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Dear Alumni, Families and Friends,

2015 offers an exciting opportunity to make a big impact with your annual donation. Please join me in making an extra special gift to Landmark East School.

This year, the Johnson Scholarship Foundation will match, dollar for dollar, all contributions to the Landmark East Student Bursary Fund (up to a maximum \$50,000). **This, in effect, will double every donation the school receives!**

The Bursary Fund is vitally important to helping young people realize their potential. Many parents who have children with learning differences report that they cannot afford the learning resources their children need to succeed academically. Every year we see growing evidence that supports this need. Very few families that apply to Landmark East are able to meet the tuition costs without financial assistance. You can help them with this life-changing opportunity. Your contribution will provide direct and immediate assistance to families with the greatest need.

This great school has been in my thoughts for many years and I can speak personally to the value of the Landmark East experience. **There are few things in life that have had such a profound impact on me as my time at Landmark East. I can credit all my educational accomplishments and much of my career success to that little school in Wolfville.**

I was a boarding student at Landmark East from 1988 to 1990 for grades 9 and 10. Those were truly pivotal years that changed my outlook on life. I was a young teenager coming of age and for the first time I felt completely comfortable with myself and with my peers. Landmark East helped me understand my disability and to work with it. I learned how to focus, concentrate and work through the comprehension process. **I came to understand that the way I learned was OK.**

I went on to graduate high school and university and over the next 20 years built a successful career in the field of Information Technology. Today I am the Director of Delivery on the leadership team at Elandas in Saint John, New Brunswick and happily married to my spouse Julia for 18 years. **Life is good!**

Many of us have our own special memories of this great school and personal reasons for giving back. Thank you for your past generosity and I urge you to renew and, if possible, increase your gift this year.

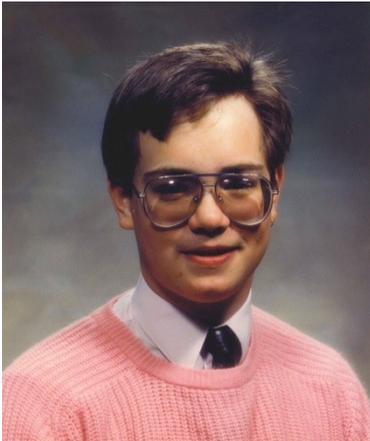
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Invest in the Landmark East Bursary Fund. Help a student succeed and unlock all that potential!

Sincerely,

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Charles Bachman
Landmark East Alumnus, 1988-1990



Charles Bachman c. 1990



Charles today with Mom Margaret and Spouse Julia



Remember, you can make the greatest impact by donating right now.

The Johnson Scholarship Foundation will match your generosity!

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