



# **Charles Hays Secondary School**

**Awards,  
Bursaries,  
&  
Scholarships  
2021**



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## CHSS 2021 SCHOLARSHIP & BURSARY APPLICATION PROCEDURE

The CHSS 2021 Scholarship & Bursary Booklet will be available online at <http://sd52.bc.ca/chss/> under “Grad info” by **April 19, 2021**. It outlines the financial awards made available by a number of Prince Rupert organizations and service clubs to graduating students who are planning to attend a post-secondary institution.

These organizations are to be **thanked** for their generosity and for their recognition of the real need that exists for all students who embark on further education.

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The financial awards described in this booklet are listed alphabetically and are classified as awards, bursaries and bursaries.

**Awards:** presented upon fulfilment of specific criteria as outlined in each award description.

**Bursaries:** presented on the basis of fulfilment of criteria and demonstrated financial need.

**Scholarships:** presented on the basis of academic achievement or combined academic, athletic and citizenship

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### How to Apply

1) All students wanting to be considered for awards must fill out an application form and include a personal essay. An attached reference letter would also be useful.

The personal essay will include the following:

- i. introduce yourself
- ii. Explain your post-secondary plans (where you are going, what you plan to study
- iii. Summarize you interests, activities, involvements, accomplishments
- iv. Comment on any financial need you may have, if appropriate. For example, a single parent family with other siblings attending post-secondary school
- v. Closing comments thanking the committee for considering your application.

The personal essay should be **one to two pages maximum** in length and gives the donor a snapshot of who you are.

2) Once you have your application and essay ready, we would like you to make copies for the organizations you are applying to. Read the criteria carefully. **Please make sure you contact Ms. Bryant or Ms. Offutt to find out where to drop of your applications.** Due to the COVID-19 social distancing protocol we will we let you know the process.

3) Deadline for application is

4) Scholarship, bursary and award recipients will be determined by the Scholarships and Awards Committee or some organizations will choose their recipients and notify the school.

**General Criteria** (Given the current situation we have condensed the awards booklet and all awards require that you meet the following criteria

- 1) Must be a graduate of Charles Hays Secondary
- 2) Must be enrolled in a post-secondary institution
- 3) Must provide proof of confirmation of acceptance (include if you have received, in some cases you may be taking a year off before attending post-secondary.
- 4) Scholarships, bursaries and awards must be used within 24 months unless otherwise specified.

***Please note some awards, bursaries, and scholarships have additional criteria and application procedures.***

**NOTE:** At the time of posting due to the COVID-19 pandemic some of the awards have not yet been confirmed and may not be available this year.

### Aboriginal Education Scholarship

Aboriginal Education Council of School District #52 will provide two scholarships to Aboriginal graduates pursuing a full-time program at a post-secondary institution. Scholarship must be used within in 12 months of graduation.

**Amount: 2 X \$500.00**

### Adam Moore Memorial Bursary

The Friendship House on behalf of Prince Rupert Grain and his father, Lance Clark, will provide a bursary in memory of Adam Moore.

**Amount: \$300.00**

### AFFNO Bursary

AFFNO will provide a bursary to a French Immersion graduate. Applicants must write a letter **IN FRENCH** (approx. 200-400 words) outlining what French Immersion has meant to them, what they plan do with French in the future, and what they would use the bursary for.

**\*\*This bursary is not available in Prince Rupert this year as it rotates each year to other schools in the region. \*\***

**Amount: \$500.00**

### All Native Tournament-Jim Ciccone Memorial Bursary

The All Native Tournament with assistance from other organizations will provide a bursary to a student of First Nations ancestry. Applicants should demonstrate ability in the areas of academics, athletics and citizenship. Awards must be used within 15 months of graduation.

**\*\*Please note this award is not confirmed and may not be available. \*\***

**Amount: \$500.00**

### Area A Crab Association

The Area A Crab Association will provide a bursary to a dependent of members of the Association.

**Amount: 1 X \$1000.00**

### Bob Quast Memorial Bursary

The Bob Quast Memorial Award has been established to provide an award annually to a successful candidate. Applicants may be enrolled in an emergency series academy. Applicants must have achieved a C+ or higher in every grade 11 & 12 course in which they were enrolled (candidates for this award are disqualified if they have dropped any grade 11 or 12 course more than halfway through its completion). Important consideration will be given to

applicants who are dedicated to at least **one** extracurricular activity, display excellent citizenship at the school or community level, and have an exemplary attendance and punctuality record. Bursary must be used within 24 months of graduation.

**Amount: \$750.00**

C.U.P.E. Local 105 Bursary

Canadian Union of Public Employees, Local 105 will provide bursaries to applicants who are a son, daughter or legal ward of a CUPE Local 105 (Municipal), Local 105-1 (Library), Local 105-2 (District of Port Edward), Local 105-3 (Village of Masset), Local 105-4 (Skeena Queen Charlotte Regional District) or Local 105-5 (Golf Course Society member). Bursaries must be used within 36 months of graduation.

**Eligible applicants must also fill out an additional CUPE application form at the back of this booklet.**

**Amount: \$250.00- \$500.00**

Canadian Fishing Company Scholarship

The Canadian Fishing Company will be providing scholarships to graduating students. Preference will be given to family members of fishermen or employees of the Canadian Fishing Company Ltd (fishermen, plant employees, tender men or salaried staff). Scholarships must be used within 18 months of graduation.

**Amount: \$500.00**

Canadian National Railway Pacific Division North Scholarship

Established in December 2002 and administered by the N.W. Education '88' Foundation). The Foundation will provide a maximum of two scholarships to graduating students. One child per family per year may be the recipient.

**Amount: 2 X \$500.00**

Canadian Parents for French Bursary

Canadian Parents for French-Prince Rupert Chapter (CPF-PRC) will provide bursaries for graduating French Immersion students who have successfully completed Core French 12. Applicants must currently be a member or a dependent of a current member of Canadian Parents for French. To join CPF (\$25/yr.) please go to [cpf.ca](http://cpf.ca).

**Eligible applicants must also provide a cover letter, IN FRENCH, stating why you should be considered for a bursary.**

**Amount: \$500.00**

CPF Canadian Parents for French

Prince Rupert Chapter

### Chris McIntosh Memorial Bursary

A bursary has been established in memory of Chris McIntosh, a long-time teacher at King Edward and Lax Kxeen. After retirement she continued to tutor in Mrs. White's class at Lax Kxeen. Preference will be given to a former student of Mrs. White.

**Amount: \$250.00**

### CHSS Directors Choice Theatre Bursary

A bursary will be given to an applicant who has participated in theatre throughout his/her high school career both in and out of the classroom. Preference will be given to applicants who have taken one or more of the following courses:

- Drama 10
- Theatre Performance 11 and/or 12
- Directing & Scriptwriting 12
- Peer Tutoring (in a drama class)
- Musical Theatre Performance or Production

The selected student will have participated in two or more of the following: The school musical/major fall production, drama festival, fine arts revue, and/or community theatre. Award must be used within 24 months of graduation.

**Amount: \$500.00**

### CHSS Parent Advisory Committee Bursary

The Charles Secondary School Parent Advisory Committee will provide 4 bursaries to graduating students. Bursaries must be used within 24 months of graduation.

**\*\*Please note: This award has not been confirmed and may be unavailable this year.**

**Amount: 4 X \$600.00**

### CityWest Scholarships

CityWest will provide the Eric Janes Scholarship awarded to the top academic student. CityWest is also pleased to provide one scholarship for a student graduating in the current school year, and who is looking to pursue a career in a technological field. This scholarship is partially funded by the kind donations from CityWest technicians.

**Amount: \$1500.00 (Eric Janes) and \$1250.00 (CityWest)**

### Conner Carter Memorial Bursary

Connor Carter was a student at Charles Hays Secondary School. A bursary will be given in his memory to a graduating student. Preference will be given to a

student who is planning on becoming a Special Education Teacher or enrolling in a program in the helping field.

**Amount: 2 X \$500.00**

Dong Sing Memorial Bursary

A bursary has been established in memory of Dong Sing and will be awarded to a deserving graduate.

**Amount: \$300.00**

DP World Holding Corp. Scholarship

DP World Holding Corp will provide two in scholarships to graduating students. First preference will be given to the candidate/candidates who are the daughters or sons of an employee of DP World Holding Corp or of ILWU Prince Rupert Long Shore Local 505 or 514. If only one applicant qualifies, they will receive \$2000.

**Amount: 2 X \$1000.00**

Filipino Canadian Association Award

The Filipino Canadian Association of Prince Rupert will provide to graduating student or students (divided equally if more than one is eligible). Preference will be given to the son, daughter, or dependent of a member in good standing and active in the association and with the residency of three consecutive years. Award must be used within 12 months of graduation.

**Amount: \$1000.00**

Fran Tanaka Bursary

The Fran Tanaka Bursary will provide a bursary to a graduating student. Preference will be given to applicants that are pursuing a career in the field of sciences. Bursary must be used within eighteen months of graduation.

**Amount: \$500.00**

Frank Amante Memorial Bursary

The Frank Amante Memorial Bursary will provide a bursary to a graduating student who furthers him or herself in mechanical trades or post-secondary education. Preference will be given to applicants entering the mechanical trades.

**Amount: \$250.00**

Friendship House Assoc. - R. W. K. Elliot Bursary

The R.W.K. Elliott Fund was established to provide one bursary to a graduating student. Applicants must take post-secondary studies in the Social Services area.

**Amount: \$200.00**

George William Jeffery Memorial Scholarship

The Jeffrey family will provide a scholarship to applicants who are of First Nations ancestry and a member of the Lax Kw'alaams or Metlakatla Band. Preference will be given to applicants pursuing law, medicine, or education. This Scholarship must be used within 12 months of graduation.

**Eligible applicants must also provide a short letter outlining their commitment to the field they will be pursuing (either law, medicine or education).**

**Amount: \$1000.00**

Gingolx Education Department Bursary

The Gingolx Village Government Education Department will provide a bursary to a graduating student who is of First Nations ancestry and a member of the Kincolith Band. Applicants must provide a copy of their latest report card, a letter of intent (explaining what their educational endeavors are) and a reference letter from the school. Bursary must be used within 12 months of graduation.

**Amount: \$500.00**

Gitmaxmak'ay Bursary

The Gitmaxmak'ay Nisga'a Society will provide four bursaries to graduating students (CHSS OR PCS). Applicants must be a registered Nisga'a citizen in the Gitmaxmak'ay District (with proof of citizenship number). Applicant must be going to a post-secondary institution in September. Bursary must be used within 24 months of graduation. Confirmation of enrollment for a minimum 30 days is required before monies will be distributed.

**Eligible applicants must also provide a cover letter outlining why they should be considered for a bursary.**



**GITMAXMAK'AY**

**"Nisga'a People of the Rainbow"**

**Amount: 4 X \$500.00**

Grad Parent Committee Bursary

The Grad Parent Committee will provide four bursaries to graduating students. Applicants must have demonstrated good grades and attendance

**Eligible applicants must also provide a brief essay outlining what the applicant's plans are for schooling and a statement of goals.**

**Amount: 4 X \$500.00**

Grain Workers Union - Local 333 Bursary

The Grain Workers Union Local 333 Prince Rupert will provide bursaries to graduating students. Applicants must be dependent children covered under the health and benefit plan of Local 333 Prince Rupert members.

**Amount: \$500.00**

Harris and Company Law Award

The Harris and Company provides a \$250 award to the top Law 12 student.

**Amount: \$250.00**

Healthy Choices Bursary

The Prince Rupert Sikh Missionary Society will provide two awards to graduating students who have made the decision to be drug, tobacco and alcohol free during their high school.

The smart and healthy choice to avoid the use of illegal substances, focus on academics and healthy school and community activities is a choice worthy of commendation. Applicants must have not used alcohol, tobacco or illegal drugs during their lifetime and list in detail specific drug prevention activities you have been involved in and list your extracurricular activities both in school and in your community.

**Eligible applicants must also provide a one-page essay (type written and double spaced) that describes specifically how you have lived and modeled a drug free life; why you made the choice to be alcohol and drug free; and what role youth can play in drug free prevention efforts. Applicants must fill out an additional application form at the back of this booklet.**

**Amount: 2 X \$500.00**

Hospital Employees Union Award

The Prince Rupert Local of the Hospital Employee's Union will provide a bursary to a graduating student. First Preference will be given to dependents of H.E.U. members. No second-generation applications accepted unless the student is a direct dependant of the second generation HEU member. If no dependant applies, then graduating students entering post-Secondary field of Healthcare training will be considered. Bursary must be used within 24 months of graduation.

**Amount: \$500.00**

### Indo-Canadian Sikh Association Scholarship

The Indo-Canadian Sikh Association of Prince Rupert will provide a scholarship to a graduating student. Preference will be given to applicants who have exhibited good citizenship within both the school and the Prince Rupert community.

**Amount: \$500.00**

### International Longshore Union- Thomas Pilfold Memorial Bursary

The Thomas Pilfold Memorial Bursary was established by the members of the International Longshore and Warehouse Union (ILWU) Local 505, will be providing bursaries to graduating students. **First preference will be given to dependent children covered under the Health and Benefit plan of Local 505 members. Second preference will be given to grandchildren of Local 505 members.** If no dependents apply, then it will be open to all students.

**Amount: 2 X \$1000.00**

\* Payment of the bursary will be made in two equal installments, one in September, the second in January, upon confirmation of enrollment and entrance in a post-secondary institution.

### Islander Hall Society Bursary

The Islander Hall Society (Pulp and Paper and Woodworkers of Canada Local 4) will be providing 6 bursaries to graduating students. Three bursaries will be awarded to students going into the trades and three will be awarded to students going into some aspect of the medical field. Preference will be given to the applicants who are the daughter or son, stepdaughter or stepson, brother or sister, niece or nephew, or grandchild of a Watson Island Pulp and Paper and Woodworkers of Canada Local 4 member. Bursary must be used within 18 months of graduation.

**Amount: 6 X \$1000.00**

### Johal and Associates Professional Chartered Accountant Scholarship

The accounting firm of Johal & Associates, Certified General Accountant will provide one scholarship to a graduating student.

***Eligible applicants must also provide an Essay must be written, minimum of 250 maximum 750 words, outlining the students' community involvement, involvement in volunteer organization, involvement in clubs or what they have done to make our community better. It could also include how, with their further education, they would give back to the community.***

**Amount: \$250.00**

#### Knights of Columbus, Council 5282 Bursary

Knights of Columbus Council 5282 wish to advise that they will award two bursaries to the graduating students. Preference will be given based on evidence of service to local community, families of the Knights of Columbus in good standing, members of the Annunciation Parish, Prince Rupert.

**Eligible applicants must also provide a 300-word essay outlining personal career goals and two personal references (including at least one teacher).**

**Amount: 2 X \$500.00**

#### Kream Come True Bursary

Kream Come True has generously donated a bursary to a graduate who is part of or an ally of the LGBTQ community. In addition, the applicant should demonstrate leadership skills in regard to equality and advocating for LGBTQ rights.

**Amount: \$1000.00**

#### Ladies of the Royal Purple Bursary

The Ladies of the Royal Purple of Canada Lodge #8 - Prince Rupert will provide bursaries to graduating students. Bursaries must be used within 12 months of graduation.

**Amount: 3 X \$1000.00**

#### Lazy Cat Closet Bursary

Lazy Cat Closet will generously provide a bursary for a graduating student who is interested in studying fashion design and shows an interest in a future in sustainable fabrics, small batch, slow fashion with an emphasis on made in B.C. or made in Canada.

**Amount: \$500.00**

#### Loyal Order of the Moose #1051 Awards

The Loyal order of the Moose is providing four awards to graduating students. The student must have exhibited good citizenship at school and in the community. Preference will be given to the son, daughter or dependent of the Loyal Order of the Moose

**Amount: 4 X \$1000**

#### Luso Portuguese Club Scholarship

The Luso Portuguese Club will provide a scholarship to a graduating student. Preference will be given to the son, daughter or dependent of a member in good standing with the club. Applicants must have exhibited good citizenship within both the school and the Prince Rupert community. Scholarship must be

used within 2 years of graduation.

**Amount: \$500.00**

Maureen (McLean) & Lothar Kiner Scholarship

Maureen and Lothar Kiner, alumni of Prince Rupert Secondary School will provide two scholarships to graduating students. Scholarship must be used within 12 months of graduation.

**Amount: 2 X \$3000.00**

Melita Stuart Memorial Bursary

Melita Stuart taught high school Math for almost forty years in Prince Rupert. While teaching Melita would recognise her highest achieving Math 12 student each year. Her family has generously created a bursary in her memory, to carry on the tradition. The bursary will be awarded to the highest achieving Math 12 student in their graduating year as determined by the CHSS Math 12 teacher(s).

**Amount: \$**

Melvin Martin Holkestad Memorial Bursary

The Melvin Martin Holkestad Memorial Bursary has been established in the memory of Mr. Melvin Martin Holkestad. Preference will be given to applicants pursuing sciences. Bursary must be used within 12 months of graduation.

**Amount: \$1000.00**

Metlakatla Development Corporation

Metlakatla Development Corporation will provide one scholarship to a graduating student of First Nations ancestry and a member of the Metlakatla Band. Scholarship must be used within 12 months of graduation.

**Amount: \$500.00**

Michael Lemon Memorial Basketball Scholarship

Michael Lemon was a Rainmaker during the years of 1958-1910, he passed away on January 4<sup>th</sup>, 2019. As a former Rainmaker it would have been important to Michael to provide an opportunity for someone currently playing the sport like he loved and choosing to take their education further, whether through University, College, or Trade School. Scholarships will be provided to both one male and one female student from the Prince Rupert Rainmakers Basketball team. Applicants must have shown strong leadership qualities through active community involvement of school activities. Scholarships must be used within 24 months of graduation.

**Amount: 2 X \$500**

### Mystic Education and Safety Bursary

Mystic Education and Safety will generously provide a bursary for a graduating student who is interested in pursuing education in recreation, health and wellness, emergency response, and medical that leads to leadership in Canada. Preference will be given to students who have volunteered 20 hours or more towards community health and wellness, recreation, and sport and have participated in training offered by Mystic Education and Safety or within Kendal Shepard training platforms.

***Eligible applicants must also provide a short essay outlining their goals towards achieving their post secondary education, how their schooling will assist and support society in a positive manner, and how their goals have already contributed to the region.***

**Amount: \$500.00**

### Nadia Movold Bursary

Nadia Movold will generously provide a bursary to a graduating student. Bursary must be used within 6 months of graduation.

**Amount: \$500.00**

### North Coast Artist's Cooperative Bursary

The Artists Co-op bursary established in 2008. The program was established to encourage and sponsor students who are interested in ARTS WITH A PRIORITY IN FINE ARTS by providing assistance in their quest for higher learning at a recognized post-secondary institution. Preference given to students who are pursuing an Arts Program for advanced learning.

**Eligible applicants must also provide an art portfolio with samples of work.**

**Amount: \$500.00**

### Northern Savings Credit Union George Viereck Memorial Bursary

Northern Savings Credit Union will provide the George Viereck Memorial Bursary to a graduating student. Bursary must be used within 24 months of graduation.

**Amount: \$1000.00**

### PAC 10 Educational Services Inc. Scholarship

Amy Dopson of PAC 10 Educational Services Inc. will provide two graduating students. Preference will be given to applicants of PAC 10 Ed Services Scholarship must be used within 12 months of graduation.

**Amount: 2 X \$500.00**

Peter Witherly Memorial Scholarship for the Performing Arts

In memory of Peter Witherly, a scholarship will be provided to a graduating student. Preference will be given to applicants pursuing **Performing Arts**. Scholarship must be used within 18 months of graduation.

**Eligible applicants must also provide a minimum of 200 words to a maximum of 500 words giving their experiences in the performing arts and why they are pursuing studies in the field.**

**Amount: \$500.00**

Port Edward Volunteer Firefighter's Association Award

As a volunteer service, the Port Edward Volunteer firefighters Association would like to financially assist a graduating student who has shown a dedicated record of volunteer service within their community. Preference will be given to applicant who have demonstrated a history of volunteerism within their community, have a connection to the community of Port Edward.

**Amount: \$500.00**

Prince Rupert Chinese Association Scholarship

The Prince Rupert Chinese Association will provide a scholarship to a graduating student who has done well.

The recipient will receive \$250.00 in the first semester of their studies and the remainder will be paid in the second semester upon proof of registration and enrollment.

**Amount: \$400.00**

Prince Rupert Community Arts Council Scholarship

The Community Arts Council will provide two scholarships to graduating students. Students must be pursuing an area of fine arts: dance, creative writing, music, drama or visual arts. Scholarships must be used within 24 months of graduation.

**Eligible applicants must also provide a write a letter outlining aims and goals in the arts and list any past experience with the arts - either individually or in the community. As well, please include a reference from an art teacher, instructor, or mentor.**

**Amount: 2 X \$1000.00**

Prince Rupert District Teachers Union Bursaries

The P.R.D.T.U. will provide three bursaries to graduating students as outlined below.

1. **Teacher Training** – Applicants must be pursuing Education

2. **Social Justice (General Studies)** - Applicants must have exhibited good citizenship in the area of Social Justice. Students who have participated in projects or volunteer work to prevent discrimination, homophobia, violence, poverty, and gender inequality in their school and community will be considered

3. **Environmental Justice (General Studies)** – Applicants must have demonstrative substantive efforts in their school and community to combat climate change, raise awareness of the root causes, and/or working in solidarity with environmental justice seeking groups.

Bursary must be used within 24 months of graduation. Half of the monies being paid after candidates have provided proof of enrollment in the school, and the second half of the monies being paid after candidates have provided proof of enrolment for a second semester.

**Amount: 3 x \$1000.00**

Prince Rupert Firefighters Local 559 Bursary

The Prince Rupert Firefighters local 559 will provide a bursary to a graduating student. Preference is given to a son or daughter of a local 559 members. If there are dependents of 2 members, the award will be split. Bursary must be used within 24 months of graduation.

**Amount: \$500.00**

Prince Rupert Grain Ltd. Scholarship

Prince Rupert Grain Ltd. will provide to a graduating student(s) which can be used for one or more scholarships depending on the number of applicants and their marks. Preference will be given to the candidate who is the daughter or son or a family relative of an employee of Prince Rupert Grain Ltd. Applicants must have exhibited good citizenship within both the school and the community. Economic need will be considered if all other factors are deemed equal. Scholarship must be used within 5 years from graduation.

**Amount: \$1000.00**

Prince Rupert Lions Club Award

The Prince Rupert Lions Club will provide three awards to graduating students. Applicants must have displayed admirable citizenship through school spirit, sports or club activities and community and family involvement. He/she will be a conscientious student, but not necessarily of the highest academic achievement. Award must be used within 18 months of graduation. Award

payment will be made with a \$1000.00 payment upon confirmation of enrollment and a \$1000.00 payment upon beginning the second semester.

***Eligible applicants must also provide a one to two-page summary outlining their financial need, school and community involvement, with special emphasis on public service.***

**Amount: 3 X \$2000.00**

Prince Rupert Lions Club Harvey Taylor Memorial Bursary

The HARVEY TAYLOR MEMORIAL BURSARY was established to provide a bursary to a graduating student who passionately furthers him or herself in a trade through post-secondary education. Preference will be given to a student entering a trade. Bursary must be used within 6 months of graduation.

***Eligible applicants must also provide a one to two-page summary outlining their financial need, school and community involvement, with special emphasis on public service.***

**Amount: \$1000.00**

Prince Rupert Ministerial Association Bursary

The Prince Rupert Ministerial Association (an Association of the Ministers of the Christian Churches of the City) will provide a bursary to a graduating student. Applicants must be entering one of the "helping" professions (e.g. social work, teaching, Christian ministry, nursing, etc.). Bursary must be used within the year it is awarded. If a recipient has special circumstances and is requesting a deferral of the bursary, that request for deferral must be made in writing to the Ministerial Association before December 31st.

**Amount: \$500.00**

Prince Rupert Minor Hockey Association

The Prince Rupert Minor Hockey Association will award a scholarship to a graduating student. Preference will be given to applicants who demonstrate a strong representation of the hockey community through hockey volunteerism, leadership, grades, attendance at school and on the ice. Scholarship must be used within 24 months of graduation.

**Amount: \$500.00**

Prince Rupert Port Authority Bursary

The Prince Rupert Port Authority will provide two bursaries to graduating students. The bursary is to encourage and financially assist high school graduates in the Prince Rupert area to obtain a trades, technology or business career.

The bursary is payable in two equal installments. The first installment of \$500 will be paid after the Authority receives proof of registration. The second and final installment of \$500 will be paid after the Authority receives proof of registration for the recipient's second semester.

**Amount: 2 X \$1000.00**

Prince Rupert Port Authority Legacy Scholarship

The Prince Rupert Port Authority will award two annual scholarships of \$5,000 each to graduating students. Preference will be given to those applicants pursuing a career that will support the transportation industry and would include such disciplines as international business, trade, logistics, marketing, engineering, communications, finance, accounting, law, etc. Preference will also be given to those candidates that demonstrate a desire to practice their chosen profession in Northern British Columbia communities following post-secondary graduation.

**Eligible applicants must also provide**

- ***A copy of their high school transcript.***
- ***Evidence of school and community involvement. This evidence must include some tangible aspects of social responsibility and commitment of the applicant to service in his/her community.***
- ***An essay must be submitted with a maximum limit of 800 words. The topic will be the following: "Describe the impact of trade globally, nationally, and in your community." The essay should include insightful analysis and research.***
- ***A brief explanation of the reasons for the applicant's chosen field of post-secondary endeavours as well as the rationale for desiring to pursue one's career in Northern British Columbia, should be included with the application. Applicants may be requested to participate in an interview with the adjudication committee.***
- ***Provide two letters of reference.***

**Amount: 2 X \$5000.00**

Prince Rupert Principals Association Award

The Prince Rupert Principals' Association will provide two awards to graduating students. Applicants must display leadership qualities among peers. Preference will be given to applicants of PRPA members. Economic need along with scholastic achievement will be considered. Awards must be used within 18 months of graduation.

**Amount: 2 X \$500.00**

Prince Rupert Rainmakers Interact Club

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Prince Rupert Rainmakers Interact Club will provide an award to a graduating student who demonstrates volunteerism/service within the school, community, and other locations around the world. Applicants must submit a document outlining their history or volunteerism/service to others, including references. Award must be used within 18 months of graduation.

*"Service is to others is the rent you pay for your room here on Earth" – Muhammad Ali*

**Amount: \$500.00**

Prince Rupert Realtor's Association - R.E. (Bob) Sheridan Scholarship

The Prince Rupert Realtor's Association will award the R.E. (Bob) Sheridan Scholarship to a graduating student. Applicants must be pursuing post-secondary studies in the field of commerce.

**Amount: \$200.00**

Prince Rupert Regional Hospital - Dr. R.G. Large Scholarship

Prince Rupert Regional Hospital will provide the Prince Rupert Regional Hospital Scholarship to a graduating student. Applicants must be enrolled in a program in the health care field and a minimum 1-year duration

**Amount: \$500.00**

Prince Rupert Regional Hospital Auxiliary Bursary

The Prince Rupert Regional Hospital Auxiliary will provide two bursaries to provide 2 bursaries to graduating students. Preference will be given to candidates entering any area of the health care field, however other candidates are encouraged to apply. Bursary must be used within 24 months of graduation.

**\*\*Please note: This award has not been confirmed and may be unavailable this year.**

**Amount: 2 X \$500.00**

Prince Rupert Rotary Club Awards

The Prince Rupert Rotary Club will to provide four awards: (2) Academic (2) Technical to graduating students. Applicants must have achieved a high academic standing, promoted good school spirit and citizenship, and supported school athletics or clubs in some manner.

**Amount: 2 X \$1000.00 (Academic) and 2 X \$1000.00 (Technical)**

Prince Rupert Runners CHSS Bursary

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Prince Rupert Runners will provide a bursary to graduating students. This bursary will be open to two students. Preference will be given to students pursuing education in the health or physical activity fields). Applicants must show that within the last two years (Grade 11 & 12) they have volunteered for: at least two Rupert Runners events; and one other non-Rupert Runners related community event. Bursary must be used within 9 months of graduation.

**Eligible applicants must also provide a 1-2 minute video describing why they should be selected. Email video to [shannonlough@rupertrunners.com](mailto:shannonlough@rupertrunners.com) & [erinmutrie@rupertrunners.com](mailto:erinmutrie@rupertrunners.com)**



**These awards will most likely not be offered this year due to COVID 19 as the club has been unable to hold their events during the pandemic.**

**Amount: \$600.00**

#### Prince Rupert Seaman Rugby Club Scholarship

The Prince Rupert Seaman Rugby Club has been working with SD 52 to develop athletic leadership skills through the sport of rugby. The high school programs have been developing athletes through the program since 2007. The program has seen athletes perform for regional representative teams, Team BC and high-level premier teams. The Prince Rupert Rugby Club would like to recognize the achievements of our players and support those who continue their academic and rugby careers after high school. Applicants must have achieved a high level of performance with the Charles Hays girls or boys' team, shown leadership on and off the field, and plan to continue playing the sport of rugby after graduation. Scholarship must be used within 18 months of graduation.



**Amount: 2 X \$400.00**

#### Rupert Special Events Society

Prince Rupert Special Events Society (PRSES) will provide bursaries to graduating students who have shown their commitment to fostering community spirit through their volunteer work with PRSES and surrounding communities. PRSES coordinates the Seafest Grass Volleyball Tournament and Jim Ciccone Memorial 3on3 Basketball Challenge annually. The funds for this award are from the player registration fees. The main sponsors for this event include local sponsors and Tuan's friends and family. Preference will be given to applicants who have



volunteered in their grades 9-12 at a minimum of two community events organized by PRSES. These include Children's Festival, Seafest, Canada Day, and Winterfest. **Due to COVID-19, PRSES will accept volunteer hours in their community at another institution or organization.** Award must be used within 16 months of graduation.

***Eligible applicants must also provide a paragraph outlining their community volunteer work and how these experiences have influenced their understanding of community spirit.***

**Amount: \$1000.00 or 2 X \$500.00**

Prince Rupert Vietnamese Association Scholarships

The Prince Rupert Vietnamese association will provide four scholarships to top academic graduating students. Preference will be given to dependents of members of the Prince Rupert Vietnamese Association and second preference will be given to Vietnamese students. If there are no suitable Vietnamese applicants, other top students will be considered. If applicants have similar top marks, citizenship, participation in school and community sports or programs will also be considered.

***Eligible applicants must also fill out an additional Vietnamese Association application form.***

**Amount: Ranging from \$400.00-\$1000.00**

Quadra Travel Bursary

Quadra Travel will provide a bursary to a graduating student.

**Amount: \$250.00**

Richard and Grace Wong Awards

Richard and Grace Wong will provide two bursaries and one scholarship to graduating students as outlined below.

1. ***Kam Sun and Soak May Wong Memorial Bursary***, celebrating grandfather's "West End Chop Suey House" restaurant's 100<sup>th</sup> birthday in 2018. This bursary will be given to an applicant with First Nations ancestry.

2. ***Kam Lun and Shui Kau Wong Memorial Bursary***, celebrating parents: "West End Restaurant" for half of a century in 2018. This bursary will be given to an applicant from an immigrant family.

3. ***Richard and Grace Wong Scholarship***, celebrating Canada Day Nationwide Simultaneous Drumming Celebration. This scholarship will be given to an applicant who demonstrated high academic achievement and leadership

qualities.

**Amount: 3 X \$500.00**

Ridley Terminals Inc. Scholarship

On the recommendation of the Board of Directors, Ridley Terminals Inc. will sponsor an annual scholarship to two graduating students. Applicant must not be the recipient at the same time of any other individual award in excess of \$500.00. Scholarship must be used within 24 months of graduating.

**Amount: 2 X \$2500.00**

Ridley Terminals Inc.-Bernard W. Willers Memorial Scholarship

On the recommendation of the Employee Committee, Ridley Terminals Inc. will sponsor an annual scholarship to two graduating students (one from CHSS and one from PCS). **Applicants must be a dependent of an RTI Team Member.** If no RTI dependents are eligible at one of the schools, the award shall be made available to two RTI dependents at the other school. Or where less than two RTI dependents are eligible, the award shall be made to the student with the highest academic standing who meets the conditions set out below and who, in addition, is not the recipient at the same time of any other individual award in excess of (\$500.00). Scholarship must be used within 24 months of graduation.

**Amount: 2 X \$2500.00**

Roger Obata Achievement Award

The Friends of Roger Obata Committee (Toronto, Ontario), will provide one award to a graduating student. Different recipients are to be selected each year if the criteria are met. Mr. Obata, a Canadian of Japanese descent, was born in Prince George, British Columbia, in 1915 and was raised in Prince Rupert. He never forgot his early education and friendships made and often mentioned them in his memoirs, interviews and conversations. Mr. Obata, a successful businessman, received a degree in engineering from the University of British Columbia, and served with the Canadian Army during the Second World War. He is known for his outstanding contributions to the Japanese Canadian community over a period of 50 years, especially in the area of human rights. He was a valued member of the strategy team that signed the historic Redress Agreement with the Government of Canada in 1988. Mr. Obata was named to the Order of Canada in 1990 for his human rights activities and was an example for all Canadians who love justice and freedom. He died in Toronto in 2002.

\*Please note that excerpts from Mr. Roger Obata's Memoirs that tell about his early days in Prince Rupert are available from the Awards Coordinators at each school. Applicants are encouraged to read these: 1) Growing Up in a Small Town - Public School Days 1921-1929, Prince Rupert, B.C. 2) Adolescence High School Years 1929-1933, Prince Rupert, B.C.

Applicants must provide evidence of outstanding service to school and/or community. Human rights advocacy/social action may strengthen the application. In addition, students who have overcome personal obstacles and achieved graduation through perseverance may be considered. Award must be used within 16 months of graduation.

**Eligible applicants must also provide a brief written statement explaining what obstacles and how the student has persevered.**

**Amount: \$1000.00**

Royal Canadian Legion Branch #27 Bursary

The Prince Rupert Legion, Branch #27, is providing two bursaries to graduating students. **Only children or grandchildren of Legion ex-service men or women are eligible. Proof of service must be provided. (For example, a discharge certificate of the ex-service person put forward).** Bursaries will be sent to the applicable postsecondary institution after proof of acceptance and student ID number are provided to the branch.

**Amount: 2 X \$1000.00**

Royal Canadian Mounted Police

The R.C.M.P. will provide an award to a graduating student who has shown strong leadership qualities through active community involvement. Preference will be given to candidates enrolled in a Community Justice Program, Criminology or Law Studies.

**Eligible students must also provide a brief write-up describing the extent of the student's community involvement during the past school year.**

**Amount: \$300.00**

Rupert Wood'N Steel Construction Ltd.- Trades Bursary

In support of the Trades, Rupert Wood'N Steel Construction Ltd. will provide a bursary to graduating student pursuing an education in the trades. Applicant must continue their education in the trades of a recognized post-secondary institution. Bursary must be used within 12 months of graduation.

**Eligible applicants must also provide a half page essay explaining why you have chosen the trades and reference from a teacher indicating why you would be a good candidate for this bursary.**



**Amount: \$500.00**

Ryan Vending Machines Bursary

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Ryan Vending is offering a bursary to a graduating student furthering their education.

**\*\*Please note this award is not confirmed and may not be available\*\***

**Amount: \$250.00**

School District #52 Support Staff Award

School District No. 52 Support Staff proposes to provide an award to a graduating student. **First preference is given to a son or daughter of School District No. 52 Support Staff members.** Award must be used within 18 months of graduation.

**Amount: \$500.00**

Sons of Norway Bursary

The Sons of Norway Vinland Lodge #28 will provide a bursary to a graduating student. **First preference is given to a son or daughter of Sons of Norway Vinland Lodge #28.** Bursary must be used within 18 months of graduation. Award payment will be made with a \$250.00 payment upon confirmation of enrollment and a \$250.00 payment upon beginning the second semester.

**Amount: \$500.00**

Triton Environmental Scholarship

Triton Environmental Consultants Ltd. Terrace office and Khtada Environmental Services Prince Rupert office together is offering a scholarship to a graduating student. Applicants must be pursuing the field of Biology Technology, Science (preference) or Business Administration. Applicants must have successfully completed Biology 11 and 12 with a minimum C+ in both courses. Consideration will be given to applicants who are active in municipal or school-based sports during their graduating year.

**Amount: \$500.00**

Thom Heffernan Memorial Award

Thom Heffernan was a student at Prince Rupert Secondary School and would have graduated in June 1993. An award will be given to a graduating student in his memory. Preference will be given to a student who enrolls in the Coast Mountain College and/or a trades or technical program.

**Amount: \$300.00**

Vopak Development Canada Bursary

Vopak Development Canada is providing two bursaries to graduates of CHSS. The student must be graduating this year and attending a post secondary school in Fall 2021. In addition, they must be five hundred words or less tell them about yourself (where you will be going to school, what you will be studying, and why you chose that field of study) in addition you are to describe one of the following: 1. an inspiration, or mentor from your community and how it/they positively influenced your life 2. a lesson that you've learned that will help you in achieving your goals 3. the role the community and/or culture has played in your life.

**Amount: 2 X \$1000.00**

Younghusband Memorial Bursary

Randy Sr. and his father, Leroy, were lifelong Rupertites who worked on the waterfront (boat repair), appreciated music, and enjoyed outdoor recreation. They were also quite giving and quick to help others. Randy valued his community and all the diverse people that make it great. Preference given to applicants who have demonstrated contribution to the Prince Rupert/ Coastal community or look to give back to the community through their education. Applicants may have also overcome barriers and demonstrates perseverance and created a unique/ non-traditional path in their education. Applicants must be involved in, or pursuing interest in music/arts, outdoor recreation, sports. Involved on waterfront, or marine based activities.

**Amount: \$1000.00**

## OTHER SCHOLARSHIP RESOURCES

[www.yconic.com](http://www.yconic.com)

This site provides information on over \$82 million in opportunities that will fit into the profile it creates for you. It is devoted to helping high school, college, and university students to find information on scholarships, bursaries, grants, and other forms of financial assistance.

[www.scholarshipscanada.com](http://www.scholarshipscanada.com)

Students will have access to an extensive database of scholarships, student awards, bursaries, and grants. Also included is information about student loans, applications, and budget planning.

[www.studentscholarships.org](http://www.studentscholarships.org)

This site allows students to create a profile and receive regular updates matching their criteria. The general site allows students to view hundreds of scholarships with a variety of criteria. Students may also link and obtain information on numerous colleges and universities by province.

[www.scholarshipguidance.com](http://www.scholarshipguidance.com)

Here's a site that links you to scholarship opportunities throughout North America. Be sure to carefully check the criteria: many scholarships are specific to American students, but the site also includes links to scholarships for Canadians, including some at Canadian Universities and Colleges.

<http://scholarships.rbc.com>

There are several scholarships in several categories' worth over \$300,000 per year:

1. RBC Students Leading Change Scholarships for undergraduates
2. RBC Royal Bank Scholarship for Aboriginal Students
3. RBC Scholarships for children of RBC Employees.

[www.schoolfinder.com](http://www.schoolfinder.com)

Here is an extensive database assisting students in finding scholarships, student awards, bursaries, and grants. There is also valuable information about student loans, application processes, and budget planning. Featured scholarships are regularly updated.

[www.finaid.org/scholarships/](http://www.finaid.org/scholarships/)

FinAid lists financial aid resources for Canadian students and maintains databases and publications to help students locate scholarships and fellowships.

[www.gov.mb.ca/educate/sfa/pages/sfaFrontDoor\\_en.html](http://www.gov.mb.ca/educate/sfa/pages/sfaFrontDoor_en.html)

Apply for student aid or student grants.

[www.sportmanitoba.ca/page.php?id=43](http://www.sportmanitoba.ca/page.php?id=43)

This site is for students who have participated in sports at the provincial level and who are continuing their education at the post-secondary level.

[www.scholarshipscanadian.com](http://www.scholarshipscanadian.com)

This site provides links for students planning to enter post-secondary studies. The site also includes a link for international students.

[www.aucc.ca/programs-services/scholarships](http://www.aucc.ca/programs-services/scholarships)

The Association of Universities and Colleges of Canada administers more than 130 scholarships, fellowships, and internship programs on behalf of governments, foundations, and private sector companies. Students should check with their parents to see if the AUCC administers scholarships for their parent's place of employment. The site also has a link for international students.

[www.studycanada.ca](http://www.studycanada.ca)

Canadian Scholarships for International Students provides links to institutions with scholarships for international students.

[www.schoolsincanada.com](http://www.schoolsincanada.com)

Canada Scholarships for International Students allows students to link directly with institutions in order to obtain specific information relative to their personal profile and circumstances.

[www.educationau-incanada.ca](http://www.educationau-incanada.ca)

International students can search for scholarship information to institutions within Canada.