



Joe Philpott and Peter Carver Avalanche Scholarship Application

The Philpott and Carver families formed this scholarship in honor of two adept backcountry enthusiasts, Joe and Peter, whom were both lost to avalanches in 2013. The scholarship provides tuition assistant for an accredited **Level 1 Avalanche Course**. The course will look at how to make decisions in the backcountry, offer hands-on avalanche safety, study snow conditions, and teach rescue basics.

Qualified recipients will demonstrate commitment to their backcountry education and to the community. Recipients of the scholarship will be expected to be an active member of Friends of the San Juans (FOSJ), including volunteering at events such as fundraisers, classes, ski swaps, highway clean-up, etc.

To be considered for the scholarship please submit the following information electronically to jeremy@pineneedle.com. Feel free to be creative and use a format of your choice (i.e. video, photos).

- * Include: your name, age, email, phone, and school (if applicable)
- * Why would you like to receive this scholarship and how do you plan to use your backcountry education?
- * We ask the recipients to share their experience. How will you share what you have learned with others?
- * Recipients are expect to fulfill volunteer hours with FOSJ. Are you able to volunteer at fundraisers, classes, swaps, and/or the FOSJ highway clean-up?
- * Provide two references and their contact information
- * Are you current FOSJ member? If not, please join at www.thesanjuans.org.

DUE TUESDAY DECEMBER 1st

Recipients will be announced at CAIC fundraiser at the Powerhouse Science Center Dec. 9th.