

# VASHTI SYLVIA DELLER MEMORIAL AWARD

**\$1,000.00**



## Criteria

Awarded to a graduating student, continuing post-secondary studies, who demonstrates a positive attitude, an honest effort and ongoing participation in the life of the school and community. The student will have been an active participant in athletics while at WCI and have demonstrated ability in academic studies.

The student will demonstrate the same adventurous spirit as Vashti and will be continuing post-secondary studies at an educational institution. Preference will be given to a student with financial need.

Awarded to a student for exemplifying the qualities that Vashti valued:

- Continuing to post-secondary education
- Investing in the unlimited potential of young people
- Continuing to search for meaning in life
- Exhibiting artistic expression and/or participation in sports

## History

The award was established in memory of 22 year old Vashti Sylvia Deller, a former student of W. Collegiate Institute, who died tragically on November 5, 2004, in a motor vehicle accident on her way to U.W.O., where she was pursuing a Fine Arts degree. Vashti was an excellent student, accomplished athlete and artist. She was also an avid community advocate for 'at risk' young people. This award was created by her family and friends in memory of her special qualities.

## Selection Process

School to forward top three candidate's applications to the family of Vashti Deller, who will determine the recipient.

## Available To

Woodstock Collegiate Institute

## Deadline

See your school's guidance/student services office.