



Volunteer Awards

Peggy Bulmer Award for Volunteer Excellence

Robert Hanlon

Robert Hanlon is a high honors graduate of St. Malachy's Memorial High School and has graduated from St Francis Xavier University with a distinction in biology. He is pursuing a Bachelor of Nursing degree, an advanced study program at UNB Fredericton. In addition to these studies, he has completed a year of additional courses in philosophy and psychology at UNBSJ, receiving a GPA of 4.2.

Since spring 2011, Robert has been volunteering at the new SJRH Emergency Department. He has assumed the role of volunteer- trainer for this area. In addition, Robert states he has been a committed volunteer, beginning with youth ministry, in high school and continued with this while at university .He has completed a medical mission in n a rural hospital in Ghana, West Africa. While at St .F.X., he volunteered at the L'Arche Community. Upon returning home to Saint John, he has volunteered at the McKim House, the Saint John L'Arche Community. Robert is an avid golfer. Also, he is an accomplished artist in both painting and drawing.

Dr. Deborah Mitton Award

Steven Morrison

Steven Morrison is a graduate of Saint John High School and is presently entering his third year of studies at UNBSJ in a Bachelor of Science degree program, majoring in Biology-Psychology. Throughout his program he has maintained a high level of academic achievement as well as a demonstrated strong commitment to volunteering at the hospital. He volunteers weekly in the Emergency Department at the Saint John Regional Hospital and as a patient escort.

In addition to his academic studies and his volunteer commitment at the hospital, Steven has acted as a student mentor at UNBSJ and has worked during the summer as a Research Assistant. He was awarded the prestigious NSERC Undergraduate Student Research Award in 2013. Steven's future goals include obtaining an MD and becoming a surgeon.

Teresa Casey Award

Bharat Kant

A student at Saint John High School presently holding a 91% average, Bharat Kant plans to pursue a career in medicine. At Saint John High School he pursued many extra-curricular

activities including various sports, mathematics competitions and science fairs while completing Level 1 classes and I B courses.

Volunteering and helping others has been a big part of Bharat's life both at the community level and school level. He is an engaged and enthusiastic learner, a team player, and a positive role model. He possesses the many attributes of a caring and compassionate leader and works diligently to achieve his desired goals.

Bharat aspires to one day be a cardiologist.