# The Jeff Polovick Scholarship for Entrepreneurs

\$5,000.00 towards a post-secondary program focused on entrepreneurship

The Donor: The Jeff & Jackie Polovick Family Foundation

### **Purpose:**

To encourage an eligible student to pursue a career in entrepreneurship

#### Term of the award:

Presented to one student annually from the Graduating Class of Clavet High School for the next 20 years. If a suitable applicant is not found the term will be extended another year. The Donor will have an option to extend the term or the amount if inflation makes the amount irrelevant.

#### **Criteria for Selection:**

- A current Clavet Composite School student registering in a postsecondary program focused on entrepreneurship
- A student who exhibits natural leadership skills
- Someone who demonstrates that they think "outside the box"
- A student who understands and demonstrates the meaning of service to others
- A student who does well at school but may not have realized their full potential
- A student who believes that anything is possible if well thought out and who is able to follow through on their ideas
- It is recommended that the applicant participate in at least one field experience in the area of business or entrepreneurship during their work experience

### **Application Process:**

- A written submission of up to 500 words from the student applying for the scholarship will be required, describing how they meet the criteria as well as answering the question posed by Jeff Polovick, "How will the current COVID crisis change how we will do business in the future?"
- A short list of applicants will complete career related aptitude assessments. The results of which will be given to the students which can be used to help them progress with their education.
- The selection committee will meet with up to three top applicants before making a final selection

### Who will determine the recipients?

- One of the administrators of Clavet Composite School
- Coordinator for the Clavet work experience program; senior resource teacher; or other suitable Clavet staff member
- A current Clavet student selected by the Clavet High School teaching staff who is not eligible for the award
- o Jeff Polovick or a member of the Polovick family.

## When and by whom will the award be presented?

The award will be presented at the school's final assembly by Jeff Polovick or a family member for the post-secondary program immediately following the high school graduation.

Additional costs of engraving or printing of the award will be provided by the Jeff & Jackie Polovick Family Foundation.

Deadline for Application: June 1st, 2020, before 9:00 am