

BALLENAS SECONDARY SCHOOL

2019-2020



LOCAL SCHOLARSHIP GUIDE

PROCEDURE FOR APPLYING FOR LOCAL SCHOLARSHIPS & BURSARIES

- 1) Read over the information for each of the scholarships & decide the scholarship(s) for which you qualify. You may qualify and apply for more than one scholarship.
- 2) It helps to have the application form on your desk while you are reading each scholarship's criteria
 - ✓ the scholarships you want to apply for on the application form.
- 3) Your application should include:

a) Internal Local Scholarships (decided by the BSS Scholarship Committee):

- A completed application form
 - May need to complete the Assessment of Financial Need-if necessary
- a typed cover letter addressed to Mr. Meredith
- a scholarship resume

These should be stapled together

***You will place these Internal Local Scholarships in the bin marked Local Scholarships in room 202 last block of the day on April 3rd, no later than 3:05 pm.**

b) For each External Local Scholarships (decided by the Sponsor):

- A cover letter addressed to the particular Organization that is granting the scholarship/bursary
- A copy of your transcript (can download off the BC Transcript Service website)
- Any other documentation that pertains to that particular scholarship/bursary (read the criteria)

These should be stapled together

****You will place these External Local Scholarship packages in the appropriate bins in room 202 during LAST BLOCK on April 3rd. (There will be a bin for each external local scholarship)**

- c) **Everything is due APRIL 3, no later than 3:05 pm. You will be placing your info into the correct bins in room 202 during the last block of the day**
- d) Academic performance will be judged using the marks earned on courses completed in Grades 10, 11 and 12.
- e) Please see or email Mr. Meredith if you have any questions.
- f) Proof of registration at Post Secondary is NOT needed until you are awarded a scholarship

ANDREW BARBOUR MEMORIAL BURSARY

Internal

1 @ \$1,000.00

I. Bursary:

This bursary has been created in memory of Andrew Barbour (Ballenas Secondary School graduate of 2003) who demonstrated outstanding leadership skills as a member of school basketball and soccer teams. The purpose of this bursary is to assist a Ballenas Secondary School graduate who will be continuing on to post-secondary education.

II. Criteria for Selection:

1. Demonstrated leadership in school or community activities.
2. Proceeding to a form of advanced training in one of the following:
 - a. University
 - b. Technical / Vocational school
 - c. Regional college in either a university transfer or vocational program.
3. C+ average or better.

III. Additional Criteria:

Financial need may be considered.

IV. How to Access:

- Students will be notified in a letter at the end of May or the beginning of June if they are awarded a scholarship
 - Students are to provide a self addressed envelope for each scholarship that they are awarded which includes:
 - A thank you card
 - Proof of registration at a post secondary school
 - This scholarship must be claimed within 2 years after graduation

V. Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection:

Selection for this bursary will be made by the Ballenas Secondary School Scholarship / Bursary Awards Committee.

BALLENAS MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP

Internal

\$ 300.00

I. Scholarship:

This \$300 scholarship is awarded to a graduating Music student to be presented at the Ballenas Commencement Ceremony.

II. Criteria for Selection:

1. Candidate will demonstrate outstanding performance ability on their instrument or voice.
2. Candidate will have an outstanding positive attitude and leadership qualities.
3. Candidate will consistently attend classes on time with all pertinent materials.
4. Candidate will be proceeding to post-secondary education to study **Music** at any recognized Institute, College, or University.

III. Additional Criteria:

N/A

IV. How to Access:

1. The recipient of this scholarship must provide Ballenas Secondary School with proof of registration at a post-secondary institution. Arrangements will then be made to have the amount of the scholarship forwarded to the registrar of the institution in the student's name.
2. The recipient has until September of the following year to claim scholarship funds.

V. Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection:

The selection for this scholarship will be made by the Ballenas Music Department.

BALLENAS WHALERS FOOTBALL BOOSTER CLUB BURSARY

Internal

\$ 250.00

I. Scholarship:

This \$250 bursary will be awarded to a graduating Ballenas Secondary School student who was a member of the school's football team.

II. Criteria for Selection:

1. The student will be proceeding to post-secondary studies at a recognized university, college, or technical institute.
2. The student will have demonstrated a strong sense of community service and this will take precedence over academic standing.
3. Financial need may be considered.

III. Additional Criteria:

Not applicable

IV. How to Apply:

1. The recipient of this scholarship must provide Ballenas Secondary School with proof of registration in a post-secondary institution. Arrangements will then be made to have the amount of the scholarship forwarded to the registrar of the institution.
2. The bursary must be claimed within two years of being awarded.

V. Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection:

The Ballenas Secondary Scholarship/Bursary Awards Committee will make selection for this scholarship.

CITY OF PARKSVILLE SCHOLARSHIP

Internal
\$500.00

Confirmed for 2020

I. Scholarship:

This Scholarship is offered to students of Ballenas Secondary School who are proceeding to a post-secondary educational institution in Canada.

II. Criteria for Selection:

1. Citizenship and contribution to school and community affairs.
2. Scholastic achievement.
3. Financial need may be considered.

III. Additional Criteria:

1. Successful applicant must be a resident of Parksville.

IV. How to Access:

The recipient of this scholarship must provide Ballenas Secondary with proof of registration in a post-secondary institution. Arrangements will then be made to have the amount of the scholarship forwarded to the registrar of the institution.

The recipient must register within two years of receiving the scholarship.

V. Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection:

The Ballenas Secondary School Scholarship/Bursary Awards Committee will make selection for this scholarship.

COLTON ROBERT HEMSWORTH MEMORIAL BURSARY

\$500.00

Confirmed for 2020

I. Bursary:

This bursary, in memory of Colton Robert Hemsworth, is offered to a graduating student of Ballenas Secondary School to further their studies in the field of nursing.

II. Criteria for Selection:

1. Student plans a career in the field of nursing.

III. Additional Criteria:

N/A

IV. How to Access:

The recipient of this scholarship must provide the sponsor with proof of registration in a post-secondary institution. Arrangements will then be made to have the amount of the scholarship forwarded to the registrar of the institution.

The recipient has until September of the following year to claim bursary funds.

V. Applications:

Applications for this scholarship must reach the Counselling Department by APRIL 3, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection:

The Ballenas Secondary School Scholarship/Bursary Awards Committee will make selection for this scholarship.

CONCORD MASONIC LODGE #79 BURSARY

\$1,500.00

Confirmed for 2020

I. Bursary:

The Concord Masonic Lodge #79 will award a \$1,500.00 bursary to a Ballenas Secondary School student.

II. Criteria for Selection:

1. The student must be proceeding to a form of advanced training in one of the following:
 - (a) University
 - (b) Technical School
 - (c) Regional College in either a University transfer or Vocational Program
 - (d) Registered School of Nursing.
2. The student must have a record of satisfactory achievement and be a good citizen.
3. **Preference will be given to those applicants with financial need.**

III. Additional Criteria:

The student should include a detailed resume outlining their contribution to school, community or extra-curricular activities.

IV. How to Access:

The recipient of this bursary must provide the sponsor with proof of registration in a post-secondary institution. Arrangements will then be made to have the amount of the bursary forwarded to the registrar of the institution.

The recipient will have until December 31 in the year in which he/she receives the bursary to claim the funds.

V. Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection:

The Ballenas Secondary School Scholarship/Bursary Awards Committee will make the selection for this bursary.

DISTRICT #69 BENEVOLENT ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP

INTERNAL

\$1,000.00

I. Scholarship:

A \$1,000.00 scholarship will be awarded by the District #69 Benevolent Association.

II. Criteria for Selection:

1. Be a resident of District 69.
2. Proceeding to a post-secondary institution, either academic or vocational.
3. Financial need, academic achievement and good citizenship.

III. Additional Criteria

Not applicable.

IV. How to Access:

1. The recipient of this scholarship must provide the sponsor with proof of registration in a post-secondary institution. Arrangements will then be made to provide the recipient a cheque after receipt of the proof of registration.
2. The recipient must register at a post-secondary institution within 550 days (1 ½ years) of receiving the scholarship.

V. Applications

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection:

Selection for this scholarship will be made by the Ballenas Secondary School Scholarship/Bursary Awards Committee.

DOGWOOD DISTRICT / AUTHORITY AWARDS

Internal

I. Scholarship:

School District #69 will receive awards of \$1,250.00 each to be presented to qualified candidates. The Dogwood District / Authority Awards Program rewards graduating students for excellence in their chosen non-academic field(s). These scholarships are intended to assist students in furthering their post-secondary education.

II. Basic Eligibility Requirements:

1. Candidates must be a Canadian citizen or permanent resident (landed immigrant).
2. Candidates must be enrolled in or registered in:
 - a. a British Columbia public school (including distance education schools), or
 - b. a Group 1, 2, or 4 British Columbia Independent School, or
 - c. a Continuing Education Centre.

III. Qualifying for a Dogwood District / Authority Award Scholarship:

To win a scholarship, a student must:

1. meet the basic eligibility requirements
2. meet the criteria determined by the local District Scholarship Committee, which requires a student to demonstrate superior achievement in any of the following areas:
 - a. Indigenous Languages and Culture
 - b. Fine Arts (Visual Arts, Dance, Drama, Music)
 - c. Applied Skills (Business Ed, Technology Ed, Home Economics)
 - d. Physical Activity (not limited to Physical Education)
 - e. International Languages
 - f. Community Service (volunteer activity)
 - g. Technical and Trades Training
3. Fulfill the graduation requirements of the 2004 Graduation Program, or the Adult Graduation Program.

IV. How to Access:

A candidate who qualifies for an award will receive \$500.00 in October, followed by a voucher for \$500.00 at the end of November.

- Winners are not confirmed until the Ministry establishes that eligibility requirements have been met after **August 31, 2020 – date to be confirmed**
- Winners will be notified, and vouchers will be **issued by the Ministry in October 2020 TBC**
- Winners can also view whether a voucher has been issued by logging into the [Student Transcript Service](#)
- Winners will receive their cheques after they have returned their verified voucher or supporting documents to the Ministry for [redemption](#)

V. Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection:

Selection will be made by the Ballenas Secondary Scholarship/Bursary Awards Committee.

ECHO PLAYERS - JOY MACKAY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Internal
\$1,000.00

Confirmed for 2020

I. **Scholarship:** This scholarship is offered to students of Ballenas Secondary School who are proceeding to a post-secondary educational institution in the performing arts. E.C.H.O. Players in memory of the outstanding contribution made to community theatre by Joy MacKay offer it.

II. Criteria for Selection:

- I. The scholarship is available to students **continuing their education in the performing arts;**
- II. Contribution to school and community affairs;
- III. Scholastic achievement
- IV. Financial need may be considered.

III. How to Access:

The recipient of this scholarship must provide the sponsor with proof of registration in a post-secondary institution for the performing arts. If a student changes their course of study into a non-performing arts program after the scholarship is awarded, the scholarship will become void.

Arrangements will then be made to have the amount of the scholarship forwarded to the registrar of the institution.

IV. Applications:

Applications for this scholarship must reach the Counselling Department **by April 3, no later than 3:05 P.M.**

V. Selection:

Selection for this scholarship will be made by the Ballenas Secondary School Scholarship/Bursary Awards Committee in consultation with the school's performing arts educators.

EDWARD MACKENZIE ELLIOTT MEMORIAL BURSARY

Internal
1 @ \$1,200.00

Confirmed for 2020

I. Bursary:

The funds for this bursary were provided to the Parksville/Qualicum Beach Community Foundation by the grandparents of Edward MacKenzie Elliott, who was tragically killed by the collapse of the Rutherford Creek Bridge between Pemberton and Whistler, BC in October 2003 during a torrential rainstorm. Ed graduated from Ballenas Secondary School in June 1995. He was active in all sports, curious about many things, and read widely. Ed was also interested in the world, languages, and traveled broadly. He had a zest for life and lived his life to the fullest. It is hoped the recipient of this bursary will tackle their life with the same energy and enthusiasm that Ed displayed.

This bursary is offered to a graduating student of Ballenas Secondary School who is proceeding to some form of post-secondary education (university, technical school, vocational school).

II. Criteria for Selection:

1. The applicant must
 - a. show a satisfactory record of achievement
 - b. demonstrate good citizenship, and
 - c. have been active in school sports.

III. Additional Criteria:

N/A

IV. How to Access:

- Students will be notified in a letter at the end of May or the beginning of June if they are awarded a scholarship
 - Students are to provide a self addressed envelope for each scholarship that they are awarded which includes:
 - A thank you card
 - Proof of registration at a post secondary school
 - This scholarship must be claimed within 2 years after graduation

V. Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection:

Selection for this scholarship will be made by the Ballenas Secondary School Scholarship / Bursary Awards Committee.

If no student applies for the bursary, then the funds shall be given to Ballenas Secondary School for the purchase of books for the library or purchase of equipment for sports teams.

HARRIS & COMPANY LAW SCHOLARSHIP

Internal
\$200.00

Confirmed for 2020

I. Scholarship:

This scholarship will be awarded alternately to a graduating student of either Ballenas Secondary School (June 2019) or Kwalikum Secondary School (June 2020).

II. Criteria for Selection:

1. Demonstrates a high academic standing in Law 12. If the School District does not offer a Law course, an alternate course may be selected.
2. Show evidence of citizenship and contribution to school and community affairs.
3. Be proceeding to post-secondary education at a recognized institute, college or university in BRITISH COLUMBIA.

III. Additional Criteria:

N/A

IV. How to Access:

1. The recipient of this scholarship must provide the School Board Office with proof of registration in a post-secondary institution. Arrangements will then be made to have the amount of the scholarship forwarded to the registrar of the institution.
2. The recipient of this scholarship has until September of the following year to claim the money.

V. Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection:

Selection for this scholarship will be made by the Ballenas Secondary School Scholarship/Bursary Awards Committee.

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT PROGRAM SCHOLARSHIP

Internal
2 at \$600.00

II. Scholarship:

The School District 69 International Student Program has allocated this scholarship to provide assistance to International Students proceeding to post-secondary education in Canada.

II. Criteria for Selection:

- 1) Participant in the International Student Program.
- 2) Meets BC Secondary School graduation requirements.
- 3) Is proceeding to post-secondary education within Canada.
- 4) Academic achievement as well as community involvement will be considered

III. Additional Criteria:

- High academic standing/achievement
- School and Community involvement and volunteerism – second priority

IV. How to Access:

1. The recipient of this scholarship must provide the sponsor with proof of registration in a Canadian post-secondary institution. Arrangements will then be made to have the amount of the scholarship forwarded to the registrar of the institution.
2. The recipient of this scholarship has up to 14 months to claim the scholarship.

V. Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection:

Selection for this scholarship will be made by the Ballenas Secondary School Scholarship/Bursary Awards Committee. The Committee may divide the scholarship among applicants who meet the criteria.

MARILYN SWEET MEMORIAL BURSARY

Internal
\$400.00

Confirmed for 2020

I. Bursary:

This bursary is awarded in memory of Marilyn Sweet. Marilyn was a Teacher Assistant, working many years in the Special Needs Program at Ballenas. Previously, she worked as an evening server in Tigh-Na-Mara's dining room and it is her co-workers who raised this money for the scholarship.

II. Criteria for Selection:

1. The candidate must be a successful graduate of the Ballenas Special Needs Program.
2. The candidate must be planning on registering for post-secondary training.
3. Financial needs will be taken into consideration.

III. Additional Criteria:

If there are no suitable applicants for the award in any given year, the award shall be cancelled for the year under review.

IV. How to Access:

1. The recipient of this bursary must provide the sponsor with proof of registration in a post-secondary institution.
2. The bursary will be valid for up to eighteen months after graduation.

V. Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection:

Selection for this bursary will be made by the Ballenas Secondary School Scholarship/Bursary Awards Committee. Confirmation for this bursary will be made by the Management of Tigh-Na-Mara Resort.

MID-ISLAND CONSUMER SERVICES CO-OPERATIVE SCHOLARSHIP

Internal

1 @ \$500. and 1 @ \$1,000.

I. Scholarship:

These scholarships are to be awarded by the members of Mid-Island Consumer Services Co-operative to outstanding students at Ballenas Secondary School.

II. Criteria for Selection:

1. Each student must either be a Co-op member or a dependant of a Co-op member in good standing.
2. The student must utilize the scholarship within two calendar years of the award date.
3. Students must have a 3.00 G.P.A.
4. The student must be enrolling in a recognized university, college or institute of technology.

III. Additional Criteria:

Not applicable.

IV. How to Access:

The recipient of this scholarship must provide the sponsor with proof of registration in a post-secondary institution. Arrangements will then be made to have the amount of the scholarship forwarded to the registrar of the institution.

The scholarship must be claimed within two years of being awarded.

V. Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection:

Selection of this award will be made by the Ballenas Secondary School Scholarship / Bursary Awards Committee.

MOUNT ARROWSMITH TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP

Internal

1 @ \$1,000.00

I. Scholarship:

One \$1,000 scholarship is being made available to a graduate from each of Ballenas Secondary School and Kwalikum Secondary School. There is also available one \$500 scholarship each to a graduate at Woodwinds/PASS and the CEAP program. These scholarships are offered by the Mount Arrowsmith Teachers' Association as an expression of their commitment to learning.

II. Criteria for Selection:

1. Students will be undertaking a program from an accredited post-secondary institution.
2. Preference will be given to applicants entering the teaching profession. If there are no such applicants, the Scholarship Committee will consider students entering other university faculties.

III. Additional Criteria:

Not applicable.

IV. How to Access:

1. The recipient of this scholarship must provide the sponsor with proof of registration in a post-secondary institution. Arrangements will then be made to have the amount of the scholarship forwarded to the registrar of the institution.
2. The recipient must register at a post-secondary institution within two years of receiving the scholarship. Failure to do so will result in the scholarship being forfeited.

V. Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection:

Selection for this scholarship will be made by the Ballenas Secondary School Scholarship/Bursary Awards Committee.

NANOOSE BAY LIONS CLUB BURSARIES

Internal
TWO AT \$1,200.00 EACH

Confirmed for 2020

I. Bursaries:

These scholarships are offered by the Nanoose Bay Lions Club as a way of encouraging service to the school and community among young people. They will be awarded to two students planning to continue their education in a POST-SECONDARY OR TRADES SCHOOL IN CANADA.

II. Criteria for Selection:

1. Citizenship and contribution to school and community affairs.
2. Scholastic achievement.

III. Additional Criteria:

1. The applicants must be residents of Nanoose.

IV. How to Access:

The recipients of these bursaries must provide the sponsor with proof of registration and attendance in a post-secondary institution. Arrangements will then be made to have the amount of the bursaries forwarded to the registrar of the institutions 90 days after the beginning of the term.

The recipient has until the end of the following calendar year to claim funds.

V. Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection:

Selection for these bursaries will be made by the Ballenas Secondary School Scholarship/Bursary Awards Committee.

OCEANSIDE MINOR SOFTBALL ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP

Internal
\$500.00

Confirmed for 2020

I. Scholarship:

One scholarship of \$500.00 is offered to a Ballenas Secondary School student who is proceeding to post-secondary education.

II. Criteria for Selection:

1. Be a resident of District #69.
2. Have been involved in minor softball for at least three years (player, coach or official), AND currently be playing under the Oceanside Minor Softball Association for their graduating year.
3. Be involved in sports activities at school (suggested, not mandatory)
4. Show evidence of scholastic achievement.

III. Additional Criteria:

1. N/A

IV. How to Access:

1. The recipient of this scholarship must provide the sponsor with proof of registration in a post-secondary institution. Arrangements will then be made to have the amount of the scholarship forwarded to the registrar of the institution.
2. Scholarship funds will be available for a period of two years from the time of presentation.

V. Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection:

Selection for this award will be made by the Ballenas Secondary School Scholarship/Bursary Awards Committee, and ratified by the Oceanside Minor Softball Association.

ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR SCHOLARSHIP

Internal
one at \$250.00

I. Scholarship:

The Order of the Eastern Star is providing a scholarship for a student entering a technical or trade program on Vancouver Island.

II. Criteria for Selection:

1. The applicant must be proceeding to full time studies in a technical or trade program through an accredited post-secondary institution on Vancouver Island.
2. The applicant must show evidence of satisfactory academic achievement
3. The applicant must be a Vancouver Island resident with Canadian citizenship for a minimum of two years.

III. Additional Criteria:

The following must accompany the application:

- 1) A letter outlining academic achievements, extra-curricular activities, community activities, educational and career plans, and any other information explaining why you feel you are a qualified candidate for this scholarship
- 2) A scholarship resume outlining your achievements and activities throughout grades 11 and 12.

IV. How to Access:

The recipient of this scholarship must provide proof to the Arbutus Chapter #68, Order of the Eastern Star of his/her registration at a post-secondary institution. Arrangements will then be made to forward proceeds to the registrar of the institution.

Students have two years after graduation in which to claim the funds.

V. Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection:

Selection for this scholarship will be made by the Ballenas Scholarship / Bursary Committee.

PARKSVILLE BOTTLE AND RECYCLING DEPOT SCHOLARSHIP

Internal

2 at \$500: 1 to Ballenas and 1 to Kwalikum

Confirmed for 2020

I Scholarship:

The Parksville Bottle and Recycling Depot Scholarship (“PBD”) is to be presented to any students who are graduating from District 69 secondary schools to pursue studies in the areas of Environmental studies or Sciences. Candidates must apply within their last year of secondary school study.

II Criteria for Selection:

This scholarship will be awarded to two students from District 69 pursuing post secondary studies in Environmental Sciences or studies. The award will be presented to one student from Ballenas Secondary School and one student from Kwalikum Secondary School.

Citizenship and contribution to school and community affairs, and scholastic achievement are required criteria.

III Additional Criteria:

The following must accompany the application:

A letter outlining academic achievements, extra-curricular activities, community activities, educational and career plans, and any other information explaining why you feel you are a qualified candidate for this scholarship

A scholarship resume outlining your achievements and activities throughout grades 11 and 12.

IV How to Access:

The recipient of this scholarship must provide proof of his/her registration at a post-secondary institution. Arrangements will then be made to forward proceeds to the registrar of the institution.

Students have two years after graduation in which to claim the funds.

V Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI Selection:

Selection for this scholarship will be made by the Ballenas Scholarship / Bursary Committee.

DISCONTINUED in 2020
PARKSVILLE/QUALICUM BEACH KIWANIS CLUB
ADVANCED EDUCATION BURSARY
(2 @ \$1,000.)

PARKSVILLE LIONESSE CLUB SCHOLARSHIP (ACADEMIC)

Internal
\$750.00

I. Scholarship:

This scholarship is offered to a graduating student of Ballenas Secondary School who is proceeding to post-secondary education at a recognized institute, college or university in British Columbia.

The scholarship will be presented annually for a period of some years at the Commencement Ceremony of Ballenas Secondary School.

II. Criteria for Selection:

1. Preference will be given to those applicants with financial need.
2. The student must have a record of satisfactory academic achievement and must demonstrate good citizenship.

III. Additional Criteria:

Not applicable.

IV. How to Access:

1. The recipient of this scholarship must register in a post-secondary institution. The institution must then submit a letter to the sponsor confirming student registration. Arrangements will then be made to have the amount of the scholarship forwarded to the recipient, who is then responsible for payment to the post-secondary institution.
2. The student must claim the scholarship within two years of receiving the award.

V. Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection:

Selection for this scholarship will be made by the Ballenas Secondary School Scholarship/Bursary Awards Committee.

PARKSVILLE LIONESS CLUB SCHOLARSHIP (VOCATIONAL)

Internal
\$ 750.00

I. Scholarship:

This scholarship is offered to a graduating student of Ballenas Secondary School who is proceeding to vocational training.

The scholarship will be presented annually for a period of some years at the Commencement Ceremony of Ballenas Secondary School.

II. Criteria for Selection:

The student must show a satisfactory record of achievement and good citizenship and preference will be given to those applicants with financial need.

III. Additional Criteria:

Not applicable.

IV. How to Access:

The recipient of this scholarship must register in a vocational institution. The institution must then submit a letter to the sponsor confirming student registration. Arrangements will then be made to have the amount of the scholarship forwarded to the recipient, who is then responsible for payment to the vocational institution.

The student must claim the scholarship within two years of receiving the award.

V. Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection:

Selection for this scholarship will be made by the Ballenas Secondary School Scholarship/Bursary Awards Committee.

PARKSVILLE-QUALICUM FISH AND GAME ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP

Internal
\$750.00

Confirmed for 2020

I. Scholarship:

This scholarship is offered to students of Ballenas Secondary School who are proceeding to higher education in the subjects related to wildlife or the environment (including aquaculture, fisheries management, applied animal and soil sciences aimed at conservation or resource management, and parks management). Should there be no suitable candidate in a given year, the scholarship for that year may be awarded to a former Ballenas Secondary School student already enrolled in one of the designated facilities.

II. Criteria for Selection:

1. The internal examinations of the school for the student's Grades 11 and 12 years:
2. 60% for academic achievement and 40% for citizenship and contribution to school activities.

III. Additional Criteria:

Not applicable.

IV. How to access:

The recipient of the scholarship must advise the sponsor of the scholarship when he or she registers at an institution for further training. Arrangements will then be made to have the amount of the scholarship forwarded to the registrar of the institution.

V. Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection:

Selection for this scholarship will be made by the Ballenas Secondary School Scholarship/Bursary Awards Committee.

PRINCIPALS AND VICE-PRINCIPALS ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP

Internal
\$1,000.00

I. Scholarship:

The principals and vice-principals of School District #69 (Qualicum) are pleased to offer a scholarship to a graduating student of Ballenas Secondary School who is proceeding to a post-secondary educational institution.

II. Criteria for Selection:

Preference will be given to applicants who:

1. Are pursuing a career in education;
2. Have demonstrated leadership and service and have been actively involved in many aspects of school life.

III. Additional Criteria:

Not applicable.

IV. How to access:

The recipient of the scholarship must advise Ballenas Secondary when he or she registers at a post-secondary educational institution. Arrangements will be made to have the amount of the scholarship forwarded to the registrar of the institution.

The recipient must claim this scholarship within one year of graduating from Ballenas Secondary School.

V. Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection:

Selection for this award will be made by the Ballenas Secondary School Scholarship/Bursary Awards Committee.

QUALITY FOODS SCHOLARSHIP

Internal
\$ 1,500.00

Scholarship:

This scholarship was established by Quality Foods through the Parksville / Qualicum Community Foundation to assist a graduating student from Ballenas Secondary School with the economic demands of post-secondary education.

I. Criteria for Selection:

The successful applicant will:

1. Be a resident of District 69.
2. Be proceeding to a post-secondary institution in a business field.
3. Show evidence of academic achievement and good citizenship.

II Additional Criteria:

Not applicable.

III How to Access:

1. The recipient of the scholarship must provide Ballenas Secondary with proof of registration in a post-secondary institution. Arrangements will then be made to have the amount of the scholarship forwarded to the registrar of the institution.
2. The recipient must claim this scholarship within two years.

IV Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

V Selection:

Selection for this award will be made by the Ballenas Secondary School Scholarship/Bursary Awards Committee.

RE/MAX PARKSVILLE / QUALICUM BEACH SCHOLARSHIP

Internal
2 @ \$500.

Confirmed for 2020

I. Scholarship:

RE/MAX Anchor Realty and RE/MAX First Realty is presenting two awards, one each to a graduating student of Ballenas Secondary School.

II. Criteria for Selection:

1. Demonstrate good citizenship.
2. Show academic achievement.
3. Proceeding to post-secondary studies at a recognized institute, college, university, or trades school.
4. Preference will be given to a student who has been involved in school or community sports during his or her graduating year.

III. Additional Criteria:

N/A

IV. How to Access:

1. The recipient of this scholarship must provide the sponsor with proof of registration in a post-secondary institution. Arrangements will then be made to have the amount of the scholarship forwarded to the registrar of the institution.
2. The recipient must register at a post-secondary institution within 18 months of receiving the scholarship (December of the following year).

V. Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection:

Selection for this scholarship will be made by the Ballenas Secondary School Scholarship / Bursary Awards Committee.

ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION BURSARIES

Internal
FIVE AT \$1,500.00 EACH

I. Bursaries:

Presented by the Royal Canadian Legion, Parksville Branch #49 of School District 69, these bursaries are to be awarded to students upon completion of Grade 12, with applications being made in that current academic year. Preference will be given to students going on to some form of technical or vocational training.

In the event that there are no suitable applicants for the awards in any given year, the sponsors of the awards shall be empowered to cancel the award for the year under review.

The students must have a record of satisfactory achievement and be good citizens.

II. Criteria for Selection:

Preference will be given to applicants in the following order:

1. The son or daughter of ex-service personnel who are eligible for membership in the Royal Canadian Legion and current members (associate, ordinary voting and fraternal);
2. The son or daughter of a member of the Ladies Auxiliary to the Parksville Legion Branch #49;
3. Applicants for these bursaries must identify their Legion affiliation;
4. Any other student who otherwise meets the requirements of the award.

III. Additional Criteria:

Preference will be given to those applicants with financial need. The awards will be based on 60% financial need and 40% academic achievement.

IV. How to access:

The recipients of the bursaries must advise the sponsor when he or she registers with an appropriate institution for further training and the sponsor shall arrange to forward the award to the registrar of that institution, one-half of the amount following registration and the balance half-way through the academic year. The students must claim the awards within the calendar year, if possible. If not possible, a letter for extension should be forwarded to Mr. Larry Doherty, Box 820, Parksville, BC, V9P 2G8.

V. Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection:

Selection for this award will be made by the Ballenas Secondary School Scholarship/Bursary Awards Committee. The Royal Canadian Legion will receive notice as to the recipients.

**ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION – LADIES’ AUXILIARY BRANCH NO. 49 MEDICAL
SCHOLARSHIP**

Internal
ONE AT \$1,500.00

I. Scholarship:

The Ladies’ Auxiliary, Branch No. 49 of the Royal Canadian Legion is offering a scholarship to a Ballenas Secondary School graduating student who is planning a career in the medical field (nurse, doctor or medical technician).

II. Criteria for Selection:

1. The successful applicant must be enrolling in a post-secondary institution to further studies in the medical field (nurse, doctor or medical technician).

III. Additional Criteria:

Preference will be given to:

1. If possible, an applicant who is a grandchild of a member of the Royal Canadian Legion Branch #49 (or Ladies Auxiliary)
2. An applicant who plans to have a career in the medical field. This could include careers such as a Registered Nurse, medical doctor, or medical technician (e.g., an X-ray technician).

IV. How to access:

The recipient of the scholarship must provide Ballenas Secondary School with proof of registration in a post-secondary institution. Arrangements will then be made to have the amount of the scholarship forwarded to the registrar of the institution.

This scholarship must be claimed within two years of being awarded.

V. Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection:

Selection for this award will be made by the Ballenas Secondary School Scholarship/Bursary Awards Committee.

SIMON SPEARING SCHOLARSHIP

Internal*
1 at \$500.00

Confirmed for 2020

I Scholarship:

The Simon Spearing Scholarship Fund is a memorial fund in Simon's name, which will recognize academic, athletic and service excellence. The recipient will have demonstrated compassion, responsibility, humour and creativity.

II Criteria for Selection:

1. Applicant will provide a written application, which will include information regarding intent of registration to a post-secondary institution.
2. Complete separate application form (**form available in Counselling Office**).
3. Letters of recommendation are suggested.

III Additional Criteria:

Not applicable.

IV How to access:

Arrangements will be made to forward the scholarship to the post-secondary institution of choice upon proof of registration.

This scholarship must be used within three years, and may not be awarded in any given year if a suitable applicant is not found.

V Application:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI Selection:

Selection for this scholarship will be made by the Ballenas Secondary School Scholarship / Bursary Awards Committee.

TD CANADA TRUST AWARD

Internal

\$250.00

Confirmed for 2020

I. Award:

TD Canada Trust is presenting an award to a graduating student of Ballenas Secondary School.

II. Criteria for Selection:

1. Demonstrate good citizenship.
2. Show academic achievement.
3. Be continuing post-secondary studies at a recognized institute, college or university.

III. Additional Criteria:

Not applicable.

IV. How to Access:

The recipient of this award must provide Ballenas Secondary School with proof of registration in a post-secondary institution. Arrangements will then be made to have the amount of the scholarship forwarded to the registrar of the institution.

The recipient must claim this award within two years.

V. Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection:

Selection for this scholarship will be made by the Ballenas Secondary School Scholarship / Bursary Awards Committee.

TIGH-NA-MARA SEASIDE SPA RESORT BURSARY

Internal
2 @ \$250.00

Confirmed for 2020

I. Bursary:

The Tigh-Na-Mara Seaside Spa Resort & Conference Centre is offering bursaries to graduating Tigh-Na-Mara team members who are proceeding to post-secondary studies. In total, six bursaries will be offered: two for École Secondaire Ballenas Secondary School; two for Kwalikum Secondary School; one for PASS/Woodwinds Alternate School and one for District 69 Collaborative Education.

II. Criteria for Selection:

The applicant must

1. be proceeding to post-secondary studies
2. be a current Tigh-Na-Mara team member at time of application and graduation
 - i. must have also passed the three-month probationary period at time of application.

III. Additional Criteria:

1. If multiple applicants, the bursary will be awarded to the team member with the longest total service at Tigh-Na-Mara. A letter confirming length of service is required.
2. If there is more than one applicant with similar length of service, then the applicant with the highest academic score will be selected.

IV. How to Access:

The recipient of this bursary must provide the sponsor with proof of registration in a post-secondary institution. Arrangements will then be made to have the amount of the bursary forwarded to the registrar of the institution in the recipient's name.

Recipients of this bursary must claim the award within two years of graduating from Ballenas Secondary School.

V. Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection:

Selection for this scholarship will be made by the Ballenas Secondary School Scholarship / Bursary Awards Committee.

Young Professionals Oceanside

\$500

To be awarded to a male or female student who is graduating from Ballenas Secondary School and proceeding to any recognized university or post secondary institution.

Preference shall be given to candidates specializing in (~~Sponsor to insert or delete~~)

I. Bursary/Scholarship:

Presented by YPO (Young Professionals Oceanside), this bursary/scholarship will be awarded to a student upon completion of Grade 12, with applications being made in that current academic year. Preference will be given to students with an entrepreneurial background and interest in developing a business in Parksville Qualicum area.

The students must have a record of satisfactory achievement and be good citizens.

II. Criteria for Selection:

2. The successful applicant must be enrolling in a post-secondary institution to further studies in Business or entrepreneurship related courses with a strong emphasis on sales or starting a small business. We are not necessarily looking for academic excellence or popularity but rather are focused on that spark and drive to start, create, and succeed in business, and overcome the challenges that anyone facing this task has to confront.

III. Additional Criteria:

Preference will be given to students who:

3. take an active role in the Oceanside community and their career
4. have that entrepreneur drive, and determination
5. are motivated to succeed in small business/sales career
6. have an ambition to grow their small business/practice in the Oceanside community
7. bridge the gaps in our community through inclusive connection and collaboration

IV. How to access:

The recipient of the scholarship must provide the sponsor with proof of registration in a post-secondary institution. Arrangements will then be made to have the amount of the scholarship forwarded to the registrar of the institution.

This scholarship must be claimed within two years of being awarded.

V. Applications:

Applications for these awards must reach the Counselling Department by APRIL 3, NO LATER THAN 3:05 p.m.

VI. Selection:

Selection for this award will be made by the Ballenas Secondary School Scholarship/Bursary Awards Committee.

External Local Scholarships

The following scholarships are the External Local Scholarships. Please remember you will need to provide the following for each of the proceeding scholarships/bursaries:

Each package should be stapled together

a) For each External Local Scholarships (decided by the Sponsor):

- A cover letter addressed to the particular Organization that is granting the scholarship/bursary
- A copy of your transcript
- Any other documentation that pertains to that particular scholarship/bursary (read the criteria)

**You will place these External Local Scholarship packages in the appropriate bins in room 202 during LAST BLOCK on April 3rd.

AL HALVERSON OCEANSIDE MINOR LACROSSE ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP

External

One at \$500.00

I Scholarship:

The Oceanside Minor Lacrosse Association awards one \$500 scholarship. Applications for the scholarship will be received from graduating students of Ballenas Secondary School and Kwalikum Secondary School.

II. Criteria for Selection:

1. The scholarship will be awarded to a student proceeding to any recognized university or post-secondary institution.
2. All applicants must have a C+ average, however, lacrosse skills and / or participation with the Oceanside Minor Lacrosse Association as a coach, referee, etc. will be a deciding factor as well as scholastic standing.
3. Applicants must have been involved in minor lacrosse for at least three out of the past five seasons within the Oceanside Minor Lacrosse Association, if the Association had teams for them to play on. Candidates must also be proficient in lacrosse, as indicated by their play or have shown worthwhile contribution in coaching, umpiring or administration.

III Additional Criteria:

The following must accompany the application:

1. A transcript of the student's marks, or a photocopy of the permanent record card. If neither is available, a typed copy of the permanent record card verified by the principal or counsellor's signature will be accepted. Current marks to the application date must be attached.
2. A letter from the coach, manager or club executive indicating the candidate's character, leadership and information as to lacrosse ability and / or contribution to refereeing, coaching or administration.

IV How to Access:

The recipient of this scholarship must provide proof to the Oceanside Minor Lacrosse Association of his/her registration at an institution of higher learning. Arrangements will then be made to forward proceeds to the registrar of the institution. The recipient of this scholarship has eighteen months to utilize the scholarship.

V Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI Selection:

Selection for this scholarship will be made by a committee of the Oceanside Minor Lacrosse Association of the graduating year.

BOARD OF EDUCATION DISTRICT SCHOLARSHIP

External
\$ 2,000.00

I Scholarship:

The Board of Education for School District #69 (Qualicum) believes that encouraging the pursuit of excellence in all areas of student achievement is an integral part of its role.

To that end, the Board will annually set aside \$5,000 for district scholarships to be distributed among the three secondary schools as follows: \$2,000 to Ballenas Secondary School; \$2,000 to Kwalikum Secondary School; \$1,000 to Parksville Alternate Secondary School (PASS).

II Criteria for Selection:

1. District Scholarships are intended to be awarded to students who:
 - Continually strive to demonstrate success
 - Are active participants in school or local community
 - Are well-rounded individuals.
2. The applicant will provide a letter addressed to the Board of Education outlining academic achievements, extra-curricular activities, community activities, educational and career plans, and any other information explaining why you feel you are a qualified candidate for this scholarship.

III Additional Criteria: Please ensure the following is in your package

- Resume
- Cover letter
- Transcript

IV How to Apply:

The recipient of this scholarship must provide the sponsor with proof of registration in a post-secondary institution. Arrangements will then be made to have the amount of the scholarship forwarded to the registrar of the institution.

V Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI Selection:

The District Scholarship Committee will review all applicants from the secondary school scholarship committees. A short list of three applicants from each school will be developed by the committee. The Board will then interview applicants and award the scholarships.

CANADIAN PARENTS FOR FRENCH SCHOLARSHIP

1 @ \$500.00

Confirmed for 2020

I. Scholarship

The Canadian Parents for French, Oceanside Chapter, wishes to award a \$500 scholarship to a graduate that has successfully completed the French Immersion Program and will be proceeding to a post-secondary educational institution.

II. Criteria for Selection:

1. Applicant must submit a letter, in English, to the Scholarship committee. The letter must state your feelings regarding “How your French Immersion Education has Impacted Your Life”, or “Why you are glad you completed your French Immersion Education”. Suggested length of letter is 300 – 600 words.
2. Applicant **must be a member of Canadian Parents for French**. The membership can be applied for online at <http://cpf.ca/en/membership>, or by using a CPF application form (available in the Counselling Office).
3. **Membership number must be included in letter to CPF.**
4. Applicant must have an outstanding attitude towards being Bilingual.

III. Additional Criteria

1. Student must have a school record of satisfactory achievement (C+ or better).
2. Must be a French Immersion Graduate of District 69.
3. Successful candidate must provide proof of acceptance at a post-secondary institute. Funds will be awarded in the year of attendance.

IV. How to Access:

The recipient of this scholarship must submit a receipt from the registrar of an accredited post-secondary institution, indicating enrolment in that institute, within two years of graduating from Ballenas Secondary School, to the Supervisor of French Programs. A cheque will then be sent to the recipient. The scholarship is available for up to 24 months after it is awarded.

V. Applications

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M. Upon applying for this scholarship, the applicant gives permission for all or portions of their letter to be used for future promotional material within District 69 and for Canadian Parents for French.

VI. Selection:

The Board Members for Canadian Parents for French, Oceanside Chapter, with the assistance of the Supervisor of French Programs, District 69, will make a selection for the scholarship. The submitted letter will be evaluated as such; 60% content, 30% grammar, 10% presentation. The selections committee reserves the right to withhold this award if there are no letters receiving a grading of 70% or higher. **ONLY CPF MEMBERS WILL BE CONSIDERED.**

VII. Questions:

Any inquiries may be directed to Catherine Buchanan, Secretary, Canadian Parents for French, Oceanside Chapter at clbuchanan1969@gmail.com.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE OF THE CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION

BURSARY

External

2 @ \$1,000.00

Confirmed for 2020

I Bursary

The bursary will be awarded annually to a graduating student residing in the Qualicum / Parksville School District. This bursary will be awarded to a student proceeding to a form of advanced training in one of the following:

1. University
2. Regional College
3. Technical School
4. University transfer program
5. Vocational program
6. Registered school of nursing or medical services.

II Criteria for Selection:

The bursary will be awarded to children or grandchildren of members of the Church of the Ascension. The award will be based on:

1. Financial need
2. Academic performance
3. Community and church involvement.

III Additional Criteria:

Students must complete a Catholic Women's League Bursary application form (**forms are available at B.S.S. Counselling Office**). A Catholic Women's League Representative must sign the application form. Students must also include a description of his or her Parish Church and Community involvement. In addition, the application must include:

- A financial plan outlining estimated expenses, anticipated loans and financial resources
- A letter of reference
- A transcript of grades
- A copy of the confirmation letter received from the post-secondary institution

If there are no suitable applicants for the award in any given year, the award shall be cancelled for the year under review.

IV How to Access:

The recipient of the Bursary must provide the sponsor with proof of registration in a post-secondary institution. Arrangements will then be made to have the amount of the Bursary forwarded to the recipient.

The recipient must register at the post-secondary institution within two years of the bursary being awarded.

V. Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection:

The Catholic Women's League Bursary Committee representatives will select the recipient of this Bursary.

**CATHOLIC WOMEN’S LEAGUE OF CANADA – VICTORIA DIOCESAN CATHOLIC
WOMEN’S LEAGUE BURSARY – “IN MEMORY OF FREDA SMITH”**

\$ 500.00

Freda Smith (1901-1999), a long-time resident of Victoria, retired as church organist in her parish in Esquimalt at the age of 85. She came to Canada in 1926, settling in Regina; relocating to Victoria in 1946, promoting education whenever possible. She was an active member of the Catholic Women’s League, earning the League’s highest honour in 1958.

I. Bursary

The bursary will be awarded annually to a graduating student within the Catholic Diocese of Victoria. The bursary will be awarded to a student proceeding to a form or higher education:

1. University
2. Regional College
3. Technical School
4. University transfer program
5. Vocational program
6. Registered school of nursing or medical services.

II. Criteria for Selection:

The bursary will be awarded to children or grandchildren of members of the Catholic Church in the Diocese of Victoria (i.e., Vancouver Island). The award will be based on:

1. Financial need
2. Academic performance
3. Community and Church involvement.

III. Additional Criteria:

1. Students must complete a Catholic Women’s League of Canada – Victoria Diocesan Catholic Women’s League Bursary application form (**forms are available from each council and from the Ballenas Secondary School Counselling Office**).
2. Students must attach a Transcript of their current academic standing.
3. Students must attach a narrative essay outlining their successes, achievements, parish and community involvement and future goals.

IV. How to Access:

The recipient of the Bursary must provide the sponsor with proof of registration in a post-secondary institution. Arrangements will then be made to have the amount of the Bursary forwarded to the registrar of that institution.

The recipient must register at the post-secondary institution within two years of the bursary being awarded.

V. Applications:

Applications must be submitted to room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M. All applications must be received by the Victoria Diocesan Education and Health Chairperson contact by April 15th of the current year.

VI. Selection:

The recipient of the bursary will be selected by the Catholic Women’s League Bursary Committee representatives of the Victoria Diocesan Council. If there is no suitable applicant for the Bursary award in that given year, the Bursary shall be cancelled for that year under review.

CLASS OF 1979 MEMORIAL BURSARY

External
2 at \$1,500.00

I Scholarship:

These one-time bursaries are to pay tribute to the lives of Ballenas graduates from the class of 1979 who were taken from their families way too soon. The funds were raised at the 40th reunion for the Class of 1979, held in July 2019. Each bursary to be in the amount of \$1,500 and to be awarded to one female and one male student with a focus on trades programs.

II Criteria:

Demonstrate good citizenship

Graduating from Ballenas Secondary School in 2020

Proceeding to post secondary studies with a focus on trades at a recognized institution, college, university or trades school

Preference will be given to students who have a C+ average (students with a C average will also be considered)

Award to one female and one male student

III Additional Criteria:

Students who have participated in trades related courses while attending Ballenas

Students who have worked in a trades related field while attending high school will also be considered

IV How to Access:

The sponsor will pay the Recipients of this bursary upon proof of registration in a post secondary institution

The bursary will be valid up to December 2021

If the bursary is not claimed then the bursary will roll over to student(s) who meet the same criteria graduating from Ballenas Secondary School in 2022.

V Applications

Applications must be submitted to the Counselling department of Ballenas Secondary School no later than April 3, 2020 at 3:05 pm

VI Selection:

Selection for the bursary will be made by the Class of 1979 Reunion Planning Committee.

COOMBS FARMERS' INSTITUTE SCHOLARSHIP

External
\$1,500.00

I Scholarship:

This scholarship is offered to students who are residents of School District #69 and are proceeding to a post-secondary education institution for agriculture-related studies.

II Criteria for Selection:

Applicants must show evidence of:

- Citizenship and contribution to school and community affairs (preference will be given to students that have contributed to the agricultural community through 4-H clubs or similar programs).
- Scholastic achievement.

III Additional Criteria:

Applications should be in the form of a letter addressed to the Coombs Farmers' Institute detailing the applicant's educational goals and qualifications. Applications must be submitted to room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M. to the Scholarship Committee of the individual school who will then forward the application to the Coombs Farmers' Institute.

Up to two scholarships will be awarded annually. In the event that there are no suitable applicants for the award in any given year, the sponsors of the scholarship may cancel the scholarship for the year under review.

IV. How to Access:

The recipient of the scholarship must advise the sponsors of the scholarship when he/she registers at a post-secondary institution. Arrangements will then be made to have the amount of the scholarship forwarded to the Registrar of the institution.

The student must claim the scholarship within two years of receiving the award.

V. Applications:

Applications must be submitted to room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, to the Scholarship Committee of the individual school who will then forward the application to the Coombs Farmers' Institute

VII. Selection:

The Coombs Farmers' Institute Scholarship Committee will make the selection for this scholarship.

CUPE LOCAL 3570 BURSARY

External

\$500.00

I Bursary:

This bursary will be presented annually to a graduating student proceeding to post-secondary education at:

1. a university
2. a technical school
3. a college in either a university transfer program or vocational program
4. a registered school of nursing, or
5. an accredited program of study.

II. Criteria for Selection:

1. Students who are immediate family members or grandchildren of Local 3570 members in good standing may apply.
2. Applicants must show financial need, satisfactory achievement in studies, and future goals.
3. Apprenticeships are included for consideration.
4. Applicants should plan to attend school within the next year. If awarded a bursary and unable to attend school within the next year, the applicant must apply to the committee for an extension.

III Additional Criteria:

1. The student must apply for this bursary in the form of a letter.
2. Applicants must include their CUPE 3570 sponsor's name and relationship.
3. All applicants must complete CUPE Local 3570 Bursary Application (**form available in Counselling Office**).

IV How to Access:

The recipient of this scholarship must provide the sponsor with proof of registration in a post-secondary institution. Arrangements will then be made to have the amount of the scholarship forwarded to the registrar of the institution.

V. Applications:

Applications must be submitted to room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection:

The selection will be made by the CUPE Local 3570 Selection Committee.

JEFF NABSETH MEMORIAL HOCKEY SCHOLARSHIP

External
\$1,000.00

Confirmed for 2020

I. Scholarship:

The Jeff Nabseth Trust will award up to a \$1,000 scholarship. Scholarships will be received by graduating student(s) from District 69, as determined by the scholarship committee.

II. Criteria for Selection:

1. Prior to collecting the scholarship, recipients must be registered in a full-time undergraduate study at an accredited post-secondary institution.
2. All applicants must have a C+ average.
3. All applicants must have played hockey in at least one of the past five consecutive seasons within the Oceanside Minor Hockey Association.
4. All applicants must have participated within the Oceanside Minor Hockey Association as a coach, coach mentor, referee, or volunteer within the past five consecutive seasons.

VIII. Additional Criteria:

To be eligible for consideration, every application must include:

1. A letter addressed to the **Jeff Nabseth Memorial Scholarship Committee** that clearly outlines your academic achievements, extra-curricular activities, community service and volunteer activities, educational and career plans, your association with Oceanside Minor Hockey Association and **most importantly why you feel you are a qualified candidate for this scholarship.**
2. A scholarship resume outlining your achievements and activities throughout grades 11 and 12.
3. An up-to-date transcript.
4. **One only**, letter of reference from an educator that shows support as to why he/she feels you are a worthy candidate for this award.
5. **One only**, letter of reference from a coach, past coach, manager, league official, or referee indicating your character, leadership, sportsmanship, and information confirming your contributions to Oceanside Minor Hockey Association.
6. **Optional:** Students may include one additional letter of support from a person of their choice.

IV. How to Access:

The recipients of this scholarship will have five years in which to claim the funds upon graduation. Upon registration at an accredited post-secondary institution, the recipient will be required to provide proof of registration to the Nabseth Scholarship Committee treasurer, Chris Downey, and the funds will then be forwarded directly to the post-secondary institute.

V. Applications:

Applications must be submitted to room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection:

Selection for this scholarship will be made by the scholarship committee of the Jeff Nabseth Trust.

KIP LINDSAY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
– DONATED BY OCEANSIDE YOUTH SOCCER SOCIETY

External
TWO AT \$500.00

I. Scholarship:

The Oceanside Youth Soccer Society awards two \$500 scholarships. Applications for the scholarships will be received from graduating students of Ballenas Secondary School and Kwalikum Secondary.

II. Criteria for Selection:

1. The scholarships are to be awarded to students proceeding to any recognized university or post-secondary institution.
2. All applicants must have a C+ average, however, soccer skills and / or participation with the Oceanside Youth Soccer Society as a coach, referee, etc. will be a deciding factor as well as scholastic standing.
3. Applicants must have been involved in youth soccer for the past three consecutive seasons, including the current season, within the Oceanside Youth Soccer Society, if the Society had teams for them to play on in the past three consecutive seasons. Candidates must also be proficient in soccer, as indicated by their play or have shown worthwhile contribution in coaching, refereeing or administration.

III. Additional Criteria:

The following must accompany the application:

1. A letter from the school principal or counsellor certifying the candidate's age, scholarship, ability and participation in school activities.
2. A transcript of the student's marks & current marks to the application date must be attached.
3. A letter from the coach, manager or club executive indicating the candidate's character, leadership and information as to soccer ability and / or contribution to refereeing, coaching or administration.

IV. How to Access:

The recipient of this scholarship must provide proof of attendance at a post-secondary institution within 18 months of graduation.

V. Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection:

Selection for this scholarship will be made by a committee of the Oceanside Youth Soccer Society Board of the graduating year.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ASCENSION COUNCIL NO. 7991 BURSARY

External
2 @ \$1,000.00

Confirmed for 2020

I. Bursary:

The Knights of Columbus, Ascension Council No. 7991, will grant bursaries of \$1,000.00 each to students graduating from the secondary schools in the Parksville-Qualicum area. Two will be granted to graduates of Ballenas Secondary School. Others will be granted to graduates of Kwalikum Secondary School, and PASS/Woodwinds Alternate School. The bursaries will be awarded annually to students who register in full year programs at post-secondary institutions.

II. Criteria for Selection:

First consideration will be given to, but eligibility is not restricted to:

1. members or dependants of members of Council 7991
2. members of Ascension Parish
3. those who have shown exemplary involvement in school/community activities
4. those showing satisfactory achievement throughout the year
5. those with financial need.

III. Additional Criteria:

- Cover letter
- Resume
- Copy of Financial Need form – available at Counselling office

IV. How to Access:

1. The recipient of this bursary must provide the sponsor with proof of registration in a post-secondary institution. Arrangements will then be made to have the amount of the bursary forwarded to the student.
2. The bursaries will be valid for up to eighteen months after graduation.

V. Applications:

Applications must be submitted to room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection:

Selection for these bursaries will be made by the Knights of Columbus selection committee. Ballenas Secondary School will forward a copy of each candidate's application form, financial needs assessment form, and resume to the Knights of Columbus on April 22. The Knights of Columbus will inform Ballenas Secondary School of their selections by May 5.

THE LIAM GRIMM MUSIC MEMORIAL BURSARY

External

\$500.00

Confirmed for 2020

I. Bursary:

The Liam Grimm Music Memorial Bursary (sponsored by the Georgia Straight Jazz Society) is awarded to a deserving student who meets the criteria outlined below.

Liam Grimm was a Campbell River resident who had a profound and lasting influence in his community. Liam was a kind and gentle man. He helped create the Community Care Support worker Program at Discovery Community College and cared for people with special needs; he was an independent educator offering classes in psychology, religion, and spirituality and a talented jazz musician. His life ended on March 15, 2009 when he was overcome by health complications brought on by cancer.

II. Criteria for Selection:

1. The applicant is a student or previous student (currently pursuing music studies at a post-secondary institution) of the Campbell River, Qualicum or Comox Valley School Districts.
2. The application must include:
 - a. A letter of recommendation from a school or private music teacher.
 - b. A letter of recommendation from a community music contact.
 - c. A letter demonstrating his/her personal qualities that exemplify the following attributes of Liam Grimm: the joy of studying and playing music in school and, in turn, sharing one's music talents with community organizations (combos / bands / choirs / pit orchestras / church choirs). The applicant should also describe his / her future plans in continuing to study in the jazz genre.
3. The student must be proceeding to a college or university jazz music program in the same calendar year or the year thereafter.

III. Additional Criteria:

1. N/A

IV. How to Access:

The recipient of this bursary must provide the sponsor with proof of registration in a post-secondary institution. Arrangements will then be made to have the amount of the bursary forwarded to the registrar of the institution.

V. Applications:

Applications must be submitted to room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M. The applications will then be forwarded to the Georgia Straight Jazz Society for consideration.

LUKAS WHIBLEY MEMORIAL OCEANSIDE MINOR LACROSSE ASSOCIATION
SCHOLARSHIP

External

One at \$500.00

I. Scholarship:

The Oceanside Minor Lacrosse Association awards two \$500 scholarships. Applications for the scholarship will be received from graduating students of Ballenas Secondary School and Kwalikum Secondary School.

II. Criteria for Selection:

1. The scholarship will be awarded to a student proceeding to any recognized university or post-secondary institution.
2. All applicants must have a C+ average, however, lacrosse skills and / or participation with the Oceanside Minor Lacrosse Association as a coach, referee, etc. will be a deciding factor as well as scholastic standing.
3. Applicants must have been involved in minor lacrosse for at least three out of the past five seasons within the Oceanside Minor Lacrosse Association, if the Association had teams for them to play on. Candidates must also be proficient in lacrosse, as indicated by their play or have shown worthwhile contribution in coaching, umpiring or administration.
4. Applicant must demonstrate excellent skills in both leadership and sportsmanship.

III. Additional Criteria:

The following must accompany the application:

1. A transcript of the student's marks, or a photocopy of the permanent record card. If neither is available, a typed copy of the permanent record card verified by the principal or counsellor's signature will be accepted. Current marks to the application date must be attached.
2. A letter from the coach, manager or club executive indicating the candidate's character, leadership and information as to lacrosse ability and / or contribution to refereeing, coaching or administration.

IV. How to Access:

The recipient of this scholarship must provide proof to the Oceanside Minor Lacrosse Association of his/her registration at an institution of higher learning. Arrangements will then be made to forward proceeds to the registrar of the institution. The recipient of this scholarship has eighteen months to utilize the scholarship.

V. Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection:

Selection for this scholarship will be made by a committee of the Oceanside Minor Lacrosse Association of the graduating year.

MIKE JIGGINS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

External
1 @ \$700

I. Scholarship:

In memory of Mike Jiggins who lived in the Parksville/Qualicum Beach area from 1972-2014. He had several businesses starting with French Creek Cottages, Arranglen Lodge, Paradise Fun Park, Paradise Seaside Motel, and Arrowsmith Golf & Country Club. Mike Jiggins personally constructed these thriving businesses with his most important asset in mind, his family. Every member from his wife to his five children have been an essential component to the companies continued success. This scholarship is funded with money raised by family, friends, and the community, with the aspiration of supporting the educational goals of local youth, and to honour his memory.

II. Criteria for Selection:

Applicant must show evidence of:

1. Good citizenship
2. Overcoming adversity; striving for success despite factors that stood in your way, identified in a letter
3. Satisfactory academic achievement (striving for success is important, although high marks are not the strongest component for selection)

III. Additional Criteria:

Open to students pursuing any **full time** field of study at an approved college or university. Applicants must provide a letter detailing how they meet the above criteria.

IV. How to Access:

The recipient of this scholarship will have **two** years following graduation to claim the scholarship funds.

Upon registration at a post-secondary institution, the recipient will be required to provide proof to the Arrowsmith Golf & Country Club and funds will then be forwarded to the student.

V. Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection:

Ballenas will shortlist 5-10 applicants to be forwarded to the Arrowsmith Golf & Country Club Scholarship Committee who will then determine the final recipient.

PARKSVILLE BAHÁ'Í VISUAL ARTS BURSARY

1 @ \$500.00

Confirmed for 2020

I. Bursary:

The bursary is open to all grade 12 students attending Ballenas and PASS/Woodwinds Secondary Schools.

II. Criteria for Selection:

Applicants must create and submit a piece of original visual art (such as a drawing, painting, sculpture, print making, photography, and wood or metal art) based on the theme:

"The wellbeing of mankind, its peace and security, are unattainable unless and until its unity is firmly established"

Students are to include a brief written description of their art piece and its relevance to the above quote.

III. Applications:

Art submissions for this bursary with accompanying description must be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

IV. Additional Information:

All submissions will remain the property of the student and will be returned to Ballenas and Pass Woodwinds Secondary Schools by June 1st, 2020.

V. Recipient's Access to the Bursary Funds:

Recipients must be enrolled for full-time studies at an accredited post-secondary institution within 18 months. Upon registration, the recipient will be required to provide proof of enrollment to the secretary of the Parksville Bahá'ís.

VI. Selection:

Selection for this bursary will be made by the Parksville Bahá'ís. Submissions will be judged on the quality of the work and how thoughtfully the theme has been conveyed.

**PARKSVILLE DISTRICT MUSICAL ASSOCIATION –
SYLVIA PAISH MEMORIAL BURSARY**

External
1 @ \$500.00

Confirmed for 2020

I. Bursary:

The Parksville & District Musical Association encourages and supports musical events within the community. This bursary is in memory of Sylvia Paish, former President of the PDMA, and long-time contributor to music in this district. There will be one bursary provided to a graduating from École Secondaire Ballenas Secondary School, or Kwalikum Secondary School. The successful student will have contributed their musical talents to their school and / or community.

II. Criteria for Selection:

1. Applicant must have contributed musically to their school and / or community. This could be done through singing, or playing of a musical instrument.
 1. Preference will be given to students who have contributed musically in community events or performances, especially within PDMA groups.
 2. Preference will be given to students planning to continue post-secondary studies in music.

III. Additional Criteria:

The applicant must provide a separate letter to the Chair of the Scholarship Committee, explaining why the student feels he or she is a qualified candidate for this bursary. In this letter, the applicant will detail the musical contributions and explain how music has influenced his or her life.

IV. How to Access:

The recipient of this bursary must provide the sponsor with proof of registration in a post-secondary institution. Arrangements will then be made to have the amount of the bursary forwarded to the registrar of the institution.

Recipients of this bursary will have two years after being awarded in which to claim the funds.

V. Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection:

Short-list election for this bursary will be made by the Ballenas Secondary School Scholarship / Bursary Awards Committee with recommendations from the music teacher. PDMA Executive will make final selection.

PARKSVILLE DISTRICT CHAMBER OF COMMERCE SCHOLARSHIP

External
2 @ \$500.00

I. Scholarship:

The Parksville District Chamber of Commerce offers an annual scholarship to be presented to a graduating student of Ballenas Secondary School or PASS/Woodwinds who will be proceeding to a post-secondary educational institute to further studies in a business- or tourism-related field.

II. Criteria for Selection:

1. Applicant must be proceeding to a post-secondary educational institute to further studies in a business- or tourism-related field, and/or be a successful applicant for the SD69 Headstart Program
2. Citizenship and contribution to school and community affairs.
3. Scholastic achievement.

III. Additional Criteria:

1. These monies should be used exclusively for tuition or course required textbooks
2. This scholarship is to be used within the year of post-graduation, unless there are extenuating circumstances.

IV. How to Access:

The recipient of this scholarship must provide the sponsor with proof of registration in a post-secondary institution. Arrangements will then be made to have the amount of the scholarship forwarded to the registrar of the institution.

V. Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

IX. Selection:

The Parksville District Chamber of Commerce. The qualifying candidates will be contacted by the committee and be presented their scholarships at the PDCC June event.

OCEANSIDE MINOR BASEBALL SCHOLARSHIP

External
TWO AT \$500.00

Confirmed for 2020

I. Scholarship:

The Oceanside Minor Baseball Association awards two \$500 scholarships, one award to a graduating student from Ballenas and one to a graduating student from Kwalikum. Applications for the scholarships will be received from graduating students of Ballenas Secondary School and Kwalikum Secondary.

II. Criteria for Selection:

1. The scholarships are to be awarded to students proceeding to any recognized post-secondary institution. Study must commence within eighteen months years of receiving this award.
2. All applicants must have a C+ average or better, however, baseball skills and / or participation with the Oceanside Baseball Association as a coach, mentor, volunteer, etc. will be a deciding factor as well as scholastic standing.
3. Applicants must have been involved with baseball the past three consecutive seasons, including the current season, within the Oceanside Minor Baseball Association. Candidates must also be proficient in baseball, as indicated by their play or have shown worthwhile contribution in coaching, umpiring or administration.

III. Additional Criteria:

The following must accompany the application:

- 1) A letter addressed to the Oceanside Minor Baseball Association outlining your academic achievements, extra-curricular activities, community activities, educational and career plans, and any other information explaining why you feel you are a qualified candidate for this scholarship.
- 2) A letter from a coach, manager or club executive indicating the candidate's character and leadership qualities; and information as to baseball ability and / or contribution to coaching, volunteering or administration.

IV. How to Access:

The recipient of this scholarship must provide proof to the Oceanside Minor Baseball Association of his/her registration at an institution of higher learning. Arrangements will then be made to forward proceeds to the registrar of the institution. Students have eighteen months to utilize the scholarship (i.e., they may take a year off before enrolling for post-secondary education).

V. Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection:

Selection for this scholarship will be made by the Oceanside Minor Baseball Association.

OCEANSIDE RETIRED EDUCATORS' SCHOLARSHIP (ORES)

1 at \$1000

Confirmed for 2020

I. Scholarship:

A \$1000 scholarship is available to a student who has graduated, or is graduating, from Qualicum School District 69 and who is entering into an undergraduate program of studies in the field of Education: Teaching, Early Childhood Education, Education Assistant, etc.

II. Criteria for Selection:

1. Proceeding to, an accredited Canadian post-secondary institution
2. Clear intention to enter into a program in the field of education
3. Academic standing for post-secondary
4. Work and/or Volunteer experience
5. Participation in extra-curricular activities, school and/or community (Sports, Fine Arts, Youth Groups, Clubs, etc.)

III. Additional Criteria:

1. A completed application form (forms available from the Counselling Office)
2. Two letters of reference
3. An up-to-date record of grade 11 and 12 marks
4. A cover letter

IV. How to Access:

The scholarship winner will be contacted and arrangements will be made for payment of the award. The student will need to provide satisfactory evidence of enrolment and a \$1,000 payment will be made to the post-secondary institution in which the student is enrolled.

V. Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection:

The Ballenas Secondary School Scholarship/Bursary Awards Committee will short-list the applications to forward to the ORES Committee for consideration.

Cancelled for 2020 – Possibly available in 2021

OCEANSIDE WOMEN’S BUSINESS NETWORK SCHOLARSHIP

2 @ \$500.00

I. Scholarship:

The Oceanside Women’s Business Network (“OWBN”) awards two \$500.00 scholarships, one for each of Ballenas Secondary School and Kwalikum Secondary School.

II. Criteria for Selection:

1. The scholarships will be awarded to one female student from each of Ballenas Secondary School and Kwalikum Secondary School proceeding to any recognized university, post-secondary institution, or trade school.
2. Citizenship and contribution to school and community affairs, and scholastic achievement are required criteria.

III. Additional Criteria:

The Student should provide a letter detailing the applicant’s educational goals and qualifications, and include a detailed resume outlining their contribution to school, community, or extra-curricular activities. A transcript of grades is also required.

IV. How to Access:

The recipient of this scholarship must provide proof to the OWBN of the student’s registration in a post-secondary institution. Arrangements will then be made to forward the proceeds to the registrar of the institution. The recipient has 18 months to provide proof of enrollment.

V. Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection:

Final selection for this award will be made by the committee of the OWBN. The Ballenas Secondary School Scholarship/Bursary Awards Committee will assist by shortlisting applicants to their top three choices, who are then recommended to the OWBN committee for selection.

QUALICUM BEACH FLYING CLUB SCHOLARSHIP

External
1 @ \$500.00

I. Scholarship:

The Qualicum Beach Flying Club offers a scholarship to a graduating student entering into post-secondary studies or training leading towards studies in aviation. There may be one scholarship for a graduating student from School District #69.

II. Criteria for Selection:

2. Applicant must be proceeding to full-time undergraduate studies at an accredited post-secondary institution, or an accredited or registered flight school.
3. Applicant must show evidence of
 1. Satisfactory academic achievement
 2. Good citizenship
 3. An interest in aviation. Preference will be given to those planning a career in aviation, but those interested in aviation as a hobby are also eligible.

III. Additional Criteria:

The applicant must provide a letter to the sponsor outlining academic achievements, extra-curricular activities, community activities, educational and career plans, and any other information which would explain why the applicant is a qualified candidate for this scholarship.

IV. How to Access:

The recipient of this scholarship must provide the sponsor with proof of registration in a post-secondary institution. Arrangements will then be made to have the amount of the scholarship forwarded to the registrar of the institution or flight school.

Recipients of this scholarship will have two years after being awarded in which to claim the funds.

V. Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection:

Each school in District #69 (Qualicum) will select one applicant and forward this applicant's package to Qualicum Beach Flying Club. The Qualicum Beach Flying Club will determine the successful recipient.

PARKSVILLE / QUALICUM ELKS LODGE #589 BURSARY

External

1 @ \$1,000.00

Confirmed for 2020

I. Bursary:

The bursary has been provided by the Parksville / Qualicum Elks Lodge #589 as a part of a Canadian organization who, as part of our aims and objectives, is directed to the youth of our community.

The bursary will be presented to a graduating student of Ballenas Secondary School. The Parksville / Qualicum Elks reserve the right to grant this bursary on an annual basis. In the event that there is no suitable applicant for the award in any given year, the sponsor shall be empowered to cancel the bursary for the year under review.

II. Criteria for Selection:

1. The applicant must provide a separate letter **addressed to the Parksville / Qualicum Elks Lodge #589.**
2. Preference will be given to those applicants with financial need. **A copy of the financial need statement (available on the Ballenas Scholarship website) must be part of the application package.**
3. Academic performance will be taken into consideration but more emphasis will be given to the student's role or involvement in community affairs. The students are expected to give a reasonable outline of their involvement in community affairs.
4. The student applicant must be proceeding to one of the following:
 - a. University
 - b. Technical School
 - c. Regional College
 - d. Vocational Program
 - e. Hospital Training Program

III. Additional Criteria: (Please include all of the following in your package for the Elks)

- Must provide a copy of your financial need form
- Letter addressed to: Mr. Carl Christiaens and the members of the Elks Lodge #589
- Resume
- Transcript

IV. How to Access:

The recipient of this scholarship must provide proof of registration in an accredited Canadian post-secondary institution to the Parksville / Qualicum Elks Lodge. Arrangements will then be made to have the amount of the bursary forwarded to the recipient.

Successful student will have 24 months to claim this bursary

V. Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection: The Scholarship Committee will provide a short-list of three to six applicants to the Elks for their perusal and recommendation.

PARKSVILLE LIONS CLUB ADVANCED EDUCATION BURSARY

External

\$3,000. to \$5,000. (to be shared with KSS, based on need)

I. Bursary:

The Parksville Lions Club is endeavouring to provide a bursary for a student or students who, for reasons of simple economics, are unable to proceed with advanced education and/or trades school.

This bursary will be presented annually only if a worthy student is found. It may be used at any institution of higher learning recognized by the selection committee. This bursary may be used, with committee approval, in conjunction with another bursary or scholarship, on education, tuition or accommodation.

The selection committee reserves the right to give out a partial or split scholarship. If the basic criteria cannot, in their opinion, be fulfilled by any applicant whose submission is made prior to APRIL 3RD, the committee reserves the right to not hand out the bursary.

One of these bursaries will be allocated with the title of Lloyd Fraser Memorial Bursary. This bursary is to honour Mr. Fraser's long service commitment to the community.

II. Criteria for Selection:

The committee's decision shall be based on the following priorities:

1. Social/economic need of the family; preference given to students in need of financial support.
2. Community service or work record with former part-time or summer employers;
3. Scholastic achievement of a minimum of "C+" on the final report, with special emphasis on a student showing the greatest improvement in scholastic standings through Grades 10, 11 and 12;
4. Student applicants must be attending Ballenas Secondary School at the time of the application and be in residence in District 69 for at least twelve months prior to the application.

III. Additional Criteria:

Applications need not be made in the student's own handwriting. Economic prerequisites are as follows:

- a. Economic application letters supplied by the student, addressed to the Grade 12 Counsellor, shall be completed by all applicants. All letters will be destroyed by the committee and not circulated outside the committee; and should include assessment of property, mortgages and finances of the parents (family income).
- b. A tentative recipient's family, prior to confirmation of their son's or daughter's selection, must be willing to grant authority in writing for the aforesaid finance committee to obtain a credit report, if requested;
- c. The social economic indicator for an equal size family as published and regionally adjusted yearly by Statistics Canada, shall be the final determinant of family need. Self-employed individual incomes will be determined by an authorized accountant's affidavit to the committee.

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IV. How to access:

The recipient of the bursary must show proof to the Parksville Lions Club of his/her registration at an institution of higher learning in Canada. Arrangements will then be made to forward the proceeds to the registrar of the institution or to the landlord of the accommodation (funds can be used for tuition, books or room and board). Students have eighteen months to utilize the bursary (i.e. they may take a year off before enrolling for post-secondary education).

V. Applications:

Applications for this bursary must reach the Counselling Department by APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M. Applications must include all supporting documents (**forms for showing financial need are available at B.S.S. Counselling Office**).

VI. Selection:

The selection committee membership shall be comprised of one to three Parksville Lions Club members. The committee shall deal only with written requests in a form prescribed by the committee and a clear majority decision shall prevail.

PARKSVILLE QUILTHOUSE QUILTERS' GUILD SCHOLARSHIP

External
2 at \$750.

Confirmed for 2020

I. Scholarship:

The Parksville Quilt House Quilters' Guild members are pleased to offer two scholarships, each valued at \$750, to graduating students in School District #68 Nanaimo, School District #69 Qualicum, School District #70 Alberni, and School District #71 Comox Valley. The Guild's purpose is to promote and encourage education in the craft of quilting.

The scholarship is to fund post-secondary education at an accredited institution.

II. Criteria for Selection:

1. The recipient will be either a graduating student, or member (or child or grandchild) in good standing of the Guild.
2. Preference will be given to:
 - a. students pursuing a degree in textile arts, fashion design. Degrees in fine arts or graphic design will be considered if the candidate demonstrates that these will be related to fibre, textile or fashion design
 - b. students who have successfully completed a course of study in textiles or fashion design at secondary school or are able to demonstrate (with photos, samples, testimonials, or awards) a strong personal interest in quilting, quilting history or textile arts, including fashion design
 - c. students who have demonstrated a strong interest / personal portfolio in quilting, quilting history, or textile arts (with photos, samples, testimonials or awards.)
 - d. students who are currently at, or will be attending a Canadian post-secondary institution

III. Additional Criteria:

1. A completed **separate application form** (forms available from the Counselling Office)
2. A letter to the sponsor explaining why you are deserving of this scholarship, your plans for further education and subsequent career, and any affiliation you have or plan to have with the Guild.
3. A transcript of grades.
4. A letter of recommendation from your sponsor teacher.

IV. How to Access:

The recipient of this scholarship must provide the sponsor with proof of attendance in a post-secondary institution before funds are released. The bursary must be claimed within 27 months of the date awarded.

V. Applications:

Applications for this scholarship **must reach the Parksville Quilthouse Quilters' Guild (Attention: Scholarship Committee Chair) by April 3rd 2020**

VI. Selection:

The selection will be made by the Parksville Quilt House Quilters' Guild.

**PARKSVILLE VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT – ROD BANKS MEMORIAL
BURSARY**

1 @ \$500.00

I. Bursary:

The bursary is in memory of Deputy Chief Rod Banks, who dedicated 45 years to the Parksville Volunteer Fire Department. Rod was a consummate family man and was a respected and dedicated member of the local community. He was a leader in all aspects of his life and not afraid to make changes to better the community.

I. Criteria for Selection:

To be awarded to deserving students who have been accepted for post-secondary education. Selection preference will be given to those who are entering Emergency Services.

Preference will be given in the following order:

1. Current Parksville Fire Department member or member's child/grandchild.
2. Parksville Volunteer Fire Department Honorary member's child/grandchild.
3. Any student (must be entering Emergency Services Field).

III. Additional Criteria:

- The bursary committee reserves the right to NOT award the bursary, but may award more than one if funding permits.
- Applications must be received by the committee no later than June 1 of the current year. The application form is available at the Ballenas website (scholarship page), or at the Counselling Office. Applications received after the cut-off date will not be considered.
- Prior recipients of the bursary may reapply for an additional year of funding. Preference will be given to first time applicants.

IV. How to Access:

The recipient of this bursary must provide the PVFD with proof of registration in a post-secondary institution before funds are released. Money must be claimed within six months of being awarded.

V. Applications:

Applications for this bursary must be submitted to the Parksville Volunteer Fire Department by June 1 of the current year. Applications can be emailed to bursary@pvfd.ca, or mailed or delivered to the following address:

PVFD Bursary Committee
160 Jensen AVE W
PO Box 1390
Parksville, BC V9P 2H3

VI. Selection:

Selection for this bursary will be made by the Parksville Volunteer Fire Department Bursary Committee.

ROTARY CLUB OF PARKSVILLE, A.M. SCHOLARSHIPS

TWO OF \$1,200

(one post-secondary education, one trades training)

Confirmed for 2020

I. Scholarship:

These scholarships are provided as part of Rotary's commitment to the youth of our community. The scholarships will be awarded annually to students graduating from Ballenas Secondary School. One scholarship will be awarded to a student proceeding to academic post-secondary education; one scholarship will be awarded to a student proceeding to trades training.

II. Criteria for Selection:

1. Applicants must have a minimum of a 3.0 GPA based on academic performance in grades 11 and 12
2. The applicant must attend a Canadian post-secondary or technical/vocational training institution.
3. Active participation in the Rotary sponsored Interact club will be considered an asset.

II. Additional Criteria:

1. The applicant will provide a letter to the sponsor outlining involvement in school and community activities; educational, career plans and any other information explaining why you best qualify for this scholarship.
2. The scholarship will be used exclusively for tuition fees.
3. The scholarship recipient must be willing to attend a Rotary Club of Parksville A.M. meeting and brief the club members on his or her future educational plans.

IV. How to Access:

The recipient of the scholarship must provide the sponsor with proof of registration in a Canadian post-secondary institution. Arrangements will be made by the sponsor to forward the amount of the scholarship to the registrar of the institution.

The recipient must register and claim the scholarship within eighteen months of it being awarded. If circumstances arise which cause the recipient to delay claiming the award within eighteen months, the sponsor must be contacted in writing, within the eighteen month period, requesting an extension to the reward period and the reason for the delay. The decision to extend the award period is strictly at the discretion of the sponsor.

V. Applications must reach the Counselling Department by APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection

The Rotary Club of Parksville A.M. will be provided with a list of qualified applicants for each scholarship, as determined by the Ballenas Secondary School Scholarship Committee. The sponsor will select two students from each list and the Ballenas Secondary School Scholarship Committee will make the final determination.

SILVER SPUR RIDING CLUB SCHOLARSHIP

1 Award at \$ 250.00

Confirmed for 2020

I Scholarship:

The Scholarship will be available to all students of District #69. The scholarship will be presented annually to graduating students proceeding to post-secondary education into an Equine-related field.

Two scholarships of \$250.00 each will be available (one to a Ballenas student and one to a Kwalikum Secondary student). In the event that there is only one acceptable recipient the full amount will be considered for that student. If there are no acceptable recipients we have the right to withdraw the scholarship for that year.

II Criteria for Selection:

1. The student must be a District #69 Graduate.
2. The student must have a school record of satisfactory achievement.
3. The student must be proceeding into an Equine-related field.

III Additional Criteria:

1. A list of the student's hobbies and interests.
2. A statement of "Why you feel you should receive the scholarship".
3. A list of activities, and or volunteer work you have done in the Equine field.

IV How to access:

The recipient of this scholarship is to inform the sponsor after registering at an institution for further training. Arrangements will be made to forward the money to the registrar of that institution. The scholarship is available for up to 24 months after receiving it.

V Application:

Applications for this scholarship must reach the Counselling Department of the student's registered school by APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI Selection:

Selection for this scholarship will be made by a committee of persons from the Silver Spur Riding Club.

**SILVER SPUR RIDING CLUB SCHOLARSHIP – SPONSORED BY NANAIMO
TOYOTA**

1 Award at \$ 250.00

Confirmed for 2020

I Scholarship:

The Scholarship will be available to District #69 students attending Ballenas Secondary School or Kwalikum Secondary School. The scholarship will be presented annually to graduating students who have contributed to the equine community and who are proceeding to post-secondary education.

II Criteria for Selection:

1. The student must have a school record of satisfactory academic achievement.
2. The student has been an active contributor to the local equine community.
3. It is not required that the student be a member of the Silver Spur Riding Club

III Additional Criteria:

1. Students must provide a letter addressed to the Silver Spur Riding Club which outlines his or her academic achievements, extra-curricular activities, community activities, educational and career plans, and any other information explaining why the student is a qualified candidate for this scholarship. Please include a list of activities and / or volunteer work performed in the equine field.
2. Student must provide a resume which outlines achievements and activities throughout grades 11 and 12.

IV How to access:

In order to receive the funds, the recipient will be required to provide proof of registration in a post-secondary institution to the sponsor. The funds will then be transferred to the post-secondary institution in the recipient's name.

Recipients of the scholarship will have 2 years after awarded in which to claim the funds.

V Application:

Applications for this scholarship must reach the Counselling Department of the student's registered school by APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI Selection:

Selection for this scholarship will be made by a committee of persons from the Silver Spur Riding Club.

STANLEY CHONG SENIOR UMPIRE SCHOLARSHIP

External

ONE AT \$500.00

Confirmed for 2020

I. Scholarship:

The Oceanside Minor Baseball Association, with help from the Oceanside Orthodox Softball Association, has created a \$500 scholarship in honour of Stanley Chong's on-going commitment to ball. Stanley continues to be a lifetime member of the BC Umpire Association, as well as a long-time respected and valued umpire in District 69.

Applications for the scholarship will be received from graduating students of **both** Ballenas Secondary School and Kwalikum Secondary School; however only **ONE** recipient will be selected.

II. Criteria for Selection:

1. The scholarship is to be awarded to a student proceeding to any recognized post-secondary institution. Study must commence within 18 months of receiving this award.
2. All applicants must have a C+ average or better.
3. Applicants must have been involved with baseball as an umpire during their grade 10, 11 or 12 school years. Extra weight will be given to candidates who umpire in their graduating year or who have provided umpire service for multiple seasons.

III. Additional Criteria:

The following must accompany the application:

- 1) A letter addressed to the Oceanside Minor Baseball Association outlining your academic achievements, extra-curricular activities, community activities, educational and career plans, and any other information explaining why you feel you are a qualified candidate for this scholarship.
- 2) A letter from a coach, manager or club executive indicating the candidate's skills, character and contribution to baseball as an umpire.

IV. How to Access:

The recipient of this scholarship must provide proof to the Oceanside Minor Baseball Association of his/her registration at an institution of higher learning. Arrangements will then be made to forward proceeds to the registrar of the institution. Students have eighteen months to utilize the scholarship (i.e., they may take a year off before enrolling for post-secondary education).

V. Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection:

Selection for this scholarship will be made by the Oceanside Minor Baseball Association.

THWAITES PRIZE SCHOLARSHIPS

External

Up to 3 @ \$2000.00

Confirmed through 2030

I Scholarship:

This award is in memory of Mr. and Mrs. E.D. Thwaites of Qualicum Beach, BC and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Thwaites of Parksville, BC. Business leaders, community volunteers and dedicated family members since 1900. The financial award will be for (1) selected male or female candidate from each of Ballenas Secondary, Kwalikum Secondary, and PASS/Woodwinds.

II Criteria for Selection:

Student proceeding to post-secondary education at a College, University, or Technical/Arts school.

Student performance is based on:

- Academic achievement-40%
- Extra-curricular participation-20%
- Financial need-20%
- Outside interests-10%
- Off island-10%

III Additional Criteria:

The applicant must provide a letter outlining academic achievements, extra-curricular activities, financial need, community activities, educational and career plans and other information explaining why you feel you are a qualified candidate for this scholarship.

IV How to Access:

The recipient will have up to 24 months to provide proof of registration. If the award is not claimed within the set time-period, it is extinguished.

V Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI Selection:

Ballenas shortlists up to three candidates, and provides recommendations for final review with sponsor.

TIMBERWEST SCHOLARSHIP

One at \$1,000

I. Scholarship

Awarded to a School District 69 Indigenous graduating student who is pursuing studies in the field of forestry at a post-secondary institution (degree, diploma or trades)

II. Criteria for selection

Student must be proceeding into the field of forestry (degree, diploma or trades); Alternatively, the award can be made available to students pursuing students pursuing studies in Fisheries or other Natural Resource Management related fields.

III. Additional Criteria

Applicant must show evidence of:

1. Demonstrate strong leadership qualities.
2. Satisfactory record of achievement.
3. A letter outlining your academic achievements, extra-curricular activities, community activities, educational and career plans, and any other information explaining why you feel you are a qualified candidate for this scholarship.
4. A scholarship resume outlining your achievements and activities throughout grades 11 and 12.

IV. How to Access

The recipient of the scholarship will have 18 months following graduation to claim the scholarship funds. Upon registration at a post-secondary institution, the recipient will be required to provide proof of registration to School District 69 and funds will then be forwarded to the student.

V. Applications

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection

Each school will submit their application(s) to a District Scholarship Committee. The District Scholarship Committee will review the applications and determine the recipient.

VANCOUVER ISLAND REAL ESTATE BOARD (PARKSVILLE / QUALICUM)
SCHOLARSHIP

Confirmed for 2020

\$ 1,000.00

I. Scholarship:

The scholarship is offered to a graduating student of Ballenas Secondary School who is proceeding to an accredited post-secondary educational institution. This scholarship is being offered by the Vancouver Island Real Estate Boards on behalf of Realtors in Parksville / Qualicum Beach.

II. Criteria for Selection:

1. Satisfactory academic achievement.
2. Citizenship and strong work ethic.

III. Additional Criteria:

The applicant must provide a letter outlining academic achievements, extra-curricular activities, community activities, educational and career plans and other information explaining why you feel you are a qualified candidate for this scholarship.

IV. How to Access:

The recipient of this scholarship must submit a receipt from the registrar of an accredited post-secondary institution, indicating enrolment in that institution, to the sponsor. Arrangements will be made to have the amount of the scholarship forwarded to the registrar of that institution or to the Student depending on the program.

Funding must be paid out by the sponsor prior to December 31st of that calendar year. The sponsor will need to be contacted and special arrangements made if the student will not be attending post-secondary in that immediate year.

V. Applications:

Applications are to be submitted in room 202 during the last block on APRIL 3RD, NO LATER THAN 3:05 P.M.

VI. Selection:

The Ballenas Scholarship Committee will provide a short-list of applicants (maximum of five) to the Vancouver Island Real Estate Board Director who will make the final decision.

Not offered in 2019 – no response from sponsor for 2020

ROYAL LePAGE – OCEANSIDE SCHOLARHIP

(1 @ \$500.)

Preceptor Delta Zeta, Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi \$1,000 available to BSS on Odd years, ie 2019, 2021