

City of Miramichi donates \$10,000 to NBCC Foundation

Thursday, October 27, 2011

MIRAMICHI (NBCC) - City of Miramichi Mayor Gerry Cormier recently presented NBCC Miramichi principal Carole Daley with a cheque of \$10,000 for the NBCC Foundation.

The New Brunswick Community College Foundation was created in January 2006, and has already granted over \$600,000 in awards to NBCC, CCNB and NBCCD students.

The City of Miramichi has been a contributor to the Foundation's major gift campaign, having committed \$50,000 over a five-year period. This \$10,000 donation will be complete this commitment.

"The generous contributions of donors, such as the City of Miramichi, will ensure that a greater number of New Brunswick learners will benefit from an affordable and accessible post-secondary education," said NBCC President and CEO, Marilyn Luscombe.

The city is also a major community partner with the College. They have hosted and sponsored an annual BBQ for staff and students for the last few years, which have been huge successes.

In the 2010-2011 academic year, the Foundation proudly handed out 198 awards to students attending college in New Brunswick.

Applications and additional information about the scholarships are available through the Foundation's website foundation.nbcc.nb.ca.

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From left to right: Carole Daley and Gerry Cormier.