

# Paul Thomas Memorial Scholarship Fund

Upon the passing of Paul Thomas in 2016, a beloved Ray-Cam Co-operative Center employee, friend and community leader. A scholarship fund has been established to honor his admirable work with the community and to carry on his legacy. Paul worked at Ray-Cam Cooperative Center for 20 years as Youth Programmer and is genuinely missed by all community members and staff. He was dedicated to the community, to the youth and families he worked with.

This scholarship was created to provide students of the community who knew Paul with financial compensation during the time of their study period. This scholarship will be awarded annually.

Youth aged 17-25 will be eligible to apply for the scholarship with proof of post secondary enrolment. The winner of this award will have known Paul in some capacity and hold characteristics of kindness, thoughtfulness, empathy and will be someone who puts the needs of others before themselves.

We are accepting applications from **May 9 to May 31, 2018**. All application forms must be received no later than **5:00pm, June 1, 2018**. Recipients will be contacted in June. The Scholarships will be awarded **Tuesday, June 26, 2018** during Ray-Cam Community/Co-operative Associations Annual General Meeting. The recipients must be present to receive their scholarship.

**Two Scholarships of \$1000.00 each will be awarded.**

Email, mail or drop-off applications to Ray-Cam Co-operative Centre  
920 E. Hastings Street  
Vancouver, B.C.  
V6A 3T1

Email: [raycamcc@vancouver.ca](mailto:raycamcc@vancouver.ca)  
Subject line – Paul Thomas Memorial Scholarship



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### Application Form

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

High School: \_\_\_\_\_

1. Name of School plus certificate, diploma, degree or apprenticeship program for which you are enrolled:
2. Ultimate Career Goal:
3. Describe why you are attracted to the career you have chosen:
4. Provide a letter between 250-300 words describing how you knew Paul, his influence on your life. Provide examples that demonstrate the following qualities (kindness, compassion, community, selflessness) in your everyday life.