

**COWICHAN  
SECONDARY SCHOOL**



**2017  
SCHOLARSHIPS  
&  
BURSARIES  
BOOKLET**

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# LOCAL SCHOLARSHIPS & BURSARIES

## INSTRUCTION SHEET

### Message to Grade 12 Students:

Several individuals, businesses and organizations have generously offered scholarships and bursaries to students in our high school, and other local high schools. Each donor typically has some conditions that you must meet to qualify to apply for their award.

Please take your time and read every scholarship and bursary description and criteria. If you will be attending a post-secondary institution after graduating from grade 12 there could potentially be some financial awards to put towards your post-secondary education.

A lot of effort has gone into preparing this booklet for you, we hope you will take full advantage by carefully reading the whole booklet.

Thank you,  
Scholarship & Bursary Team,  
Cowichan Secondary School

### I. Reading the Booklet and Getting Organized

- Take your time - read every Scholarship and Bursary conditions and criteria. Mark the ones you wish to apply for.
- Complete the Scholarship and Bursary Checklist form (green sheet).
- Take your completed green checklist form to the Counselling Office to collect the necessary Standard and Special Application forms.

### II. Completing the Application

- Complete each application form, fill in **all** required information.
- Write the number assigned to each scholarship/bursary in the upper right hand corner of the application (eg: #35, etc.)
- Staple documents together with the application as page one. **Do not** use duotangs, envelopes, etc.
- Stack all applications together with the completed green Checklist form on the top.

**\*Neatness is very important. This form is creating the first impression of YOU in the eyes of the donor. For help see “*Writing The Most Impressive Applications*”.**

### **III. Submitting Application Packages To the Counselling Secretary**

- Regardless of any other stated deadline, the applications must be submitted to Mrs. Burton in the Counselling Office by **MONDAY, APRIL 3 AT 3:00 PM.**

**\* Bring \$5** – this is the fee for Transcripts. Mrs. Burton will give you the correct number of transcripts for you to attach to your applications.

# Defining Scholarships and Bursaries

There are **five main categories** of scholarships and bursaries available to students completing Grade 12 at Cowichan Secondary School.

## I. BC Achievement Scholarships

The Graduation Program Examination scholarships reward the top 8,000 graduates in BC for academic excellence in their provincial exams from grades 10 to 12. The Ministry will grant \$1,250 scholarships. No application is necessary. See your counsellor for details or go on-line to the Ministry of Education website: <http://www.gov.bc.ca/bced/>

## II. District Scholarships

At the end of the school year, a number of scholarships of \$1,250 each are awarded to students within the boundaries of the school district. To win a district scholarship a student must meet the criteria determined by the local District Scholarship Committee, which requires a student to demonstrate superior achievement in fine arts, applied skills, a physical activity, indigenous language and culture, international languages, community service or trades. Applications are available from the Career Centre in late April.

## III. Post-Secondary Institution Scholarships

Many post-secondary institutes offer entrance scholarships. More information on this will be available at the website of each institution. In addition, information is available from the Career Centre. Monthly newsletters are e-mailed to grade 12 parents and are accessible at the Cowichan Secondary School website.

## IV. Additional Awards

### **Premier's Excellence Award**

Established in 1986 as part of the Fund for Excellence, the Premier's Excellence award of \$5,000 recognizes the top Grade 12 students in each of the 15 regions in B.C. The Principal of each secondary school will nominate one grade 12 candidate for this award.

### **Secondary School Apprenticeship Scholarships**

Qualified students in an apprenticeship program may receive a \$1000 scholarship. Contact the Career Centre for details. Additional information may be found at <http://bcawardsonline.sd61.bc.ca/>

## **V. Local Scholarships & Bursaries**

Scholarships and Bursaries are generous donations made by many local individuals and organizations to financially assist students attending Cowichan Secondary for their Grade 12 year and who wish to continue their education after graduation. Presentation of scholarships and bursaries will take place **Wednesday, June 7, 2017, at 7:00 pm**, in the Cowichan Secondary School gym. All students receiving awards are expected to attend.

**\* This booklet focuses on Local Scholarships and Bursaries \***

### **HINTS AND TIPS:**

- **Who are your parents/ step-parents/ guardians/ grandparents employed by – do they offer an award?**
- **Does your parent/ step-parent/ guardian/ grandparent belong to an organization that offers an award?**
- **What geographical area do you reside in?**
- **What field of post-secondary education will you be pursuing?**
- **Is your parent/ step-parent/ guardian a union member?**
- **ASK!**

# I. Supporting Documents

## Some Suggestions

Make sure that letters, academic resumés and autobiographical essays are neat, accurate and legible. The importance of good supporting documents cannot be over-emphasized. You should consider the following:

- Use 8-1/2" x 11" white paper (makes better photocopies)
- Use one side of paper only
- Use a standard business style of letter
- Include a short statement of purpose if you are planning to attend university
- List all awards, scholarships and prizes won in any field
- Check whether the application must be typed or handwritten

## II. Strategies

- Apply for as many scholarships and bursaries as possible, select those for which you are **realistically eligible**. Remember showing **financial need** is a condition of some bursaries.
- Check **parental affiliation** with unions, companies, and organizations. This may also include grandparents, step-parents, etc.
- Regularly check the Scholarship and Bursary binder and the monthly Career Centre Newsletter (online or hard copy) and the school daily bulletin for information.
- Read the criteria for each award very carefully. Make sure you are clear on how you meet the conditions for each award. You may have to write a separate letter.
- Be prepared to spend time and effort – successful scholarship applications are the result of care, good supporting documents, and attention to detail. Have a parent/friend edit your work: proper spelling and grammar is critical.
- Obtain application forms, complete them, organize your letters of reference and recommendation, and get all relevant documents. Make absolutely sure that you put the NUMBER assigned in this booklet on each application form you fill out.
- Plan your time carefully so that you don't miss the deadline.

**Deadline: April 3, 2017 at 3:00 pm**

## Resumé

- ◆ A resumé for a scholarship application has a different emphasis from a resumé for employment (see your counsellor if you need the difference explained). Like a letter of application, a good resumé requires time, effort, thought and revision. A resumé should be no more than two pages.
- ◆ Your resume should include: your name, academic standing, participation in school and community activities, interests, hobbies, future plans, and a brief summary of positions and offices held in school, youth organizations and the community, as well as the last two years of employment.

## Letter of Reference

Many applications require letters of reference or recommendation; these can influence the donor's decision. Carefully consider who you will ask to write a letter of reference. Ask adults who know you well, but who are not members of your family. Employers, coaches, principals, teachers, ministers, and neighbors are all possibilities.

Provide your referee with a copy of your resumé, so that they can comment and give feedback. Give your referees plenty of advance notice, two weeks is reasonable, because writing a good letter of reference requires time, effort and thought.

### **Autobiographical Essay**

Most applications require an autobiographical essay. Donors read these as their introduction to you as a person. Take great care in composing yours as they are often the key to successful scholarship applications. Have someone proof read yours. Your parents, your English teacher or your counselor are all good sources. Remember this is not a large community, do not fabricate or exaggerate your information.

### **Thank You Letters**

Members of the community have taken a lot of time and effort to raise the money to provide scholarships and bursaries.

If you are awarded one, please take the time to write a letter of appreciation as soon as possible. Your thoughtfulness reflects positively on you and on our school, and could benefit students graduating in the future. If you are uncertain to whom you should write, please see the Counselling Secretary.

### **Social Insurance Number**

Students should have a valid Canadian Social Insurance Number. Applications for a number can be made at any Canada Employment Centre. (do not write this on any application)

## **Delaying Your Award**

Sometimes students decide not to attend a post-secondary institute immediately after high school. If you find yourself in this circumstance, read the criteria of the awards very carefully. For some awards there is an expectation that it will be used in the year immediately following high school. For others the award must be used within one year of receiving it. Do not receive an award that you can not use and that you have prevented someone else from using as well.

Also, if you are awarded a scholarship or bursary **that you decide not to use**, please ensure that you notify the donor so that they may award it to their second choice. We've had circumstances like this in the past where awards were never claimed. This means that someone else who could have used that award never gets it. It's important to be thoughtful so that available funds do get used by someone else.

<p><b>Now that you've read all of the information, take a pen and the detachable instruction sheet, decide which ones you are going to apply for.</b></p>
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1. **A. BRIAN SIMMONS SCHOLARSHIP (detailed criteria available on special application)**

**Eligibility** - The applicant must:

- ◆ be a current, full-time student in attendance at, and a member of the graduation class of, a public secondary school in School District No. 79 (Cowichan Valley)
- ◆ have attended the same school for the last three years of public school education, engaged in a challenging program~ of study and completed the provincial graduation requirements at that school
- ◆ be a Canadian citizen or landed immigrant and reside year round within the boundaries of SD # 79.
- ◆ be accepted into and registered as a full-time student in a recognized, full first-year program of a degree granting, publicly funded, Canadian university in the year the award is made
- ◆ provide the scholarship trustees with a graduation photograph (**grad photo**)

**Qualifications** - The applicant must:

- ◆ achieved a grade point average of at least 3.5 in each of the applicant's Grade 11 & 12 school years
- ◆ have acquired significant computer or information technology skills
- ◆ be able to demonstrate proficiency in a second language
- ◆ During the applicant's Grade 12 year, the applicant must have:
  - ◆ been elected to a leadership position in the Student Government or the Graduation Class Council or have been assigned a leadership position such as editor of the school newspaper or yearbook
  - ◆ provided other regular, sustained service to the school or students of the school
  - ◆ represented the school as a member of a senior athletic team or a participant at the senior level in an individual athletic activity, or demonstrated significant musical, performing art or visual art skill in a major performance setting or display
  - ◆ provided regular "other regarding" volunteering service to a recognized agency or organization in the broader community
  - ◆ maintained a part time job over a period of time with a professional or corporate employer

**Also Required:**

- ◆ signed declaration form available from the Counselling Office indicating the years and schools attended.
- ◆ The applicant must provide three letters of reference from:
  - an officer of a community agency or organization, indicating the nature and extent of the volunteer service provided,
  - an employer, indicating the nature of the work, the length of employment, the hours of work and the level of commitment to the performance expectations of the employer,
  - The applicant must provide an **original confidential letter in a sealed envelope** from the school principal or vice-principal, indicating the administrator's level of support for the application

*Please see full requirements and additional details listed on a separate sheet when you pick up the special application form*

**SCHOLARSHIP - \$1000**

**Please apply on SPECIAL APPLICATION FORM  
Include SCHOOL DECLARATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

Mr. A. Brian Simmons

250-748-8843

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2. **ALEX AITKEN ELEMENTARY PARENT GROUP BURSARIES**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Available to a student who attended Alex Aitken Elementary School for a minimum of four (4) years. A signed **declaration** (available in the Counselling Office) indicating years applicant attended this school **must accompany application form**.
- ◆ Student must have completed his/her secondary school education in SD#79 (Cowichan Valley) public schools.
- ◆ The bursaries will be awarded upon proof of enrolment in any full course of studies at a recognized post-secondary institution.
- ◆ The bursaries are to be used within 18 months of graduation. An extension will be reviewed by the Bursary Committee upon receipt of a written request.

**TWO BURSARIES - \$400 EACH**

**Include SCHOOL DECLARATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

PAC Chair  
Alex Aitken Elementary School

250-748-8724

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**3. ALEXANDER ELEMENTARY BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Available to a student who attended Alexander Elementary School for a minimum of four years, with preference given to intermediate years.
- ◆ The student must have completed his/her secondary education in SD #79.
- ◆ The bursaries will be awarded upon proof of enrolment in any full course of studies at a recognized post-secondary institution.
- ◆ The award must be used within twelve months of recipient being notified of the award.
- ◆ The recipient of the bursary shall be chosen from all eligible applicants on the basis of financial need, academic achievement and contributions made while attending Alexander Elementary.

**BURSARY - \$250**

**Include SCHOOL DECLARATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

Alexander Elementary School, PAC Chair

250-748-8148

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**4. AUXILIARY TO THE COWICHAN DISTRICT HOSPITAL YOUTH VOLUNTEER PROGRAM BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Awarded to a student graduating from SD#79 (Cowichan Valley) and who is proceeding to a post-secondary institution in the field of HEALTH CARE excluding veterinarian or any field in this category.
- ◆ The applicant must have completed a minimum of 100 hours volunteer work as a Health Care Youth Volunteer and must have experience at both Cowichan District Hospital and Cairnsmore Place.
- ◆ The bursary to be paid to the chosen institution upon proof of acceptance.
- ◆ The successful candidate must make use of the bursary within the calendar year of receiving the award.

**TWO BURSARIES - \$1,000 EACH**

**Contact Person**

Claire Wessan  
Duncan, BC

250-748-3593

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**5. BENCH ELEMENTARY SCHOOL BURSARY (WIN LEWIS)**

**Conditions**

- ◆ The student must have completed 3 full years of attendance at Bench Elementary, with preference given to intermediate years. The student must have successfully completed his/her secondary school education in SD#79 (Cowichan Valley).
- ◆ Any contribution made by the student while attending Bench Elementary School shall be considered and may be noted on a separate form along with his/her application.
- ◆ The recipient of the bursary shall be chosen from all eligible applicants on the basis of financial need, academic achievement, and contribution made while attending Bench Elementary.
- ◆ The bursary award shall be presented to the chosen recipient upon proof of enrolment in any full-time course of studies at a recognized post-secondary institution.
- ◆ The award must be used within 12 months of the recipient being notified of the award. However, upon written request for extension of the 12 month period along with reasons for the request, the Trustees shall give such request every consideration.
- ◆ Applications should consist of:
  - a) Special Application Form
  - b) School Declaration Form
  - c) Transcript of Marks

**BURSARIES 2 @ \$ 500 or 1 @ \$1000**

**Please apply on SPECIAL APPLICATION FORM**



**Include SCHOOL DECLARATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

Taryn Leduc, PAC President  
Bench Elementary School

250-743-5552

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**6. BETA SIGMA PHI BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Awarded to a student who is proceeding to post-secondary training or education in any field.
- ◆ Preference **will** be given to a relative of an active (Cowichan Valley Area Council) Beta Sigma Phi member if they meet the requirements.
- ◆ The amount of the award shall be paid upon proof of registration at your chosen institution.
- ◆ Student financial need should be indicated.

**BURSARY - \$500**

**Please apply on SPECIAL APPLICATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

Joanne deLure  
Duncan, BC

250-748-7495  
jdelure@shaw.ca

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**7. BILL MURRAY MAPLE BAY ROWING CLUB BURSARIES**

**Conditions**

- ◆ This bursary is open to active Junior rowers of the Maple Bay Rowing Club who are graduating from any secondary school within SD#79 (Cowichan Valley).
- ◆ This award will be paid upon proof of acceptance to any institution of post-secondary training.

**TWO BURSARIES - \$ 200 EACH**

**Contact Person**

Sherry Moffatt  
Maple Rowing Club Bursary Committee  
Crofton, BC

250-246-3256

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**8. BRAYDEN GALE MEMORIAL TRADES BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ This bursary is open to graduating students from Cowichan Secondary who are proceeding to further education at a recognized post-secondary institution on a vocational or trades program. Preference will be given to a student going into welding or sheet metal fabrication.
- ◆ Financial need of the applicant will be considered.
- ◆ Award will be paid toward tuition upon confirmation of acceptance at the chosen institution.

**ONE BURSARY - \$500**

**Contact Person**

Ms. Stella Lum  
CSS Head Secretary

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**9. CANADIAN FEDERATION OF UNIVERSITY WOMEN COWICHAN VALLEY SCHOLARSHIP / BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Available to any female student in School District 79 (Cowichan Valley) who has resided in the Cowichan Valley for at least one year.
- ◆ The applicant must show financial need.
- ◆ The applicant must have contributed to the community.
- ◆ The applicant must have demonstrated scholastic achievement.
- ◆ The applicant must be planning to attend a recognized post-secondary institution.
- ◆ The applicant must supply:
  1. a completed application form.
  2. a financial plan, demonstrating financial need.

3. Two current letters of reference from teachers/employers/community leaders.
4. Appropriate transcripts.
5. A confirmation of registration or acceptance from accredited education institution.
6. A personal letter outlining reasons for making the application, previous education and work experience, volunteer and/or community experience, educational goals and career plans. Please include parents' occupations.

**NUMBER OF BURSARIES/SCHOLARSHIPS TBA - \$1,000 EACH**  
**Please apply on SPECIAL APPLICATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

Applications: Sue Rudolph  
 250-748-1130  
[tworednoses.sr@gmail.com](mailto:tworednoses.sr@gmail.com)

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**10. CANADIAN PARENTS OF FRENCH (COWICHAN VALLEY CHAPTER)**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Parent(s) or guardian must be a member in good standing for two years previous with Canadian parents for French, BC-Yukon Branch.
- ◆ Must be a grade 12 student completing the requirements for the French Immersion program.
- ◆ Preference may, but not necessarily will, be given to a student proceeding with the study of the French Language.
- ◆ Must show they have used their knowledge and application of French within the community.
- ◆ The award is to be paid to any post secondary institution of training upon proof of acceptance.
- ◆ To be claimed within 18 months of being awarded.

**BURSARY \$350**

**Contact Person**

Dana Cowan  
 Duncan, BC

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**11. CANADIAN UNION OF PUBLIC EMPLOYEES – LOCAL # 5101 BURSARIES**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Candidate(s) must be in the immediate family of a C.U.P.E. MEMBER (son, daughter, grandchild) in good standing of Local #5101 (Cowichan).
- ◆ To be awarded to graduating student(s) who will be proceeding to post-secondary education (vocational, technical or academic training)
- ◆ Completion of C.U.P.E. #5101 Bursary Application Form, **accompanied by a personal letter** to include involvement in such things as community or school groups for the past four years; leadership, membership in organizations, teams, etc., and personal interests – (i.e., athletics, music, etc).
- ◆ Letters of reference from respected members of the community to be attached to application form (i.e. school counsellor AND team coach, employer, etc.).
- ◆ A personal interview may be requested of the student by the Bursary Committee if all other conditions are equal between applicants. The student may be accompanied by a school counsellor or other staff member if desired.
- ◆ Upon proof of registration, the bursary will be payable to the institution of the student's choice, to be claimed within 18 months of graduation. A further extension may be granted upon special written request for extenuating circumstances.
- ◆ The decision regarding the number of bursaries and/or amounts is final as determined by the Bursary Committee.

**BURSARY - \$ 500**

**Please apply on SPECIAL APPLICATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

Erin Burton and Lorraine Evans  
 Cowichan Secondary School

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12. **C.U.P.E. PROVINCIAL AWARD**

Applications for the “**AUBREY BURTON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**” can be found online at [www.cupe.bc.ca/resources/bursaries](http://www.cupe.bc.ca/resources/bursaries). These applications are to be **mailed directly to C.U.P.E. B.C. Division** (address and terms of reference are on the application form. Applicant must have a parent/guardian who is a member in good standing of a cupe Local affiliated to CUPE BC, or can be a member of CUPE at the time of application (check website – [cupe.bc.ca](http://cupe.bc.ca) for further information).

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13. **CATALYST PAPER – INDIGENOUS PEOPLES SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**

**Conditions**

- ◆ This is a post-secondary education scholarship program designed to provide financial assistance for high school graduating Indigenous students entering their first year at a public university, community college or institute of technology.
- ◆ Applicants must be a recognized status member of Cowichan Tribes First Nation, Halalt First Nation, Lake Cowichan First Nation, Lyackson First Nation, Penelakut First Nation, Stz’uminus First Nation, or status Inuit or Metis living in the community.
- ◆ Applicants must graduate from grade 12 and be planning to become a full-time student at a technical institute, community college or accredited public university.

**SIX SCHOLARSHIPS - \$1,000 EACH**

**Please apply on SPECIAL APPLICATION FORM and include all attachments.**

**Contact Person**

Ms. Darlene Poole  
Catalyst Paper, Crofton Division  
Box 70  
Crofton, BC V0R 1R0

250-246-6122

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14. **CATALYST PAPER SCHOLARSHIPS**

**Conditions**

- ◆ To be eligible, the applicant must be a dependent of a Catalyst employee; and planning to become a full-time student at a technical institute, community college or accredited public university, following high school graduation and receipt of the award.
- ◆ Deferment of one academic year is permitted where the applicant is participating in a recognized grade 12 student exchange program.

**FOUR SCHOLARSHIPS - \$1,000 EACH**

**Please apply on SPECIAL APPLICATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

Ms. Darlene Poole  
Catalyst Paper, Crofton Division  
Box 70  
Crofton, BC V0R 1R0

250-246-6122

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15. **CHEMAINUS AND DISTRICT BALL ASSOCIATION - HOPWO MOSQUITO TOURNAMENT BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Candidate must have played at least one (1) year of baseball through Chemainus and District Baseball Association.
- ◆ The bursary will be awarded to a SD #79 (Cowichan Valley) graduating student who will be proceeding to post secondary education. NOTE: Aptitude and character will have equal weight in considering awards.
- ◆ A copy of the transcript of marks should be attached to the application form.
- ◆ A letter of reference from a respected member of the community to be attached to the application (i.e. school counsellor, team coach, employer, etc.).
- ◆ The bursary will be awarded upon proof of acceptance at the chosen institution and production of a receipt for payment of tuition.
- ◆ The successful candidate must make use of the bursary within 18 months after receiving the award.

## **BURSARY - \$500**

### **Contact Person**

Larry Hopwo  
Chemainus, BC

250-246-9858

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## **16. CHRIS NELSON FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP**

### **Conditions**

- ◆ Two \$5000 scholarships, awarded to students pursuing a B.Comm. degree, preference given to students accepted to the University of Victoria
- ◆ One \$5000 scholarship, awarded to a student pursuing an arts degree
- ◆ The applicant must show financial need
- ◆ Preference will be given to students living in residence (proof of enrolment in residence is required to receive the award)
- ◆ The applicant must have demonstrated excellent scholastic achievement
- ◆ The applicant must be involved in athletics, extra-curricular, and school participation
- ◆ The applicant must prove a resume of work experience
- ◆ The scholarship shall be awarded to the chosen recipients upon proof of enrolment in their chosen institution
- ◆ The successful candidates must claim their scholarship within one year of receiving the award
- ◆ The applicant must supply:
  1. Completed special application form
  2. Financial plan, demonstrating financial need
  3. Transcript of grades
  4. A one-page narrative summarizing post-secondary and career goals
  5. List special awards/certificates received; volunteer school/community involvement; sports activities/achievements
  6. Two letters of reference

**THREE SCHOLARSHIPS - \$5,000 EACH**  
**Please apply on SPECIAL APPLICATION FORM**

### **Contact Person**

Chris Nelson  
chris@gordonnelsoninc.com

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## **17. CHRISTINA MCLEOD MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

### **Conditions**

- ◆ Awarded to a graduating student of Cowichan Secondary School, residing within the boundaries of either the City of Duncan or District of North Cowichan. The student is proceeding to a post-secondary institution to further his/her studies in Science. Preference will be given to students pursuing Forensic Science.
- ◆ Candidate will be chosen on the basis of: a good scholastic school record; being an active participant and supporter of school activities; an interest in sports, music and drama; and a student who displays sound citizenship.
- ◆ The award shall be paid directly to the student upon proof of enrolment in a post-secondary institution in a field of science. Please present proof of registration to the School Board Office.
- ◆ This is the last year this Scholarship is offered.

**SCHOLARSHIP - \$200**

### **Contact Person**

Ms. Karen Blow, Secretary-Treasurer  
SD#79 (Cowichan Valley)

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18. **CITY OF DUNCAN-WAYNE BLACKLOCK-SCHROEDER MEMORIAL BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Available to a student graduating from Cowichan Secondary School in any program.
- ◆ Awarded to a student proceeding to post-secondary education at a recognized institution in Canada in the field of political science, local government certification or leadership studies.
- ◆ Preference given to a student who participated in a leadership role with student body, student council or junior council.
- ◆ Award will be paid upon receipt of proof of acceptance and registration at a recognized post-secondary institution.

**BURSARY - \$500**

**Contact Person**

Marisa Paitson, CPA, CGA  
200 Craig St  
Duncan, BC V9L 1W3

250-746-6126

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19. **THE CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF NORTH COWICHAN FOREST LEGACY SCHOLARSHIP & BURSARY**

These awards are funded from revenues derived from the Municipal Forest Reserve through the Municipal Forestry Program.

**Conditions**

- ◆ Available to secondary school graduates who reside in the Municipality of North Cowichan.
- ◆ Applicants must be enrolled in a post-secondary sciences study such as forestry, agriculture, environment, fisheries, hydrology, soils, etc. The applicant must be enrolled in a first year program pursuing an education through a Technical School, College, or University.
- ◆ The Municipality will award the scholarship and two bursaries directly to the winners upon proof of enrollment in the post- secondary institution.
- ◆ Financial need will be considered in assessing bursary applications.
- ◆ Deadline: **APRIL 30, 2017**

**Please attach the following to the SPECIAL APPLICATION FORM:**

- ◆ Transcript of grades, including Grades 11 & 12
- ◆ An academic resume, including goals for a degree or technical diplomas, etc.
- ◆ List special awards/certificates received; volunteer school/community involvement; sports activities/achievements; personal hobbies/activities; part-time/summer work experience.
- ◆ Provide not more than one page narrative summarizing career interests or goals and two letters of recommendation.

**ONE SCHOLARSHIP - \$ 1200**  
**TWO BURSARIES - \$ 600 EACH**

**Contact Person**

Mr. Darrell Frank, RPF  
The Corporation of the District of North Cowichan  
Forest Legacy Fund Scholarship & Bursaries  
P.O. Box 278  
Duncan, BC V9L 3X4

250-746-3100

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20. **COWICHAN – COBBLE HILL 4-H DISTRICT BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Available only to a current member of a local 4-H Club who has achieved in the two previous years.
- ◆ Student can be graduating from ANY program but must be proceeding with post-secondary education or training.
- ◆ Bursary will be awarded on the basis of 4-H involvement, academic achievement and demonstrated need.
- ◆ Bursary will be awarded upon proof of acceptance at a recognized post-secondary institution.
- ◆ The bursary must be used within two years of graduation.

- ◆ Please attach a confidential letter from your club leader with a recommendation and club records.

**BURSARY - \$ 500**

**Please apply on SPECIAL APPLICATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

Mary Noakes  
2905 Shawnigan Lake Rd  
Shawnigan Lake, BC V0R 2W1

250-929-8371

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**21. COWICHAN CREAMERY AGRICULTURAL SCHOLARSHIP TRUST SOCIETY**

Cowichan Creamery Agricultural Trust Society offers both scholarships and bursaries and they may be awarded at a date other than on Awards Night.

**Conditions**

- ◆ Open to students on Vancouver Island from Ladysmith south.
- ◆ Students must be continuing their education at a recognized university or college to obtain a degree in a field related to agriculture.
- ◆ Number of scholarships will vary, depending on funds available and number of qualifying applicants.
- ◆ Student must be a Canadian citizen or landed immigrant who has attended (not less than two years) and graduated from a recognized secondary school.
- ◆ Students are able to receive a scholarship/bursary for a total of four years, upon re-application and submission of academic records.

**SCHOLARSHIP – NUMBER AND AMOUNT TBA**

**Please apply on SPECIAL APPLICATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

Mrs. Henrietta Groenendijk  
3210 Mt. Sicker Road  
Chemainus, BC V0R 1K4

250-246-3300  
chgroenendijk@shaw.ca

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**22. COWICHAN DISTRICT TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION**

**Col. R. M. (Richard McNaughton) LENDRUM BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ The bursary shall be awarded to any deserving student who intends to pursue a career in the field of education. This does not preclude students who wish to take undergraduate training in a faculty other than education prior to obtaining the necessary teaching training.
- ◆ A scholastic standing of not less than a C+ average is required.
- ◆ Awarded annually unless at the discretion of the committee there is no eligible applicant.
- ◆ The application is to include the financial circumstances of the student and his/her family.
- ◆ The award shall be paid to the Registrar of any accredited post-secondary institution upon written confirmation of acceptance received by the Committee from the recipient of the award.
- ◆ In the event that the recipient does not continue his/her studies during the year, any sum remaining from fees shall be returned to the CDTA.
- ◆ Normally, the award will be paid out in the year following graduation. In certain circumstances and with a written request to the CDTA, an extension may be granted.
- ◆ Children or grandchildren of CDTA members or retired members may be given preferred consideration in the determination of the recipients of CDTA bursaries.

**THREE BURSARIES - \$ 1200 EACH**

**Please apply on SPECIAL APPLICATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

Janice Rowlings, Cowichan District Teachers' Assoc.  
201-394 Duncan St.  
Duncan, BC V9L 3P4

250-748-2251  
cowichandta@shaw.ca

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**23. COWICHAN DIVISION OF FAMILY PRACTICE SCHOLARSHIP AND BURSARY**

**Conditions of Bursary**

- ◆ The purpose of this bursary is to assist students in the attainment of higher education in the health care field. The bursary will be open to graduating high school students who are year-round residents of the Cowichan Valley Regional District.
- ◆ Student must be proceeding to a training facility or enrolling in a program that would lead to certification or a degree in the health care field.
- ◆ Student must be enrolled in extracurricular activities, school and/or community participation.
- ◆ Financial need will be considered.
- ◆ Bursary must be claimed within two years of graduation and upon proof of enrollment.

**Conditions of Scholarship**

- ◆ The purpose of this scholarship is to assist students in the attainment of higher education whose intent is applying for a medical degree. The scholarship will be open to graduating high school students who are year-round residents of the Cowichan Valley Regional District.
- ◆ Student must be proceeding to a training facility or enrolling in a program that would lead to a medical degree.
- ◆ Student must be involved in extracurricular activities, school and/or community participation.
- ◆ Student must have an academic standing with average academic scores of at least 85%.
- ◆ The scholarship must be claimed within two years of graduation and upon proof of enrollment.

**ONE BURSARY - \$500 and ONE DISTRICT WIDE SCHOLARSHIP - \$1,000**

**\*\*Please request the special criteria information sheet**

**Contact Person**

Tiffany Littmann  
Suite 103-149 Ingram St  
Duncan, BC V9L 1N8

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**24. COWICHAN FIELD HOCKEY ASSOCIATION BURSARIES (FOR MALE AND FEMALE PLAYERS)**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Awarded to a student from public or private school proceeding to post-secondary academic or vocational training at any public institution in North America.
- ◆ The applicant must be a graduate of an accredited high school in the Cowichan Valley.
- ◆ The applicant must have played a minimum of three (3) years with either Cowichan Jr. Field Hockey and/or Cowichan Field Hockey Association.
- ◆ Specify on the application how long applicant has been an active member of CFHA and/or CJFH and list major activities applicant and/or family members have taken part in or helped with related to and for the good of Field Hockey in the Cowichan Valley.
- ◆ The award shall be paid to the Registrar of any accredited post-secondary institution upon written confirmation of acceptance.
- ◆ Bursary must be used with two (2) years after receiving the award.

**TWO BURSARIES - \$ 300 EACH**

**Please apply on SPECIAL APPLICATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

Karalyn Joyce  
Duncan, BC

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**25. COWICHAN FOLK GUILD BURSARY**

This bursary has been established for a Cowichan Valley graduating student interested in studying the musical arts.

**Conditions**

- ◆ Student intends to continue studying the musical arts. However, preference will be given to those applicants who wish to study and pursue a career in the musical folk arts.

- ◆ In addition to the completion of the Standard Application Form, **applicant must write a 500-1000 word essay explaining their interest in music and how they intend to use the bursary.**
- ◆ Preference will be given to students who are currently involved in the Cowichan Valley Folk Music scene and will not necessarily be awarded each year.

**BURSARY - \$ 300**

**Contact Person**

Glen McDonald  
Cowichan Folk Guild  
PO Box 802  
Duncan, BC V9L 3Y1

250-748-3975

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**26. COWICHAN ITALIAN CULTURAL SOCIETY – GIANNI BIANCO MEMORIAL BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Open to students graduating from SD#79 (Cowichan Valley) and proceeding to post-secondary education or training.
- ◆ Recipient must be of Italian descent (minimum third generation Italian) and whose parents are members “in good standing” of the Cowichan Italian Cultural Society.
- ◆ A letter indicating family background, length of time in Canada, extra-curricular activities and reasons for applying is necessary and must be attached to the Standard Application Form.
- ◆ The applicant need not be a high academic achiever but must show a steady progress in his/her studies. Grade 11 and 12 marks must be included with application.

**BURSARY - \$ 200**

**Contact Person**

Mr. Pat Biello  
Lake Cowichan Secondary School

[pbiello@sd79.bc.ca](mailto:pbiello@sd79.bc.ca)

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**27. COWICHAN PETROLEUM 4-H BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Available only to a current member of a local 4-H club who has achieved in the two previous years.
- ◆ Student can be graduating from any program but must be proceeding with post-secondary education or training.
- ◆ Bursary will be awarded on the basis of 4-H involvement, academic achievement and demonstrated need.
- ◆ Bursary will be awarded upon proof of acceptance at a recognized post-secondary institution.
- ◆ The Bursary must be used within two years of graduation.

**BURSARY - \$ 500**

**Please apply on SPECIAL APPLICATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

Mary Noakes  
2905 Shawnigan Lake Rd  
Shawnigan Lake, BC V0R 2W1

250-929-8378

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**28. COWICHAN PETROLEUM DAN TIESU MEMORIAL BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Open to any student graduating from Cowichan Secondary School.
- ◆ Applicant must have community involvement, have done volunteer work, show financial need, and is involved in, or have a passion for, sports.

**BURSARY - \$500**

**Contact Person**

Mr. Darcy Pridham  
Cowichan Petroleum Sales  
2999 Allenby Rd  
Duncan, BC V9L 6V8

250-746-4511



**29. COWICHAN PRINCIPALS' & VICE-PRINCIPALS' ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP**

- ◆ Awarded to a deserving student graduating and proceeding to post-secondary education.
- ◆ Submit a letter, including recognition of academic achievement, leadership in the school, participation and volunteer work in the school and community.
- ◆ Before we issue the cheque, we need proof of full time registration in a post-secondary institute.
- ◆ You have up to 2 years to request and utilize the bursary.

**SCHOLARSHIP - \$ 500**

**Contact Person**

Ms. Updesh Cheema, Principal  
Tansor Elementary

250-748-4631  
ucheema@sd79.bc.ca

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**30. COWICHAN RUGBY CLUB – LARRY THIBODEAU MEMORIAL BURSARY**

Mr. Thibodeau was a student at Cowichan Secondary School and a lifetime member of the Cowichan Rugby Club. The bursary fund was struck after his death following a long and courageous battle with cancer.

Larry was an all round sportsman, particularly in the sport of rugby at both the player and administrative level. When playing the game became impossible, he continued as an active member of the club's executive committee for many years despite his illness.

**Conditions**

- ◆ The award is open to both male and female applicants.
- ◆ Applicants must be active participants in the sport of rugby at Cowichan Secondary School.
- ◆ Applicants must meet the accepted criteria for matriculation.
- ◆ This award is open to students planning to continue their education at a post-secondary level, including trades. The award will be turned over contingent to proof of registration at the institution of their choice.

**TWO BURSARIES - \$ 250 EACH**

**Contact Person**

Mr. Ron Glass  
Cowichan Secondary School

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**31. COWICHAN SECONDARY BAND 12 AWARD**

This scholarship has been fundraised by the hard work and commitment of the students of the Cowichan Secondary Band Concert.

**Conditions**

- ◆ Available to student(s) who have taken Band 12 at Cowichan Secondary School.
- ◆ Selection of recipients will be based on musical performance abilities, academic achievement, (in music only), community-mindedness and enthusiasm and commitment to the Band.
- ◆ Class discussion may be used to help select the recipient.

**BURSARY – ONE @ \$1000 or TWO @ \$500**

**Contact Person**

Mr. Paul Spelt  
Cowichan Secondary School (Quamichan Campus)

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**32. COWICHAN SECONDARY GRADUATES BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Available to a student graduating from Cowichan Secondary School in any program.
- ◆ Awarded to a student proceeding to post-secondary education at a recognized institution in Canada in any program.
- ◆ Preference given to a student who has demonstrated leadership and a commitment to community work.

- ◆ Financial need will be considered in assessing bursary applications.
- ◆ Award will be paid upon receipt of proof of acceptance and registration at a recognized post-secondary institution.

**Please include the following with your application:**

- Transcript of grades, including Grades 11 and 12.
- An academic resume, including goals for a degree or technical diploma.
- List special awards/certificates received; volunteer school/community involvement; sports activities/achievements; personal hobbies/activities; part time/summer work experience.
- Provide not more than a one page narrative summarizing career interests or goals and two letters of recommendation.

**TWO BURSARIES - \$1,000 EACH**

**Contact Person**

Mr. Alan MacKay  
453 Ontario St  
Toronto, ON M5A 2V9

alan.m.mackay@gmail.com

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**33. COWICHAN SECONDARY SCHOOL GRAD COUNCIL BURSARY & SERVICE AWARD**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Available to Cowichan Secondary students graduating on ANY PROGRAM and who will be proceeding to post-secondary education at a recognized BC institution (university, college, technical or vocational school).
- ◆ **On the application form, the student should list school activities in which they have participated, volunteer experience, and academic achievement. The emphasis for selection of winners will be on service to the school and community.**
- ◆ The bursaries will be paid upon proof of acceptance at the chosen institution **and must be used in the year the student has graduated.**

**TWO BURSARIES - AMOUNT TBA**

**Contact Person**

Mrs. Blacklock & Mrs. Rowan  
Cowichan Secondary School

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**34. COWICHAN SECONDARY SCHOOL PARENT ADVISORY COUNCIL BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Available to all students graduating from Cowichan Secondary.
- ◆ Awarded to a student proceeding to post-secondary education at a recognized institution in Canada in any field.
- ◆ Award will be paid **upon receipt of proof of acceptance and registration** at a recognized post-secondary institution

**BURSARY – NUMBER AND AMOUNT TBA**

**Contact Person**

PAC Chair, Cowichan Secondary School

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**35. COWICHAN SPIRIT OF WOMEN BURSARY #1**

**Conditions**

- ◆ This bursary will be awarded to an eligible female graduating student in SD#79 (Cowichan Valley) and proceeding to advanced training at: an accredited post secondary institution in BC to complete course(s) leading to establishing a career.
- ◆ This bursary is offered to a student who is an active member of the community in the Cowichan Valley, BC and based upon financial need, academic performance and community involvement.
- ◆ Proof of enrolment in a recognized post secondary institution is required before receiving the bursary.
- ◆ Estimated final marks for school year must be shown on the application form.
- ◆ Please apply for submitting a personal resume complete with reasons for choosing your program, your financial circumstances and two references.

- ◆ The bursary will be paid directly to the postsecondary institution in which you are enrolled. Unused funds are to be returned to the Cowichan Spirit of Women.
- ◆ Awarded funds are held in trust and if the recipient has not used the bursary within two years of the award, funds revert to the Cowichan Spirit of Women unless a special motion is passed.
- ◆ Please include a cover letter stating your goals and any other pertinent information

**BURSARY - \$ 500**

**Contact Person**

Virginia Radons  
250-746-1091

Helga Lambrecht  
250-748-8722

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**36. COWICHAN STATION ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PARENT ADVISORY COUNCIL BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Applicant must have a minimum of two years in attendance at Cowichan Station Rural Traditional Elementary School. **A signed declaration (available in the Counselling Office) indicating years applicant attended this school must accompany application form.**
- ◆ The applicant must be a graduate of an accredited high school in the Cowichan Valley.
- ◆ Full-time student must be proceeding to further his/her education at any approved post-secondary institution commencing within a 2 year period from date of graduation.
- ◆ Must be registered as a full-time student at a post-secondary institution. (Please see note below)
- ◆ The award will be paid upon proof of acceptance at the chosen school, college, or university.
- ◆ **\*\*Please Note\*\*** Cowichan Station Rural Traditional Elementary School PAC has determined that full-time students means that the student must be enrolled in courses totalling 9 credits per semester.

**BURSARY - \$ 400**

**Include SCHOOL DECLARATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

Tom Dodsworth  
Duncan, BC

250-748-6520

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**37. COWICHAN VALLEY HIGHLAND DANCING ASSOCIATION BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ **Available to a graduating student who has been involved in highland dancing schools in School District # 79. Applicant must be a member in good standing.**
- ◆ The applicants' dancing ability will have no bearing on the committee's decision.
- ◆ The applicant's must provide proof of enrolment to post-secondary education within 18 months of graduation.
- ◆ **Specify on the application how long applicant has been an active member of C.V.H.D.A. and list major activities applicant and/or family members have taken part in or helped with related to and for the good of the C.V.H.D.A.**
- ◆ The committee, at its discretion, may decide not to award the bursary(ies). If there is more than one applicant that the committee feels is deserving, then the bursary will be reviewed and possibly increased and/or divided.

**BURSARY – NUMBER AND AMOUNT TBA**

**Contact Person**

Janice Cross (CVHDA)  
3883 Laurel's Pl  
Cobble Hill, BC V0R 1L4

250-743-7154

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**38. COWICHAN VALLEY MINOR HOCKEY ASSOCIATION BURSARY**

The purpose of this Bursary is to aid hockey player(s) and/or referee(s) within Cowichan Valley Minor Hockey Association to achieve post-secondary education upon completion of their Grade 12 curriculum.

**Conditions**

- ◆ This bursary is open to all registered members and officials of C.V.M.H.A. Consideration will be given to players/officials who have participated up to the midget level with a minimum of 4 years of minor hockey experience.
- ◆ The applicant must be attending high school in SD#79 (Cowichan Valley) or SD#68 (Nanaimo-Ladysmith).
- ◆ The applicant's financial need will be considered, as well as academic performance and good sportsmanship.
- ◆ The applicant must attend a post-secondary institution within eighteen (18) months of graduating from high school. The applicant must show proof of registration acceptance within 18 months of graduation or the Bursary will not be issued. If the recipient chooses not to continue his/her education, the Bursary will be relinquished.
- ◆ The applicant can apply for both the Scholarship and Bursary from CVMHA but cannot receive both.
- ◆ The recipient of the Bursary will be selected by a committee acting on behalf of CVMHA, which will not consist of any parent or guardian of any of the applicants.
- ◆ The committee, at its discretion, may decide not to award the Bursary. If there is more than one applicant that the committee feels is deserving, then the Bursary may be reviewed and possibly divided.
- ◆ The selection made by the committee will be final with no appeals allowed.

**BURSARY - \$ 500**

**Please apply on SPECIAL APPLICATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

President, CVMHA  
2876 Fuller Lake Road  
Chemainus, BC V0R 1K5

250-246-3906

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**39. COWICHAN VALLEY MINOR HOCKEY ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP**

The purpose of this Scholarship is to aid hockey player(s) and/or referee(s) within Cowichan Valley Minor Hockey Association to achieve post-secondary education upon completion of their Grade 12 curriculum.

**Conditions**

- ◆ This scholarship is open to all registered members and officials of C.V.M.H.A. Consideration will be given to players/officials who have participated up to the midget level with a minimum of 4 years of minor hockey experience.
- ◆ The applicant must be attending high school in SD#79 (Cowichan Valley) or SD#68 (Nanaimo-Ladysmith).
- ◆ The applicant's academic achievement will be considered, as well as good sportsmanship.
- ◆ The applicant must attend a post-secondary institution within eighteen (18) months of graduating from high school. The applicant must show proof of registration acceptance within 18 months of graduation or the Scholarship will not be issued. If the recipient chooses not to continue his/her education, the Scholarship will be relinquished.
- ◆ The applicant can apply for both the Scholarship and Bursary from CVMHA but cannot receive both.
- ◆ The recipient of the Scholarship will be selected by a committee acting on behalf of CVMHA, which will not consist of any parent or guardian of any of the applicants.
- ◆ The committee, at its discretion, may decide not to award the Scholarship. If there is more than one applicant that the committee feels is deserving, the Scholarship may be reviewed and possibly divided.
- ◆ The selection made by the committee will be final with no appeals allowed.

**SCHOLARSHIP - \$ 500**

**Please apply on SPECIAL APPLICATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

President, CVMHA  
2876 Fuller Lake Road  
Chemainus, BC V0R 1K5

250-246-3906

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#### 40. COWICHAN VALLEY NATURALISTS' SOCIETY BURSARY

##### Conditions

The applicant must:

- ◆ Reside in the Cowichan Valley (within the boundaries of SD#79 (Cowichan Valley)
- ◆ Be intent on pursuing a course of post secondary studies in the environmental field/sciences.
- ◆ Experience/involvement in nature and conservation pursuits with such organizations as Cowichan Valley Naturalists' Society, Stream Keepers, Nature Conservancy of Canada, Cowichan Community Land Trust, Somenos Marsh Wildlife Society, etc. is a real asset in the selection of a successful candidate for this bursary.
- ◆ Submit a letter of reference from one of the above mentioned organizations to which the applicant has experience or involvement if possible.
- ◆ The bursary will be awarded upon receipt, from the post-secondary institution, indicating that the applicant has been successfully accepted (thus ensuring that the applicant's grades are sufficient for that purpose).
- ◆ The successful applicant could receive the bursary (if graduating in June) for the following September or January enrolment.
- ◆ Application form to be complete and submitted to Counselling Office of the school to which you are applying or to Cowichan Valley Naturalists' Society by April 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2017

##### **BURSARY - \$500**

**Please apply on SPECIAL APPLICATION FORM**

##### Contact Person

Jo Ann Leitch  
#6-55 Station St  
Duncan, BC V9L 1M2

[aljleitch@shaw.ca](mailto:aljleitch@shaw.ca)

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#### 41. COWICHAN VALLEY REGIONAL DISTRICT – AREA B BURSARY

##### Conditions

- ◆ **Available only to a student living in AREA B – CVRD – Shawnigan Lake.**
- ◆ Must be in regular attendance at Cowichan Secondary School.
- ◆ Must be involved in the school and community.
- ◆ Awarded to student(s) graduating on ANY program and who will be proceeding to post-secondary education at a recognized institution (university, college, technical or vocational school).
- ◆ The award will be paid upon receipt of proof of registration at the chosen post secondary institution.
- ◆ The bursary must be used within one year upon receipt.

##### **TWO BURSARIES - \$500 EACH**

##### Contact Person

Ms. Sonia Furstenau  
Area B Director

250-733-0771

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#### 42. COWICHAN VALLEY REGIONAL DISTRICT – AREA C BURSARY

##### Conditions

- ◆ **Available only to a student living in ELECTORAL AREA C – COBBLE HILL.**
- ◆ Must be in regular attendance at Cowichan Secondary School.
- ◆ Must be involved in the school and community.
- ◆ Awarded to student(s) graduating on ANY program and who will be proceeding to post-secondary education at a recognized institution (university, college, technical or vocational school).
- ◆ The award will be paid upon receipt of proof of registration at the chosen post secondary institution.
- ◆ The bursary must be used within one year upon receipt.

##### **TWO BURSARIES - \$500 EACH**

**Contact Person**

Mr. Matteus Clement  
Area C Director  
c/o CVRD  
Duncan, BC

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**43. COWICHAN VALLEY REGIONAL DISTRICT – AREA D BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Available **only** to a student living in **ELECTORAL AREA D – Cowichan Bay**.
- ◆ Must be in regular attendance at Cowichan Secondary School.
- ◆ Must be involved in the school and community.
- ◆ Awarded to student(s) graduating on ANY program and who will be proceeding to post-secondary education at a recognized institution (university, college, technical or vocational school).
- ◆ The award will be paid upon receipt of proof of registration at the chosen post secondary institution.
- ◆ The bursary must be used within one year upon receipt.

**TWO BURSARIES - \$500 EACH**

**Contact Person**

Ms. Lori Iannidinardo  
Area D Director, CVRD  
175 Ingram St  
Duncan, BC

lianni@shaw.ca

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**44. COWICHAN VALLEY RETIRED TEACHERS’ ASSOCIATION (Lloyd Gardner Memorial) BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Awarded to a student who is proceeding to post-secondary education leading to a teaching degree.
- ◆ Student financial need should be indicated.
- ◆ The award shall be paid upon proof of registration in a program leading to a Bachelor of Education.
- ◆ The award must be applied for on a Cowichan Valley Retired Teachers’ Association Application form.
- ◆ There is at least one bursary for students in SD#79 (Cowichan Valley).

**BURSARY - 1 or 2 of \$1,000 each**

**Please apply on SPECIAL APPLICATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

Ms. Heddy Braunwarth  
Shawnigan Lake, BC

rickandheddy@gmail.com

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**45. THE COWICHAN/CHEMAINUS VALLEY’S ARTS SCHOLARSHIPS**

These awards are sponsored by the City of Duncan and the Municipality of North Cowichan with funds generated through the 1987 Festival of Arts, the 1991 BC Winter Games and the BC Hydro Cowichan and Chemainus Valley’s Commonwealth Games Power Smart Sport and Culture Tour.

This year two \$500 Arts Scholarships will be awarded by the Island Savings Centre Commission during the first week of June to deserving local student artists.

**VISUAL OR PERFORMING ARTS STUDENTS WISHING TO COMPETE FOR ONE OF THE TWO ARTS SCHOLARSHIPS MUST MEET THE FOLLOWING CRITERIA:**

- ◆ Applicants must reside year round within the SD#79 (Cowichan Valley) boundaries.
- ◆ Applicants must at present be actively engaged in studying visual, literary and/or performing arts.
- ◆ Scholarship money must be applied by June 30, 2019 to an arts related course, school lessons or instructor fees. Preference will be given to school age applicants.

**TWO ARTS SCHOLARSHIPS - \$ 500 EACH**

**Please apply on SPECIAL APPLICATION FORM**

**YOU MUST INCLUDE:**

1. Copy of transcript
2. Resume of achievements, scholastic, extra curricular, community service, work experience, hobbies, interests, skills, awards (academic or other).
3. Three letters of reference reflecting the best of # 2.
4. A formal letter of application explaining in your own words your reasons for applying for the arts scholarship, why you think you qualify for an award and your goals for the future.

**Contact Person**

Alana MacFarlane, Administrative Assistant  
Cowichan/Chemainus Valleys Arts & Sports Scholarship  
Island Savings Centre  
2687 James St  
Duncan, BC V9L 2X5

250-746-3401  
amacfarlane@cvrld.bc.ca

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**46. THE COWICHAN/CHEMAINUS VALLEY'S SPORTS SCHOLARSHIPS**

This year two Sports Scholarships will be awarded by the Island Savings Centre Commission during the first week of June to deserving local amateur athletes, coaches and officials.

**AMATEUR ATHLETES, COACHES OR OFFICIALS WISHING TO COMPETE FOR ONE OF THE TWO SPORTS SCHOLARSHIPS MUST MEET THE FOLLOWING CRITERIA:**

- ◆ Applicants must reside year round within SD#79 (Cowichan Valley) boundaries.
- ◆ Applicants must have been actively engaged in an organized local sports organization during a portion of 2016/2017 school year, either as an athlete or sports official (i.e. referee, coach, trainer or manager).
- ◆ Scholarship money must be applied by June 30, 2019 to either a sports related course, school, lessons or instructor fees (Cannot be used for a sports season registration fee; Team application not accepted).
- ◆ Preference will be given to school aged applicants.

**TWO SPORTS SCHOLARSHIPS - \$ 500 EACH**  
**Please apply on SPECIAL APPLICATION FORM**

**YOU MUST INCLUDE:**

1. Copy of transcript
2. Resume of achievements, scholastic, extra curricular, community service, work experience, hobbies, interests, skills, awards (academic or other).
3. Three letters of reference reflecting the best of # 2.
4. A formal letter of application explaining in your own words your reasons for applying for the sports scholarship, why you think you qualify for an award and your goals for the future.

**Contact Person**

Alana MacFarlane, Administrative Assistant  
Cowichan/Chemainus Valleys Arts & Sports Scholarship  
Island Savings Centre  
2687 James St  
Duncan, BC V9L 2X5

250-746-3401  
amacfarlane@cvrld.bc.ca

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**47. CROFTON COMMUNITY CENTRE SOCIETY - CROFTON CATERING GROUP BURSARIES**

**Conditions**

- ◆ **Available only to students living in Crofton.**
- ◆ Awarded to student(s) on ANY program and who will be proceeding to post-secondary education at a recognized institution (university, college, technical or vocational school).
- ◆ The award will be paid to the chosen institution upon proof of enrolment during the 2<sup>nd</sup> semester or term.

**TWO BURSARIES - \$ 1,000**  
**Please apply on SPECIAL APPLICATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

Crofton Community Centre Society  
Bursary Committee  
PO Box 406  
Crofton, BC V0R 1R0

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**48. CROFTON COMMUNITY CENTRE SOCIETY  
HUGO LEBITSCHNIG MEMORIAL BURSARY FOR THE TRADES**

**Conditions**

- ◆ **Available only to a student living in Crofton.**
- ◆ Awarded to a student in any trade program and who will be pursuing a trade at a recognized institution (college, technical or vocational school).
- ◆ The award will be paid to the chosen institution upon proof of enrolment during the second semester or term.

**ONE BURSARY - \$ 2,000**

**Please apply on SPECIAL APPLICATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

Crofton Community Centre Society,  
Bursary Committee  
PO Box 406  
Crofton, BC V0R 1R0

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**49. CROFTON COMMUNITY CENTRE SOCIETY - NESSIE VYE MEMORIAL BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ **Available only to a student living in Crofton.**
- ◆ Awarded to a student graduating in ANY program and who will be proceeding to post-secondary education at a recognized institution (university, college, technical or vocational school).
- ◆ The award will be paid to the chosen institution upon proof of enrolment during the second semester or term.

**ONE BURSARY - \$ 1,000**

**Please apply on SPECIAL APPLICATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

Crofton Community Centre Society,  
Bursary Committee  
PO Box 406  
Crofton, BC V0R 1R0

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**50. CROFTON SCHOOL PARENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE - MEERI LAU MEMORIAL BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Available to a graduating student who must have attended Crofton Elementary School for at least four years. A signed declaration (available in the Counselling Office) indicating years applicant attended this school must accompany the application form.
- ◆ Student(s) must be proceeding to post-secondary training at a recognized institute.
- ◆ The award will be paid upon receipt of proof of registration at the chosen post-secondary institution.
- ◆ The bursary must be used within one year upon receipt. The bursary committee will give consideration to the student who is forced to postpone their studies for a valid reason.

**2 BURSARIES - \$ 400 EACH**

**Include SCHOOL DECLARATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

Crofton Elementary, PAC Chair

250-246-3181

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**51. DRINKWATER SCHOOL PARENT ADVISORY COUNCIL BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Available to a graduating student who must have attended Drinkwater Elementary School for a minimum of four years. A signed declaration form (available in the Counselling Office) indicating years applicant attended this school must accompany the application form.
- ◆ Awarded to a graduating student in SD#79 (Cowichan Valley) who intends to further his/her education at any recognized university, college, vocational or technical school.
- ◆ The bursary will be awarded upon receipt of proof of acceptance and registration at a recognized post-secondary institution.
- ◆ Students applying for this award must note that the bursary is based on a combination of factors including: need; contribution to the community; and academic achievement at the secondary level in SD#79 (Cowichan Valley).
- ◆ The bursary is to be used within four (4) months of graduation. An extension of up to a maximum of 15 months may be granted upon receipt of a written request. This will be reviewed by the Bursary Committee.

**ONE BURSARY - \$300**  
**Include SCHOOL DECLARATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

Joanne Cudmore, Bursary Committee  
Drinkwater Elementary

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**52. DRINKWATER ELEMENTARY PAC CALEB KROFFAT BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Available to a graduating student of School District #79 who intends to further his/her education at any recognized university, college, vocational or technical school entering into a trades program or an animal science program.
- ◆ The bursary will be awarded upon receipt of proof of acceptance and registration at a recognized post-secondary institution.
- ◆ The bursary is awarded based on the following combination of factors: need, involvement in school clubs or councils, contribution to the community, academic achievement at the secondary level in SD #79, and athletic involvement at the secondary level or within the Cowichan Valley community.
- ◆ The bursary is to be used within four months of graduation. An extension of up to a maximum of 15 months may be granted upon receipt of a written request. This will be reviewed by the Bursary Committee.

**ONE BURSARY - \$300**

**Contact Person**

Joanne Cudmore, Bursary Committee  
Drinkwater Elementary

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**53. DUNCAN BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION – THE DUFFY & PAT CHASTER, RUTH CRONK, JOCK GILLATT, MIKE GOULDEN, SCOTT MACLEOD, JOE SCALES AND HARRY SJOBERG SCHOLARSHIPS**

**Duncan Basketball Association Registration**

Applicants must have registered and played a minimum of three years in the Duncan Basketball Association.

**School and Community Participation**

Scholarship recipients will be chosen on the basis of academic achievement, participation and achievement in the life and activities of their school and community. Strong consideration will be given to students who have made a significant contribution to basketball in their respective communities by coaching, managing, refereeing, timekeeping or playing basketball.

**SIX SCHOLARSHIPS - \$ 500 EACH**  
**Please apply on SPECIAL APPLICATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

Mr. Brian Simmons  
5835 Brier Road  
Duncan, BC V9L 3E1

250-748-8843

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**54. DUNCAN DAYBREAK ROTARY CLUB PERFORMING ARTS SCHOLARSHIP**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Must be a current graduating student from SD#79 (Cowichan Valley).
- ◆ Proof of RCM or Canadian Conservatory to Grade 8 level if the student is applying for voice or instrument. References from teachers are required.
- ◆ Dance applicants to provide any certificates or levels completed. References from teachers or directors are required.
- ◆ Theatre students must present a portfolio of their activities – certificates for workshops, acting and auditions done. References from teachers and directors are required.
- ◆ Must plan to attend a performing arts program at an accredited post-secondary institution, majoring in performing arts with the goal of becoming a performer, or a teacher, of the performing arts.
- ◆ Student should have participated in the Cowichan Valley Music Festival (Theatre Arts perform in the Speech Arts) and for Theatre, must have performed or been actively involved in local theatre on a regular basis or dance applicants performed in the Music Festival and or theatre productions.
- ◆ Payment of scholarship funds to the successful student will be made upon confirmation of acceptance and registration in an acceptable institute for the performing arts.

**TWO SCHOLARSHIPS - \$1000 EACH**

**Contact Person**

Mike McMenamin  
Past President, Rotary Club  
Duncan, BC

250-748-9034

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**55. DUNCAN ELKS LODGE #69 BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Preference given but is not necessary, to a child or grandchild of a Duncan Elks Lodge member in good standing.
- ◆ Financial need will be taken into consideration.
- ◆ Respectable academic marks.
- ◆ Monies will be paid upon receipt of proof of registration at a post-secondary institution, in any field, within one year.

**BURSARY – TBA**

**Contact Person**

Mr. Eamon Gaunt  
Duncan, BC V9L 3X3

250-746-7335  
eagaunt@shaw.ca

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**56. DUNCAN JUNIOR BASEBALL – JASON MCKINNON MEMORIAL BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Candidate must have played at least three (3) years of baseball through Duncan Junior Baseball Association.
- ◆ The bursary will be awarded to a SD#79 (Cowichan Valley) graduating student who will be proceeding to post secondary education. NOTE: Aptitude and character will have equal weight in considering awards.
- ◆ Completion of the special application form should be accompanied by a letter stating involvement in such things as community or school groups, organizations, teams, etc. for the past three years and personal interests.
- ◆ A copy of the transcript of marks should be attached to the application form.
- ◆ A letter of reference from a respected member of the community to be attached to the application (i.e. school counsellor, team coach, employer, etc.).

- ◆ The bursary will be awarded upon proof of acceptance at the chosen institution and production of a receipt for payment of tuition.
- ◆ The successful candidate must make use of the bursary within 18 months after receiving the award.

**BURSARY - \$ 300**

**Please apply on SPECIAL APPLICATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

Duncan Jr. Baseball Assoc., Treasurer  
 PO Box 201  
 Duncan, BC V9L 3X3

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**57. DUNCAN JUNIOR BASEBALL – MICHELLE YANO MEMORIAL BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Candidate must have played at least three (3) years of softball through Duncan Junior Baseball Association.
- ◆ The bursary will be awarded to a SD #79 (Cowichan Valley) graduating student who will be proceeding to post secondary education. NOTE: Aptitude and character will have equal weight in considering awards.
- ◆ Completion of the special application form should be accompanied by a letter stating involvement in such things as community or school groups, organizations, teams, etc. for the past three years and personal interests.
- ◆ A copy of the transcript of marks should be attached to the application form.
- ◆ A letter of reference from a respected member of the community to be attached to the application (i.e. school counsellor, team coach, employer, etc.).
- ◆ The bursary will be awarded upon proof of acceptance at the chosen institution and production of a receipt for payment of tuition.
- ◆ The successful candidate must make use of the bursary within 18 months after receiving the award.

**BURSARY - \$ 300**

**Please apply on SPECIAL APPLICATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

Duncan Jr. Baseball Assoc., Treasurer  
 PO Box 201  
 Duncan, BC V9L 3X3

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**58. DUNCAN LIONS CLUB BURSARIES (TOTAL OF 5 BURSARIES)**

***SUBMIT ONE APPLICATION FOR ALL THREE SEPARATE BURSARIES***

**DUNCAN LIONS CLUB**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Open to any student graduating from Cowichan Secondary School who wishes to further his/her education at a college or university in ANY PROGRAM at an approved institution.
- ◆ Financial need will be the main factor for consideration, and secondly, the academic achievement of the student.
- ◆ The bursary will be paid for tuition to the institution upon proof of acceptance received.
- ◆ The decision of the Bursary Committee and Lions Club is final and not transferable.

**ONE BURSARY - \$3,500**

**DUNCAN LIONS SASSY LION THRIFT STORE BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Open to any student graduating from Cowichan Secondary School who wishes to further his/her education at a college or university in ANY PROGRAM at an approved institution.
- ◆ Financial need will be the main factor for consideration, and secondly, the academic achievement of the student.

- ◆ One-half of the bursary will be paid for tuition to the institution upon proof of acceptance received, the other one-half will be given for the second term or semester.
- ◆ The decision of the Bursary Committee and Lions Club is final and not transferable.

**THREE BURSARIES - \$3,500 EACH**

**DUNCAN LIONS TIM JANG MEMORIAL BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Open to any student graduating from Cowichan Secondary School who wishes to further his/her education at a college or university in ANY PROGRAM at an approved institution.
- ◆ Financial need will be the main factor for consideration, and secondly, the academic achievement of the student.
- ◆ One-half of the bursary will be paid for tuition to the institution upon proof of acceptance received, the other one-half will be given for the second term or semester.
- ◆ The decision of the Bursary Committee and Lions Club is final and not transferable.

**ONE BURSARY - \$3,500**

***SUBMIT ONE APPLICATION FOR ALL THREE SEPERATE BURSARIES***

**Contact Person**

Mr. Gordon Farrell  
Duncan, BC

250-748-7655  
gsfarrell@shaw.ca

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**59. ECOLE MT. PREVOST (formerly Ecole Duncan EI) PAC BURSARIES**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Applicant must have had two years in attendance at Duncan Elementary School as well as completed the French Immersion Program at the elementary level. A signed declaration (available in the Counselling Office) indicating years applicant attended this school must accompany application form.
- ◆ Student must be proceeding to further his/her education at any approved post-secondary institution.
- ◆ Proof of acceptance to a post-secondary institution must be sent to Ecole Mt. Prevost PAC.
- ◆ One of these bursaries will go to a graduating student of the French Immersion Program (proof of Français Langue 12 is required) **AND** one of the bursaries will go to a graduating student who hasn't necessarily graduated in the French Immersion program.

**TWO BURSARIES - \$ 500 EACH**

**Include SCHOOL DECLARATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

Amber Marsh, PAC President  
Ecole Mt. Prevost Elementary

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**60. ECOLE MT. PREVOST MIDDLE SCHOOL PAC – BRETT McCALLUM MEMORIAL BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Open to graduating students who attended Mt. Prevost Middle School for three years and attended a SD#79 school for the next three years. A signed declaration form (available in the Counselling Office) indicating the years the applicant attended this school must accompany the application form.
- ◆ Applicants must have been involved in an extra-curricular activity for a minimum of 1 year and supported the success of that activity within SD#79.
- ◆ Financial need will be considered.
- ◆ Recipient will be chosen on effort/improvement, positive contribution to the school community, and demonstration of a positive attitude.
- ◆ The bursary will be awarded upon receipt of proof of acceptance at a recognized post secondary institution.
- ◆ The recipient of the bursary will be selected by Mt. Prevost PAC Bursary Committee.
- ◆ The PAC, at its discretion, may decide to not award the bursary. If there is more than one applicant that the PAC feels is deserving, then the bursary may be reviewed and possibly divided.

- ◆ The selection made by the PAC will be final with no appeals permitted.
- ◆ The recipient may take up to 18 months to claim the bursary.

**TWO BURSARIES - \$ 500 EACH**  
**Please apply on SPECIAL APPLICATION FORM**  
**Include SCHOOL DECLARATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

Ms. Karen Blow, Asst. Secretary-Treasurer  
 SD#79 (Cowichan Valley)

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**61. EVENING OPTIMIST CLUB OF VICTORIA BURSARIES**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Available to students from the Greater Victoria, Sooke, Saanich, or Cowichan School Districts intending to go on to any community college or vocational school in BC in a course of eight months or longer. NON-ACADEMIC APPLICANTS ONLY PLEASE.
- ◆ Have passing average and entrance prerequisites for chosen course (not necessarily secondary school graduation).
- ◆ Has given best effort to studies.
- ◆ Good citizen with a clean record.
- ◆ Participates in school activities.
- ◆ Course chosen must not have an automatic subsidy.
- ◆ Demonstrate financial need.

Please submit the following:

- ◆ Letter of application indicating need
- ◆ Letter of recommendation from principal, teacher or school counsellor
- ◆ Current transcript of grades
- ◆ A brief outline of community or extra-curricular activities

**TWO BURSARIES - \$ 750 EACH**

**Contact Person**

Mr. John McDonald  
 Chairman, Bursary Committee  
 1776 Taylor Street  
 Victoria, BC V8R 3E9

250-598-7423

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**62. FAIRBRIDGE FARM SCHOOL BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ To be eligible, students must be enrolled in a university, college, or vocational school.
- ◆ Financial need will be the main factor for consideration.
- ◆ Applicants must write a one page essay on the Prince of Wales Fairbridge Farm School OR Child Migration to Canada AND attend a lunchtime seminar on **\*\*Monday, March 7, 2016.\*\***

**BURSARY- 2 - \$500**  
**Please apply on SPECIAL APPLICATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

Pat Skidmore  
 Saltspring Island, BC

[patricia@patriciskidmore.com](mailto:patricia@patriciskidmore.com)

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**63. FRATERNAL ORDER OF EAGLES – OFFICERS AND MEMBERS OF NO. 2546 BURSARIES**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Must be a Canadian Citizen and reside in SD#79 (Cowichan Valley). This award is open to a student graduating on ANY PROGRAM and proceeding to a post-secondary institute of training in ANY FIELD.

- ◆ Preference may, but not necessarily will, be given to a son or daughter of a member of this organization.
- ◆ Award will be paid upon proof of acceptance at any institution of post-secondary training.
- ◆ Available to graduating students from Cowichan Secondary, Chemainus Secondary and Lake Cowichan Secondary Schools.

**BURSARY - \$1000**

**Please apply on SPECIAL APPLICATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

Brenda Leakey (Secretary)  
Fraternal Order of Eagles, Office Aerie 2546  
2965 Boys Rd  
Duncan, BC V9L 4T8

250-746-4719

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**64. FRATERNAL ORDER OF EAGLES CHEMAINUS/CROFTON AERIE 4400**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Bursary is available to all students.
- ◆ Preference will be given to students residing in the Chemainus/Crofton area.
- ◆ Financial need will be considered.
- ◆ Bursary is available to students pursuing a post-secondary education either academic or vocational.
- ◆ The award must be claimed within one year of graduation unless a written letter is submitted asking to extend the award.
- ◆ Upon acceptance and written confirmation from the post-secondary institution, the Bursary will be paid directly to the institute.

**BURSARY - \$1000**

**Contact Person**

Jason Lovstad, Secretary  
PO Box 45  
Chemainus, BC V0R 1K0

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**65. FRIENDS OF FUTURE TEACHERS – TOM MILLER BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ The bursaries shall be awarded to three students at Cowichan Secondary School **who intend to pursue a career in the field of education.**
- ◆ Enclose a letter stating why you have chosen the field of education.
- ◆ A scholastic standing of not less than a C+ average is required.
- ◆ The application is to include the financial circumstances of the student and his/her family.
- ◆ The award shall be paid upon receipt of admission to any accredited post-secondary institution.
- ◆ Normally, the award will be paid out in the year following graduation. In certain circumstances and with a written request to the Friends of Tom Miller, a one year extension may be granted.

**TWO BURSARIES - \$ 1000 EACH**

**Include a copy of a transcript of marks and a letter stating why you want to go into the field of education**

**Contact Person**

Sharon Annis  
Duncan, BC

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**66. GEORGE ALISTAIR MacKAY SCHOLARSHIPS**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Applicants must ordinarily be residents within the boundaries of the Municipality of North Cowichan only.
- ◆ Applicant must be proceeding to a recognized post-secondary institution. There is no restriction on field of studies.

- ◆ Athletic interest and aptitude shall be of equal importance to academic achievement and school/community participation.
- ◆ Award will be paid upon proof of registration and payment of course fees to the chosen university.

**SCHOLARSHIP- \$500**

**Contact Person**

Ms. Karen Blow, Asst. Secretary-Treasurer  
SD#79 (Cowichan Valley)

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**67. GEORGE BONNER PARENT ADVISORY COUNCIL BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Available to a SD# 79 (Cowichan Valley) graduating student who previously attended George Bonner Middle School for a minimum of one year (proof of attendance required).
- ◆ Is proceeding to a training facility and enrolling in a program that will lead to a certificate or degree.
- ◆ Bursary will be awarded on the basis of student's financial need, academic achievement and contributions made to schools and community.
- ◆ Provide letter of reference from staff or community member.
- ◆ Students must apply for bursary in the school year in which they graduate.
- ◆ Recipient must provide proof of acceptance into post-secondary institution within six months of being notified of the award. However, upon receipt of written request for the extension of the 6-month period, along with reasons for the request, the committee shall give such request every consideration, but the final decision will be at their sole discretion.
- ◆ **Recipient must write a maximum 500-word essay on the person who has influenced his/her education the most.**

**TWO BURSARIES - \$ 500 EACH**  
**Include SCHOOL DECLARATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

Ms. Karen Blow, Asst. Secretary-Treasurer  
SD#79 (Cowichan Valley)

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**68. HARRIS & COMPANY LAW 12 SCHOLARSHIP**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Available to any student taking Law 11 or Law 12 who excels in this course of study.
- ◆ Must be proceeding to post-secondary education.

**SCHOLARSHIP - \$200**

**Contact Person**

Ms. Karen Blow, Asst. Secretary-Treasurer  
SD#79 (Cowichan Valley)

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**69. IRENE MABEL ROBERTSON MEMORIAL BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Awarded to a deserving student graduating from Cowichan Secondary who is proceeding to a post-secondary institution in the field of EDUCATION.
- ◆ Bursary to be paid to recipient upon **proof of acceptance and registration** at the chosen institution.
- ◆ The successful candidate must make use of the bursary within the calendar year of receiving the award.

**BURSARY - \$500**

**Contact Person**

Stella Lum, Head Secretary  
Cowichan Secondary School

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**70. IRENE PARADIS NURSING BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Open only to females graduating from Cowichan Secondary School.
- ◆ Students must be proceeding to a full programme of studies leading to **registration in the B.C. Registered Nurses' Association.**
- ◆ Student must show a satisfactory scholastic achievement.
- ◆ Student will be asked to indicate if any other financial support is available (i.e. family assistance, etc.)

**BURSARY- \$ 500**

**Contact Person**

Mrs. S. Ellison  
6124 Evans Rd  
Duncan, BC V9L 6K5

250-746-7919

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**71. KHOWHEMUN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PARENT ADVISORY COUNCIL BURSARIES**

These bursaries are designed to strengthen our community by supporting our students in pursuit of continued educational programs after completion of their secondary school education

**Conditions**

- ◆ Available to a student who attended Khowhemun Elementary School for a minimum of three years. A signed declaration indicating dates the applicant attended Khowhemun must accompany the standard application form.
- ◆ Student must have completed his/her secondary school education in SD#79 public schools.
- ◆ The bursaries will be awarded to the student upon proof of enrolment in any recognized post-secondary institution, vocational or technical school.
- ◆ The award must be used within 12 months of receipt. Upon receiving a written request with reasons for an extension of the 12-month limitation, the PAC Committee will give such a request every consideration.

**TWO BURSARIES - \$ 250 EACH**  
**Include SCHOOL DECLARATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

Shane Duggan, Vice-Chair,  
Khowhemun Elementary PAC

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**72. KINETTE CLUB OF DUNCAN BURSARIES**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Open to Cowichan Secondary students graduating on ANY program and proceeding to a post-secondary institution for further education or training.
- ◆ Award to be paid to institution upon proof of acceptance.
- ◆ Indication clearly stated in regard to financial need.
- ◆ Preference will be given to a student continuing his/her education in a field related to community service, such as a nurse (R.N. or practical), teacher, etc.
- ◆ Preference will be given to anyone assisting with KIN projects.

**TWO BURSARIES x TBA**  
**Please apply on SPECIAL APPLICATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

Mrs. Kelly Woywitka  
250-748-7208

Mrs. Cindy Webster  
250-748-5177

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73. **KINSMEN CLUB OF DUNCAN BURSARIES**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Open to Cowichan Secondary students graduating on ANY programme and proceeding to a post-secondary institution for further education or training.
- ◆ Award to be paid to RECIPIENT upon proof of registration from institution.
- ◆ Indication clearly stated in regard to financial need.
- ◆ Preference will be given to those showing exceptional community service.
- ◆ Applicants MUST have demonstrated involvement in community service.

**BURSARY - \$ 1000**

**Contact Person**

Mr. Jason Czettisch  
c/o 325 Jubilee St  
Duncan, BC V9L 1W9

250-746-7168

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74. **KINSMEN CLUB OF DUNCAN (DAN TIESU MEMORIAL) BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Open to any student graduating from School District 79 (Cowichan Valley).
- ◆ Applicant must have community involvement; have done volunteer work; show financial need; and is involved in, or have a passion for, sports.

**BURSARY - \$1,000**

**Contact Person**

Mr. Jason Czettisch  
c/o 325 Jubilee St  
Duncan, BC V9L 1W9

250-746-7168

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75. **KINSMEN CLUB OF DUNCAN (Gerry Ryan Memorial) BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Open to students enrolled at Cowichan Secondary School and Frances Kelsey Secondary School that have displayed entrepreneurial spirit, involvement in school activities, and that have displayed service to the community.
- ◆ A letter must accompany the Standard Application Form, outlining your reasons for applying for this bursary, your entrepreneurial direction, your involvement in school or sports activities, and your service involvement within the community.
- ◆ Open to students graduating on any program and proceeding to a post-secondary institution for further education or training.
- ◆ Award to be paid to student upon proof of registration from institution.
- ◆ Incomplete applications will not be considered.

**BURSARY - \$ 1000**

**Contact Person**

Mr. Jason Czettisch  
c/o 325 Jubilee St  
Duncan, BC V9L 1W9

250-746-7168

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76. **THE KIWANIS CLUB OF DUNCAN MEMORIAL BURSARIES**

**This is a memorial bursary in honour of Bill Burak, a Kiwanian.**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Open to graduating Cowichan Secondary School students proceeding to a post-secondary institution for further education in a career or **recognized trade** (i.e. welding, culinary arts, etc).
- ◆ Award to be paid to student upon proof of registration in a post-secondary institution being provided to the Kiwanis Club of Duncan.
- ◆ Bursary will expire eighteen (18) months from the date of the award.

**TWO BURSARIES - \$ 500 EACH**

**Contact Person**

Mr. Dave Clark  
Duncan, BC

[djclark@shaw.ca](mailto:djclark@shaw.ca)

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**77. LADIES' AUXILIARY TO THE FRATERNAL ORDER OF EAGLES BURSARIES**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Open to a student graduating from SD#79 (Cowichan Valley) on ANY program and proceeding to post-secondary education or training in any field.
- ◆ Preference may, but not necessarily will, be given to a son or daughter of a member of this organization.
- ◆ Award will be paid upon proof of acceptance to any post-secondary institution.
- ◆ Award must be used by December 31st of the year it is awarded.

**ONE BURSARY @ \$ 600**

**Please apply on SPECIAL APPLICATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

Frances Ryan  
fran-ryan@shaw.ca

250-746-6451

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**78. LORI CARROLL BURSARY FOR SPECIAL NEEDS GRADUATES**

**NUMBER AND AMOUNT OF BURSARIES TBA**

**Contact Person**

Phil Newns  
Brentwood College

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**79. MAPLE BAY SCHOOL BURSARY & SCHOLARSHIP**

There are two separate awards, each with a separate set of criteria:

- a) **Scholarship** - based primarily on academic achievement
- b) **Bursary** - based on the overall contribution to the community and as well as academic standing.

**Conditions**

- ◆ Available to graduating students who attended Maple Bay Elementary School for at least four years, excluding Kindergarten. A proviso is included where the student choosing to apply for one of these awards cannot apply for other elementary school bursaries or scholarships. **A signed declaration (available in the Counselling Office) indicating years applicant attended this school must accompany application form.**
- ◆ Will be awarded upon receipt of proof of acceptance and registration at a recognized post-secondary institution.
- ◆ Both awards must be used within 15 months of graduation. An extension will be reviewed by the Committee upon receipt of a written request.

**ONE SCHOLARSHIP & ONE BURSARY - \$ 500 EACH**

**Include SCHOOL DECLARATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

Tasha Crock,  
Maple Bay Elementary School

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**80. MAPLE BAY PAINTERS BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Available to a student graduating from Cowichan Secondary who is planning to further their art education.

- ◆ Student financial need should be indicated.
- ◆ Two or three pieces of completed art work should be submitted.

**TWO BURSARIES @ \$ 200 EACH**

**Contact Person**

Diana Batcheler  
Duncan, BC

250-597-1912

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**81. MONK OFFICE GRADUATION SCHOLARSHIP**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Graduating Grade 12 student going onto post-secondary education.
- ◆ Currently working in the retail trade. Provide a letter from your employer confirming this. Also include a letter describing what you've learned and what you are passionate about.
- ◆ Participation in school and community activities.
- ◆ Scholarship will be paid upon proof of registration at a post secondary institution.

**SCHOLARSHIP – \$500**

**Contact Person**

Ms. Karen Blow, Asst. Secretary-Treasurer  
SD#79 (Cowichan Valley)

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**82. PAIGE WHITELAW MEMORIAL BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Open to any graduating student proceeding to post-secondary education.
- ◆ Awarded to a graduating student from Cowichan Secondary with an emphasis on a balance of: hard work, proven dedication and determination, volunteer work within the school and/or community, athletic involvement and academic success.
- ◆ Payment to be reimbursed to the student after they have enrolled and provide proof of payment.
- ◆ If the program the student desires at the institution of choice is full and the student is wait-listed for one or two semesters, a letter from the institution is required.
- ◆ The bursary payment may be held up to one year due to extenuating circumstances, which must be approved

**BURSARY - \$500**

**Contact Person**

Mrs. Nadine Whitelaw  
250-245-8343  
[nawhitelaw@telus.net](mailto:nawhitelaw@telus.net)

**2<sup>nd</sup> Contact Person**

Ms. Nancy Southern  
250-246-9083  
[inishwn1@gmail.com](mailto:inishwn1@gmail.com)

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**83. QUEEN OF ANGELS SCHOOL - DAVID MCKINNON MEMORIAL BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Available to a graduating Grade 12 student in the Cowichan Valley, including public and private schools, who has completed a minimum of 5 years at Queen of Angels Catholic School.
- ◆ The applicant must be proceeding to post-secondary education or training in the year following graduation.
- ◆ The bursary will be awarded to a student who will be pursuing an education in a business or accounting related field or a trade.
- ◆ The bursary will be paid to the individual upon proof of enrollment at a recognized school or institute to further his/her education or training with the discretion of the principal and Mrs. Elizabeth McKinnon.
- ◆ The applicant should state his/her reason for pursuing the choice of career and how it relates to equipping him/her to be of service to the community.
- ◆ The funds will be held in trust and if the recipient has not used the bursary within one year of the award, an extension will be reviewed by the Principal of Queen of Angels School and Mrs. Elizabeth McKinnon upon receipt of request for a possible one year extension.

**BURSARY - \$500**

**Include Queen of Angels SCHOOL DECLARATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

Mrs. Kathy Korman, Principal  
Queen of Angels School

250-746-5919

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**84. QUEEN OF ANGELS SCHOOL – ROBERTHA HONORA PASCOE MEMORIAL BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Available to a graduating Grade 12 student in the Cowichan Valley, including public and private schools, who completed Grade 9 at Queen of Angels School.
- ◆ The applicant must be proceeding to post-secondary education or training in the year following graduation.
- ◆ The bursary will be awarded to a student who is pursuing a career in literacy or visual arts.

**BURSARY - \$250**

**Include Queen of Angels SCHOOL DECLARATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

Mrs. Kathy Korman, Principal  
Queen of Angels School

250-746-5919

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**85. QUEEN OF ANGELS SCHOOL PARENT AUXILIARY BURSARIES**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Available to a graduating student from a public or private school in SD#79 (Cowichan Valley) who has attended Queen of Angels School for a minimum of four years. A signed declaration indicating years applicant attended must accompany the application form (form available at Q of A school office or email and must be signed by Q of A school admin staff).
- ◆ Awarded to a graduating student who intends to further his/her education at any recognized university, college, vocational or technical school.
- ◆ The bursaries will be awarded based on academic achievement, community and school involvement. Please mention your involvement in the Q of A school community in **your personal letter**.
- ◆ The bursaries are to be paid to any post-secondary institute upon proof of acceptance.
- ◆ The bursaries are to be used within 12 months of graduation. The Bursary Committee, upon written receipt of a written request, will review upon extension. This must be received by the committee chair by June 10 of the graduating year.

**FOUR BURSARIES - \$ 250 EACH**

**Include Queen of Angels SCHOOL DECLARATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

Sandra Stewart  
c/o Queen of Angels School

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**86. ROBERT HARPER BURSARY**

This bursary was created to honour the former Cowichan Valley School District Secretary-Treasurer, Robert Harper, and is funded through donations made by co-workers, friends and family upon his retirement. Mr. Harper, though an accountant by trade, is a skilled craftsman who enjoys woodworking, photography and textile arts among his many hobbies.

**Conditions**

- ◆ Open to a student graduating from SD#79 (Cowichan Valley) who is enrolled in Trades training leading to a Red Seal Designation.
- ◆ The applicant must demonstrate financial need.
- ◆ The applicant is to provide a showcase of work or projects completed in the red seal designation of choice.
- ◆ The recipient of the Bursary is to be chosen by Robert Harper, former Secretary-Treasurer of the Cowichan Valley School District.

## TWO BURSARIES - \$500 EACH

### **Contact Person**

Ms. Karen Blow  
SD#79, Asst. Secretary-Treasurer

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### **87. ROBERT SKENE MEMORIAL BURSARY**

The purpose of the bursary is to encourage and assist students in attainment of higher education in the field of accounting/business administration.

### **Eligibility**

Open to a graduating student of Cowichan Secondary School, residing within the boundaries of either the City of Duncan or the Municipality of North Cowichan. The student is proceeding to a post-secondary Institution to further his/her studies in accounting/business administration.

### **Payment of Fees**

Payment of the annual bursary will be made directly to the student upon proof of enrolment in a post-Secondary institution in a field of accounting/business administration.

### **Selection Criteria**

- ◆ A good scholastic school record
- ◆ An active participant and supporter of school activities
- ◆ An interest in community and volunteer services
- ◆ The student will display sound citizenship
- ◆ Student's financial need should be indicated
- ◆ The applications will be accepted by the school and reviewed by the Skene Family or designate.
- ◆ The Skene Family, may, in any year, withhold the awarding of the bursary if in their opinion no worthy candidate has applied.

### **BURSARY - \$ 500**

### **Contact Person**

Ms. Betty Francisty  
SD#79 (Cowichan Valley)

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### **88. RON ANDERSON MEMORIAL TRADES BURSARY**

Ron Anderson was a respected Saw Filer and Benchman with various Cowichan Valley Mills for 50 years. Ron worked hard to establish his own company C & R Saw Repairs where he hired, trained and mentored many Cowichan Valley students in both saw filing and welding.

### **Conditions**

- ◆ This bursary shall be awarded to any deserving student who intends to pursue a career in a British Columbia post secondary accredited trades program.
- ◆ The individual must demonstrate excellent work ethic, willingness to learn and follow through with their endeavours.
- ◆ A resume with three updated references that will attest to the student's character must be attached to the application.
- ◆ Financial need will be taken into consideration.
- ◆ Award shall be paid upon receipt of admission to an accredited British Columbia post-secondary institution within a year of receiving the Bursary.

### **BURSARY - \$500**

### **Contact Person**

Ms. Kyla Bridge  
c/o George Bonner Elementary

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89. **ROTARY CLUB OF DUNCAN SCHOLARSHIPS & BURSARIES – ACADEMIC PROGRAM**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Open to Cowichan Secondary School students who are proceeding to further education on ANY PROGRAM at a recognized college, university or vocational school.
- ◆ Proof of your enrollment in a post-secondary school institution by providing the Rotary Club of Duncan with a copy of your confirmation of registration and a receipt for payment of tuition fees is required before receiving the award.
- ◆ Completion of the **Special Application Form** should be accompanied by a **letter** stating involvement in such things as voluntary community work, employment, community or school groups, organizations, sports, arts, etc. outlining the periods of involvement over the past 2 years.
- ◆ Please include the reference to the detailed account of involvement with Rotary or whether parents, grandparents are Rotary Club members.
- ◆ A **transcript** of your marks must be attached to the application form.
- ◆ Bursaries will be awarded on the basis of academic achievement and financial need.
- ◆ Rotarians would like to meet the award winners. Therefore, the recipients will be invited to a meeting, which they should arrange to attend, soon after receiving the award.

**NOTE: You should specify on your application form the Rotary Club of Duncan award numbers for which you are applying and whether you are applying for a Scholarship, Bursary or both. Submit one form only.**

**5 SCHOLARSHIPS - \$ 1000 EACH**  
**7 BURSARIES - \$ 700 EACH**

**Please apply on SPECIAL APPLICATION FORM**  
**Incomplete applications will not be considered.**

**Contact Person**

Jim Dias, Chair, Scholarship Committee  
 c/o Rotary Club of Duncan

250-748-3373  
[jimdias@shaw.ca](mailto:jimdias@shaw.ca)



90. **ROTARY CLUB OF DUNCAN SCHOLARSHIPS AND BURSARIES–VOCATIONAL AND TRADES PROGRAM**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Open to Cowichan Secondary School students who are proceeding to recognized vocational or trade schools, or apprenticeship programs, to complete a course leading to establishing a career.
- ◆ Proof of your enrollment in a post-secondary school institution by providing the Rotary Club of Duncan with a copy of your confirmation of registration and a receipt for payment of tuition fees is required before receiving the award.
- ◆ Completion of the **Special Application Form** should be accompanied by a **letter** stating involvement in such things as voluntary community work, employment, community or school groups, organizations, sports, arts, etc. outlining the periods of involvement over the past 2 years.
- ◆ Please include the reference to the detailed account of involvement with Rotary or whether parents, grandparents are Rotary Club members.
- ◆ A **transcript** of your marks must be attached to the application form.
- ◆ Bursaries will be awarded on the basis of academic achievement and financial need.
- ◆ Rotarians would like to meet the award winners. Therefore, the recipients will be invited to a meeting, which they should arrange to attend, soon after receiving the award.

**NOTE: You should specify on your application form the Rotary Club of Duncan award numbers for which you are applying and whether you are applying for a Scholarship, Bursary or both. Submit one form only.**

**2 SCHOLARSHIPS - \$1000 EACH**  
**2 BURSARIES - \$700**

**Please apply on SPECIAL APPLICATION FORM**  
**Incomplete applications will not be considered**

The Rotary Club reserves the right to modify any of the terms and conditions pertaining to these scholarships and bursaries, or withdraw an award where insufficient or unqualified applications are submitted.

**Contact Person**

Jim Dias, Chair, Scholarship Committee  
 c/o Rotary Club of Duncan

250-748-3373  
[jimdias@shaw.ca](mailto:jimdias@shaw.ca)

91. **ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION, BRANCH # 53 BURSARIES**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Applicant **MUST** be the son, daughter, grandson, granddaughter, of a veteran.  
**Please include service number of veteran on application.**
- ◆ Available to a student graduating and proceeding to post-secondary education at a recognized B.C. institution of learning (university, college, technical or vocational school). Preference may be given to those students enrolling in an academic program.
- ◆ Award will be paid directly to the post-secondary institution upon proof of acceptance.

**FIVE BURSARIES - \$ 1000 EACH**  
**Please apply on SPECIAL APPLICATION FORM**

**If you live in an area other than Branch # 53 in Duncan, please contact that branch to submit your Application directly to them.**

**Contact Person**

Betty James  
Duncan, BC

250-746-5998

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92. **ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION-SIR PERCY LAKE SCHOLARSHIP**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Open to all students - Military and/or Legion association is not required.
- ◆ Please pick-up criteria sheet from counselling secretary.
- ◆ A senior secondary student must be accepted in their first year to the University of Victoria, or Royal Roads Campus, or Vancouver Island University (Nanaimo or Cowichan campus), starting in the year the scholarship is presented.
- ◆ The student must be a resident of the area encompassed by South Vancouver Island Zone of the Royal Canadian Legion. See Criteria sheet for region names.
- ◆ The basis of selection is academic excellence and community service. Applicants are point rated using the University of Victoria's entrance requirements as a guideline.
- ◆ The Scholarship is \$2000 and is sponsored by all Legion Branches in the South Vancouver Island Zone.
- ◆ Applications must be made on the Sir Percy Lake Scholarship application form, which is available at all secondary schools and Branches of the Royal Canadian Legion in the South Vancouver Island Zone.

**SCHOLARSHIP - \$2000**  
**DEADLINE FOR RECEIPT TO BRANCHES IS JULY 15, 2017**

- ◆ Only after the Branch interviews and grades the applicants, only the first place entry at each Branch is forwarded to the Zone by July 15, 2017. **The final selection is made by the South Vancouver Island Zone in August.**
- ◆ The scholarship can only be held over to the 2nd semester, at which time if not used, will be forfeited.

**Contact Person**

Ms. Janet Mitchell

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93. **SOMENOS RURAL TRADITIONAL SCHOOL BURSARIES**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Available to a graduating student who **MUST** have attended Somenos Elementary School. A signed declaration form (available in the Counselling Office) indicating years applicant attended this school must accompany the Standard Application Form.
- ◆ Available to a SD#79 (Cowichan Valley) student graduating on ANY program and proceeding to a recognized post-secondary institution for further study or training.
- ◆ Student **MUST** have completed his/her secondary school education in SD#79 (Cowichan Valley).
- ◆ The bursary is based on financial need as well as on academic progress.

- ◆ Applications are also invited from ex-Somenos Elementary students enrolled or enrolling in post-secondary institutions who need financial assistance to continue or begin their studies.
- ◆ The award **must** be used within 12 months of receipt. Upon receiving a written request with reasons for the extension of the 12 month limitation, the Bursary Committee will give such a request every consideration.

**TWO BURSARIES - \$ 200 EACH**  
**Include SCHOOL DECLARATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

Ms. Lisa Mayea  
[pisster@shaw.ca](mailto:pisster@shaw.ca)

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**94. SOMENOS WOMEN'S INSTITUTE CENTENNIAL BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ The applicant must be a current, full time, female student in attendance at Cowichan Secondary School.
- ◆ Preference will be given to a student continuing her education in a field related to community service.
- ◆ Preference will be given to students continuing their education at a B.C. institute or technical school.
- ◆ The applicant must provide a record of her participation in school and community activities and/or job.
- ◆ The applicant must complete a financial need form (included).
- ◆ The bursary will be paid upon proof of acceptance and registration at the chosen institution or technical school.
- ◆ Deadline for payment of bursary is December 31<sup>st</sup> of the year the bursary is awarded.

**TWO BURSARIES - \$500 EACH**  
**Include FINANCIAL NEED FORM**

**Contact Person**

Ruth Davis  
 Duncan, BC

250-748-3316

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**95. ST. EDWARD'S CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ This Bursary will be awarded to an eligible student graduating from secondary school and proceeding to advanced training at: university; regional college, technical school; university transfer program; vocational school; school of nursing or medical services training; or Trade Apprenticeship Program.
- ◆ This Bursary is offered to students who are active members of St. Edward the Confessor Roman Catholic Church, Duncan, BC and based upon financial need, academic performance and community and church involvement. Will be approved by the Priest.
- ◆ If there are no suitable applicants in a given year, the bursary will be cancelled for the year under review.

**BURSARY - \$500**  
**Please apply on SPECIAL APPLICATION FORM**  
**Deadline: April 30, 2016**

**Contact Person**

Ms. Linda Kocurek, Education and Health Chairperson  
[ljkcurek@shaw.ca](mailto:ljkcurek@shaw.ca)

250-748-6117

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**96. TANSOR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL BURSARIES**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Available to a graduating student who **MUST** have attended Tansor Elementary School for the final three years of schooling. A signed declaration form (available in the Counselling Office) indicating years applicant attended this school must accompany the Standard Application Form.



- ◆ Available to a SD#79 (Cowichan Valley) student graduating on ANY program and proceeding to a recognized post-secondary institution for further study or training.
- ◆ Student **MUST** have completed his/her secondary school education in SD#79 (Cowichan Valley).
- ◆ The bursary is based on financial need as well as on academic progress.
- ◆ Applications are also invited from ex-Tansor Elementary students enrolled or enrolling in post-secondary institutions who need financial assistance to continue or begin their studies.
- ◆ The award **must** be used within 12 months of receipt. Upon receiving a written request with reasons for the extension of the 12 month limitation, the Bursary Committee will give such a request every consideration.

**BURSARY - \$ 250**

**Include SCHOOL DECLARATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

Ms. Lisa Mayea  
[pisster@shaw.ca](mailto:pisster@shaw.ca)

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**97. TEACHERS OF HOME ECONOMICS SPECIALISTS' ASSOCIATION ('T.H.E.S.A.') BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Open to any student graduating from Cowichan Secondary, Chemainus Secondary, Frances Kelsey or Lake Cowichan Secondary School, **who is pursuing a career in the field of Home Economics.**
- ◆ Financial situation may take preference over academic standing.
- ◆ The bursary will be paid directly to the recipient after proof of admission is received. Unused funds are to be returned to T.H.E.S.A.
- ◆ Awarded funds are held in trust and if a recipient has not used the bursary within a year of the award, funds revert to T.H.E.S.A. unless a special motion is passed.
- ◆ Include a cover letter stating your goals and any other pertinent information.

**BURSARY - \$ 300**

**Please apply on SPECIAL APPLICATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

Donna Lynn Thompson  
 c/o Frances Kelsey Secondary School

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**98. THE DAVE DOUGAN CITIZENSHIP BURSARY**

After ten years as principal at Bench Elementary School, Dave Dougan ended his 37 year long teaching career in SD79 in December 2013. Never was there a principal more loved and appreciated than Mr. Dougan. His commitment to the Bench motto of "Be responsible, Be respectful & Be positive" was evident in everything he did. He lead by example, modeling this motto of good citizenship by treating every child in the school with the same patience, respect and honesty that he did the teachers and the parents.

The Dougan Family have a long history with Bench school. It was the first school built between Victoria and Nanaimo in 1872. It was attended in the 1870s by Dave Dougan's grandfather, in the 1920s by his father, in the 1990s by his own children, and then the place in which he chose to end his esteemed career in 2013. This bursary was established both to honour this history and to inspire future leaders to become the kind of good citizen Mr. Dougan role modeled so well.

A "good citizen" is defined as a person of action, one who takes initiative to contribute to the well-being and betterment of society; a role model for their peers.

**Conditions:**

- ◆ A one page essay showing how you have been respectful, been responsible, and been a positive influence on your community since your elementary school days at Bench. Also state your aspirations for the future.
- ◆ A copy of your transcript showing the years you attended Bench school.
- ◆ The bursary will be awarded to the student with the most well-rounded lifestyle; committed to their studies but also including non-academic interests and community involvement.

- ◆ The bursary will be awarded once proof of enrollment in any post-secondary institution is submitted to the Bench Parent Advisory Council.

**BERSARY - \$500**

**Contact Person:**

Ms. Tanya Friese  
c/o Bench Elementary School

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**99. TOM LEE MUSIC AWARD**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Awarded to a student displaying excellence in music and pursuing a career in music.

**SCHOLARSHIP \$300**

**Contact Person**

Mr. Kris Poole  
Cowichan Secondary School

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**100. TYLER RIDGWAY MEMORIAL TRADES BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ This bursary is open to graduating students from Cowichan Secondary School who are proceeding to further education at a recognized post-secondary institution on a vocational or trades program (non-academic).
- ◆ Financial need of the applicant will be considered.
- ◆ Award will be paid toward tuition upon confirmation of acceptance at the chosen institution.

**BURSARY – NUMBER AND AMOUNT TBA**

**Contact Person**

Mr. Charlie Coleman  
Cowichan Secondary School

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**101. UNITED STEELWORKERS LOCAL 1-1937 SCHOOL DISTRICT #79 EMPLOYEES BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Available to any graduating student whose parents or guardians are members of Local 1-1937 and work for SD#79 (Cowichan Valley)
- ◆ All applicants must be proceeding to any degree granting university, regional college, B.C.I.T., or to any other accredited vocational or technical school to complete a course leading to establishing a career.
- ◆ Proof of enrolment in a recognized educational institution is required before receiving the bursary.
- ◆ Estimated final marks for school year must be shown on the application form.
- ◆ Reserves the right to withhold the bursary if no candidate has a sufficiently high standing of G.P.A. (grade point average).

**AMOUNT AND NUMBER OF BURSARIES TBA**  
**Please apply on SPECIAL APPLICATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

Ms. Teresa Smith  
c/o United Steelworkers, Local 1-1937  
351 Brae Rd, Duncan, BC V9L 3T9

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**102. UNITED STEELWORKERS, LOCAL 1-1937 BOB FREER, ERNIE FREER, JACK MUMM, SYD THOMPSON & BILL WILSON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIPS**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Scholarship is available to a member in good standing, son, daughter, or legal dependant of a member in good standing or of a retired or deceased member who were in good standing with United Steelworkers, Local 1-1937 or the Legacy Local Unions.

- ◆ Currently graduating from a secondary school.
- ◆ Must be planning to enroll in a public post secondary institution as a full time student in September of the following year.
- ◆ Vocational or academic programs are acceptable at any recognized public institution (college, polytech, institute of technology or university).
- ◆ A short essay (maximum 500 words) on the topic “The purpose of a trade union: are today’s unions fulfilling that purpose or have they lost sight of it”.
- ◆ Transcripts for grades 11 and 12.
- ◆ Deadline for application is May 1st in any calendar year.

**SCHOLARSHIP- MINIMUM 4 (Amounts TBA)**

Please apply on **SPECIAL APPLICATION FORM** available at [www.usw1-1937.ca](http://www.usw1-1937.ca)

**Contact Person**

Mr. Patrick Kinney, Financial Secretary  
202-1509 Cliffe Ave  
Courtenay, BC V9N 2K6

250-334-3329

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**103. THE V.L. STANEY - JONES MEMORIAL BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Student must be graduating from Cowichan Secondary School.
- ◆ Student must be a Canadian Citizen.
- ◆ Student must be a student proceeding to further education within B.C.
- ◆ The applicant must be proceeding to a formally acknowledged course of studies at a vocational, trade and technology, or trade school.
- ◆ The applicant must have participated in school activities and displayed good citizenship.
- ◆ The recipient will be chosen by a committee consisting of the Principal of the school or designate, a member of the teaching staff, and the Superintendent of SD#79 (Cowichan Valley) or designate.
- ◆ The award paid directly to the post-secondary institution upon receipt of proof of registration. Please present your proof of registration to the Secretary-Treasurer at the School Board Office.

**BURSARY - \$ 700**

**Contact Person**

Ms. Karen Blow, Asst. Secretary-Treasurer  
SD#79 (Cowichan Valley)

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**104. WOMEN OF THE MOOSE BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Awarded to a SD#79 (Cowichan Valley) student graduating on ANY program who is proceeding to an approved post-secondary institution.
- ◆ Preference may, but not necessarily will, be given to a son or daughter of a member of the Moose Lodge.
- ◆ Upon proof of acceptance, the award will be paid to the Registrar of the chosen institution.

**BURSARY - \$ 500**

**Contact Person**

Betty James  
Women of the Moose  
PO Box 371  
Duncan, BC V9L 3X5

250-746-5998

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**105. YOUTH AND MENTORS IN MUSIC AND THE ARTS BURSARY**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Awarded to a graduating student who must be continuing on in the music and/or performing arts at an accredited college/university upon graduation from secondary school.

- ◆ Proof of acceptance to an accredited college/university must be provided before recipient will receive a cheque.
- ◆ Include resume with music/performing arts background, grades and two letters of recommendation.
- ◆ Bursary must be claimed within two years of being awarded.

**BURSARY - \$300**

**Contact Person**

Ms. Elaine Hennecker  
Shawnigan Lake, BC

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**106. THE COWICHAN WHEELS ASSOCIATION**

**Conditions**

- ◆ Available to students either with a disability or are entering a field with the intention to improve the lives of people with a disability.
- ◆ Bursaries are awarded on merit.
- ◆ Student must be Canadian citizen or landed immigrant, BC resident and attend a post-secondary education institution in BC. If you are attending school in another province you must attach an explanatory letter. Under exceptional circumstance, the award may be approved to an out-of-Province or non-Canadian educational facility.
- ◆ Students are expected to comply with all conditions and requirements of the program as outlined by the education facility and complete the school year or program of study.
- ◆ Successful applicant will be notified in writing by the committee, by July 30, 2017.
- ◆ Proof of registration must be provided to Cowichan Wheels Association within 30 days, along with receipt of payment.
- ◆ The Cowichan Wheels Association reserves the right to cancel any award before payment has been made.
- ◆ Deadline May 31, 2017

**Please pick-up full description of conditions and details from counselling office.**

**BURSARY – TBA**  
**SPECIAL APPLICATION FORM**

**Contact Person**

Mr. Jamie Coleman  
Shawnigan Lake, BC

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