

Letter of Recommendation:

Referee's Name: _____

How long have you known this person? _____

In what capacity do you know this person? _____

Please send your completed application package (including application form, letter of recommendation, and essay) by mail, e-mail or fax before **March 02, 2018**.

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