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YCMHS graduate Brad Jones selected for \$100,000 scholarship

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Yarmouth Consolidated Memorial High School Grade 12 student Brad Jones.

YARMOUTH, N.S. – A Grade 12 student graduating from Yarmouth Consolidated Memorial High School in June says he was surprised and honoured to be selected as a recipient of a prestigious scholarship.

Brad Jones is one of 25 students in the country pursuing engineering to receive the Schulich Leader Scholarship.

“It was really incredible to receive this award.”

– YCMHS student Brad Jones

The scholarship is valued at \$100,000.

“It was really incredible to receive this award,” says Jones. “I had no idea I would be selected, especially at Dalhousie where there were over 100 nominees to choose from. I am honoured and very proud to be selected as a Schulich leader.”

The scholarships are awarded to 25 students who will be pursuing an engineering degree, and to 25 students who will be pursuing a degree in science, technology or mathematics. More than 1,000 students across Canada were nominated by their high schools for the 50 undergraduate scholarships this school year.

Students receive \$25,000 in their first year. The scholarship is then renewable at \$25,000 for the next three years based on a student’s academic performance and other criteria.

“Please accept my personal congratulations for your outstanding community involvement, leadership and character,” wrote Richard Florizone, Dalhousie University president and vice-chancellor, in a letter to Jones.

In addition to excelling academically, Jones is also an athlete. He was captain of the Yarmouth Vikings high school hockey team this year and plays baseball at a high level.

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