



## Robb Warren Hindson Memorial Bursary

The Hindson family's relationship with Lake Temagami began with Robb's Great Grandfather. For many years, he was Chief Fire and Park Ranger for the Temagami District in Northern Ontario at Bear Island.

Best estimates indicate Clarence Hindson was Chief from in or about the year 1910 until 1934 or 1935. Many references in books and newspapers including the Temagami Times are made in praise of his work as Chief of up to a hundred and thirty-seven permanent Rangers in 2012 which doubled in times of forest fires, and his work in maintaining the trails and portages for tourists. As Chief Park Administrator the issue of guide licences and the management of guides and their firms came within his jurisdiction.

Stanley Frederick Hindson was Robb's Grandfather, born July 20, 1893, grew up in Haileybury and Temagami and was a guide, forest Ranger and boat liveryman for three years after the First World War. Robb's Great Grandmother and Great Grandfather spent their honeymoon on Bear Island in 1930.

Robb's father, Donald Clarence Hindson was born in 1932, grew up on stories of Temagami and with his wife Christine, took Robb on his first overnight trip, to Temagami when he was five years old. Part of that trip involved a day trip on one of the supply boats that serviced the many youth camps with mail and groceries. Robb never forgot that trip, he was a visitor with his sister Donna and his parents at the Gordon and Doreen Lak cottage in the south arm and visited Bear Island which still had a Hudson Bay Post at the time.

In or about 2001, Robb started a search for an Island in some of the more remote parts of Lake Temagami and purchased an Island in December 2004. The Island had neither electricity or water and he preferred it that way. Robb was neither a fisherman nor hunter rather a conservationist who with his father transplanted over a hundred trees from the mainland to Island. He enjoyed the peace and tranquility of Temagami and exploring its shoreline by canoe and boat.

### Purpose

This bursary has been set up by family and friends in memory of Robb to honour his love, admiration, and commitment to Temagami. Robb was passionate about education and young people.

This bursary is to provide opportunities for children who come out of the local schools that will better prepare them for the opportunity to live and work in the Temagami area.

The word **Education** in this context is defined as any worthwhile initiative, not necessarily within a traditional educational facility. The objective is to provide experience and learning that will create opportunity for the children of the area to learn in any area of study that will enhance their ability to live and work within the Temagami Area.

### **Funding**

This year, up to \$8,000 is available to be distributed from the Robb Warren Hindson Memorial Bursary. This bursary can be distributed to more than one applicant at the discretion of the committee.

### **Criteria**

Bursaries and awards from the Robb Warren Hindson Memorial Bursary Fund shall be available to student(s) who are:

- Beyond Grade 6 as presently provided in the Ontario school system (in middle school, high school, or post-secondary education such as university or college)
- Residents of the Municipality of Temagami or its surrounding lakes

A bursary may be awarded to assist such student(s) in the advancement of their education. The form of advanced education may be for middle school, high school, university, industrial training for trucks, trailers, and heavy equipment be it driving or maintaining the same, pilot training, surveying, forestry, mining, or such other forms of advanced education as may be determined from time to time by the Foundation.

Please submit all applications to: [grants@temagamicommunityfoundation.com](mailto:grants@temagamicommunityfoundation.com)

***You are invited to make application to the 4th Annual Robb Warren Hindson Memorial Bursary***

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

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

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

**City/Town** \_\_\_\_\_

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

**Postal Code:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Cell Number:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date of Birth:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Preferred Pronouns:**

**Year of Graduation:**

- From Grade 8 from the Bear Island Public School \_\_\_\_\_
- OR from the Temagami Public School \_\_\_\_\_

**How long have you and your family resided in the Temagami Area?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Please answer the following questions in paragraph-form and attach them with your application.**

1. In a paragraph or two, please describe "Temagami" and what you see is its greatest assets? Its greatest challenges? What is your relationship to it? How do you feel about the area?
2. Have you thought about whether you would like to live in the Temagami Area after finishing your education? If so, what is important to you about the area?
3. What is your Education Plan: What are you studying? What is the opportunity for work in the Temagami Area?
4. Tell us about your own community engagement, activities you have either participated in or provided leadership to:
5. How would this bursary make a difference to you today?
6. Is there anything else you would like to share with the committee?