

Kaydance & Santana Pauchay Scholarships

What are the scholarships?

Yellow Quill Holdings ("Holdings") have established two scholarships valued at \$2000 each to encourage Yellow Quill band members (18+) residing on or off-reserve to continue to pursue Post-secondary education.

- Kaydance Pauchay Scholarship – will be awarded to a student enrolled in University.
- Santana Pauchay Scholarship – will be awarded to a student enrolled in Technical/Trade School.

These two scholarships will be awarded at the end of the respective Fall/Winter semester in any given school year. The scholarships are contingent upon recipients participating in second year full-time studies, and are payable only when the recipient is in actual attendance. **FIRST YEAR STUDENTS ARE INELIGIBLE TO APPLY FOR THE SCHOLARSHIPS.** Scholarships are non-transferrable, and cannot be deferred.

Eligibility

Open to all current Yellow Quill Post-Secondary students who are enrolled in the second year (or higher) full-time studies at a recognized Post-secondary educational institution or technical school. The student must:

- Be Yellow Quill Band Member living on or off-reserve (must provide proof of Status Card)
- Complete Application Form

Applicants may re-qualify each year if all eligibility criteria are met; however, applications **MUST** be re-submitted every year. Students awarded a scholarship by Holdings will be ineligible to reapply for at least one academic year. Also, a scholarship can only be awarded twice to the same student for a given program of study.

Loss of Eligibility: If recipient does not remain as a full-time student, or who does not fulfill the eligibility criteria and is thus unable to receive their scholarship, the scholarship will be awarded to the next runner up.

Application Requirements

1. Applicants must complete a written summary of 500 words or less, indicating:
 - a. Applicant Background
 - b. Reasoning as to why scholarship should be awarded to them
 - c. How funds will be used on the basis of need.
2. Applicants must submit recent transcripts for the applicable Fall/Winter semester as part of their completed scholarship application to Holdings.
3. All applications must be received no later than four weeks following the end of the respective fall/Winter semester in any given school year.
4. Recipients will be required to sign a Declaration of Compliance and release of Liability. This will include the recipient's consent to the use of their name and photograph, without further compensation, in any publicity carried out by Holdings relative to this scholarship.
6. Applicants agree to abide by all decisions of Holdings, which are final and without appeal in all matters pertaining to the Scholarships. Holdings has final and binding discretion to decide all questions respecting the awarding of scholarships, its administration and its decisions.
7. All application information must be found by, the Board, to be true, accurate, and complete.

Applications are available at the Yellow Quill Urban Office, Yellow Quill Band Office, Yellow Quill Post-Secondary Office or Yellow Quill Holdings Inc.

Applications can be submitted by mail to:
Yellow Quill Holdings - Kaydance and Santana Pauchay Scholarships
P.O. Box 122
Yellow Quill, SK SOA 3A0

Holdings Board of Directors will review and screen all Application submissions for selection. Scholarship recipients will be notified by the Board. A notification email will be sent to all applicants that were not selected for a scholarship. **Holdings Board of Directors has the discretion to award 2 of Kaydance Pauchay Scholarship or 2 of Santana Pauchay Scholarship if interest for either is not received for any given semester.**

YELLOW QUILL HOLDINGS KAYDANCE AND SANTANA SCHOLARSHIP

Application Form

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Type or print legibly in ink.
2. Attach all transcripts (and/or resume) and all other documents you wish to add to the back of the form.
3. Mail completed application to: Yellow Quill Holdings Kaydance and Santana Pauchay Scholarship
P.O. Box 122
Yellow Quill, SK S0A 3A0

A. Applicant Name:

First Name _____ Last Name _____

B. Contact Information:

Phone Number (____) _____ Cell Number (____) _____

Email address _____

C. PLEASE INDICATE THE ADDRESS YOU WISH CORRESPONDENCE TO BE SENT TO:

Address _____

City _____ Province _____ Postal Code _____

D. Date of Birth: Month _____ Day _____ Year _____ Gender _____

E. Treaty Number: _____

F. APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS:

Are you a full-time student enrolled in: UNIVERISTY/INSTITUTION _____

TECHNICAL/TRADE SCHOOL _____

What is your current year of study? 2nd yr ____ 3rd yr ____ 4th year ____ Other _____

What is the name of the Educational Institution that you are currently enrolled/registered in?

Which type of Scholarship are you applying for:

KAYDANCE PAUCHAY SCHOLARSHIP: UNIVERSITY/INSTITUTION _____

SANTANA PAUCHAY SCHOLARSHIP: TECHNICAL/TRADE SCHOOL _____

Have you received any type of scholarships within the past year? Yes ___ No ___ If yes please list names of Scholarships received: _____

G. TELL US ABOUT YOURSELF:

In 500 words or less, tell us about your personal/career interests. Please explain what makes you the best candidate to receive either of the two scholarships that you are applying for. Please provide a brief explanation on how you intend to use the funds if awarded.

Lined area for writing the response.

Use back of this form if more room is needed.

DECLARATION

I agree to abide by all decisions of Yellow Quill Holdings, which are final and without appeal in all matters pertaining to the Scholarships. I certify that the particulars furnished on the application are true, accurate and complete in all respects and that no relevant information has been withheld. I understand that Yellow Quill Holdings reserves the right at its sole discretion to disqualify any individual that it finds or believes to be tampering with the entry process or the administration of the awarding of Scholarships; to be acting in violation in a disruptive manner.

Date _____ Signature of Applicant _____

For Office Use Only

Date _____

Director of Yellow Quill Holdings

***DEADLINE FOR FINAL SUBMISSION FOR WINTER SEMESTER IS March 31, 2014 (based on marks Sept. – Dec)**

***DEADLINE FOR FINAL SUBMISSION FOR FALL SEMESTER IS August 31, 2013 (based on marks Jan. – April)**



Annual Kaydance and Santana Pauchay Scholarships

Yellow Quill Holdings Inc. is pleased to announce The Kaydance and Santana Pauchay Scholarships. These scholarships are open to all Yellow Quill First Nation post secondary and trades students. There are two (2) awards which will be available beginning of each fall and winter term in any given year annually.

In memory of the two young angels, Kaydance and Santana Pauchay, Yellow Quill Holdings Inc. have established to create a fund in honour of these two girls who have inspired a community, inspired a family, inspired parents to love our children.

The focus of these scholarships is to inspire our young people of Yellow Quill to pursue a life time education after high school. Kaydance and Santana will never have that chance, this is your opportunity to dedicate yourself to pursue a career path, and live a positive lifestyle. Assisting the Yellow Quill students, of today and tomorrow, furthering their education will efficiently create better lives for our people.

That is why Yellow Quill Holdings Inc. have come together to dedicate these scholarships in memory to Kaydance and Santana Pauchay who will forever remain in the hearts of the Yellow Quill First Nation community.

This is an exceptional opportunity for Yellow Quill First Nation students to begin to explore the idea of life time learning and the benefits that follow.