

CUMBERLAND YOUTH ENTREPRENEURSHIP CHALLENGE Application Form

Completed applications must be submitted to Jonathan McClelland, CEO of the Cumberland Business Connector. The application can be sent by email to jonathan@cumberlandbusinessconnector.ca or it can also be mailed to, or dropped off in person at 5 Ratchford St., Amherst, NS, B4H 1X2. Submissions must be received by April 27, 2018.

Contact Information

| Name of applicant(s) | | Age(s) of applicants(s) | |
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| Mailing address | | | |
| Contact phone number | Contact e-mail | | |

Your Business Idea

1. What is the business that you intend to start or expand?

The Business is in initial planning stage.

The business is already in operation.

- 2. Do you have previous experience in selling goods or services to people? (This could include fundraising events, etc) Yes No
- 3. If your business is successful and wins the award, how would you use the prize money? (maximum 75 words)
- 4. What community do you intend to start up your business in?
- 5. How large a geographical area do you think that you will serve?

I am aware that I will be contacted by the Cumberland Business Connector and notified about resources and/or workshops that will be available to help develop my business plan further.

I am aware that to be eligible to win I will be required to submit a business plan.

A panel of judges chosen by the Cumberland Business Connector and/or the Community Credit Union and/or the Cumberland CBDC will assess all business plan submissions. Business Plans that are incomplete or not received by May 18, 2018 will not be considered. The final step is for businesses to pitch their Business Plan to a panel of judges between May, 29 and June 6, 2018. Regional and County winners will be announced by mid-June.

Applicant(s) signature

Parent/Guardian signature (if 17 years old or younger)

The regional districts are based on Municipal Electoral Districts

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| Town of Amherst | 2 | 2 |
| Town of Oxford and District 7 | 1 | 1 |
| Districts 1, 2, 3 | 1 | 1 |
| Districts 4, 5, 6 | 1 | 1 |
| Districts 8, 11, 12 | 1 | 1 |
| Districts 9, 10, 13 | 1 | 1 |

