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Council scholarship sure to engineer success

A Glenorchy City Council scholarship will help an aspiring young engineer achieve his dreams.

The Eric Reece Glenorchy City Council Scholarship was created to honour the memory of “Electric Eric” Reece, long time Labor Premier and one of Glenorchy’s favourite sons.

The \$3000 scholarship is awarded to a student from the Glenorchy municipality commencing a degree in Engineering or in Geology – appropriate disciplines given Mr Reece’s belief in and promotion of Tasmania’s Hydro Electric projects.

The 2009 scholarship recipient Nathan Morey said while he is keen to start Engineering, he is not yet sure which field he wants to specialise in.

“I have selected a Bachelor of Engineering as I enjoy mathematics and physics,” Nathan said.

“I have had the opportunity to experience mechanical engineering when I worked at the paper mill. “The scholarship will be of great benefit.”

When he isn’t studying or working, Nathan is heavily involved in athletics.

The Glenorchy City Council held a formal presentation of the scholarship at the Council Offices. Mayor Adriana Taylor presented the scholarship and the University of Tasmania’s Vice Chancellor Professor Daryl Le Grew was in attendance.

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