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2024 Greg Norris Memorial Health Scholarship recipients announced

Three recipients were awarded this year's Greg Norris Memorial Health Scholarship at an afternoon ceremony hosted by Huon Valley Mayor Sally Doyle and Council CEO Lachlan Kranz on Monday 27 May 2024.

Bridie Pepper, Lucy Clifford and Narelle Synnott were this year's deserving recipients of the Greg Norris Memorial Health Scholarship. All three recipients are studying towards a Bachelor of Nursing and the scholarship will help progress their studies.

"Council is delighted to support Bridie, Lucy and Narelle as they undertake their studies," Mayor Doyle said.

Bridie Pepper plans to continue her studies after completing her Bachelor of Nursing and study towards a Bachelor of Paramedicine.

"Paramedicine has always been an aspiration and dream of mine. I love the fast pace, hands on work that a paramedic endures and the ability to be able to help people directly," she said.

Lucy Clifford has lived in the Huon Valley her whole life and plans on staying in the community, using her skills to help those in need.

"Since I was a little girl, I wanted to help people, especially the sick and disadvantaged... I would love to focus on chronic disease management, especially in the Aboriginal communities of the Huon Valley," she said.

Narelle Synnott is also a lifelong Huon Valley resident and one of the main drivers behind her studies is her family.



"My grandparents are elderly, I would love to have the ability to assist them more as they grow older and have the knowledge to advocate for them when needed. I also would like to show my children that you can do anything you want if you put in the hard work and have the passion for it," she said.

"It is heartening to hear that all three of the recipients aspire to work in and with our Huon Valley community in the years to come. We wish them the very best and look forward to the positive contribution they will make to our community," said Mayor Doyle.

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