



CWSF 2010 - Peterborough, Ontario



Is Its Bark Worse Than Its Bite?

Division: International

Category: Senior

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Abstract: The essential oils of evergreen tree needles, were extracted and then used

to test for antimicrobial properties. Six different evergreen trees were used, Balsam Fir, Red Spruce, White Spruce, Red Pine, White Pine, and Larch. The antimicrobial properties of the oils were tested against two species of bacteria, E-coli, a gram negative bacteria, and Staphlycoccus spp. a gram

positive bacteria.

Awards	Value
Dalhousie University Faculty of Science Entrance Scholarship	\$2 000
Senior Silver Medallist - \$2000 Entrance Scholarship	
Sponsor: Dalhousie University, Faculty of Science	
UBC Science (Vancouver) Entrance Award	\$2 000
Senior Silver Medallist - \$2000 Entrance Scholarship	
Sponsor: The University of British Columbia (Vancouver)	
University of Ottawa Entrance Scholarship	\$3 000
Senior Silver Medallist - \$3000 Entrance Scholarship	
Sponsor: University of Ottawa	
The University of Western Ontario Scholarship	\$2 000
Silver Medallist - \$2000 Entrance Scholarship	
Sponsor: University of Western Ontario	
Silver Medal - Health Sciences - Senior	\$700
Sponsor: Canadian Institutes of Health Research	
Total	\$9 700



