

# Wilma's Transition House Women's Award

## Sponsored by: Riverside Equipment Rentals

This bursary was created through Riverside Equipment Rentals desire to be part of a positive life changing event for a woman in our community. They have donated funds towards this award in conjunction with Wilma's Transition house fundraising efforts.

**Deadline:** Applications are due by February 28<sup>th</sup>, 2019 and are accepted between November 15<sup>th</sup> and February 28<sup>th</sup>. Awards receipts will be notified by the end of March.

**Award Amounts:** 1<sup>st</sup> place - \$1500.00 2<sup>nd</sup> place - \$1000.00 3<sup>rd</sup> Place - \$500.00

### **Step 1: Determine if you are eligible**

You are eligible if you are a woman who:

- Has financial need
- Is enrolled or has been accepted into a program (certificate, diploma, degree or trade)
- Resides in Chilliwack
- Provide the primary financial support for yourself and your child/children
- Is not an employee, volunteer or board member at Wilma's Transition House/Xolhemet Society

### **Step 2: Complete Application**

Complete the application portion and the essay portion by yourself. Also, ask a maximum of three different people to write a reference letter for you for the award. This could be a teacher, support worker, friend, or anyone else who is not related to you.

### **Step 3: Submit your Application**

Please submit the following:

1. Completed application
2. Maximum three reference letters
3. Confirmation of enrollment or acceptance letter

This can be submitted by email to [admin@xolhemetsociety.org](mailto:admin@xolhemetsociety.org) or mailed to P.O. Box 2025 Sardis STN Main. If you mail it is must be post-marked either on or before the 28<sup>th</sup> of February.

## Personal Information

### Applicant information

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

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

Date of Application: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Social insurance number: \_\_\_\_\_

Address:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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### Dependent information

Last Name	First Name	Age	Relationship
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

## Income and Expenses

What is your source of income? (check all that apply)

- Employment
- Student Loans
- Income Assistance
- Child Tax

\_\_ Child Support

\_\_ Other-Please Describe \_\_\_\_\_

What is your monthly take home income?

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please list your monthly expenses:

Expense	Amount per month
Housing	\$
Food	\$
Childcare	\$
Utilities	\$
Tuition	\$
Transportation	\$
Books	\$
	\$
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	\$

## Information about yourself

The Wilma's Transition House Women's Award is aimed at helping women with dependents who have shown their strength and determination to better their lives and to further their education. In 700 words or less, please tell us about the barriers that you have had to overcome to get where you are now and how you think this award can help better your future.

## Education and Career Goals

Please attach a separate form with the answers to these questions:

1. Name of school

2. Name of program
3. When do you estimate you will complete your studies
4. Are you currently working or will be working when you are completing your program
5. If yes, how many hours per week do you work
6. In 400 words or less, please tell us your goals/plan for when you have completed this program.