Over 50 applications for our scholarships and bursaries were received by the end of May 2025, which were vetted for eligibility, and then shared with trustees for their individual assessment. The scoring of applications is based on a series of agreed-criteria which includes academic achievements, career and personal goals, and community engagement, as well as financial need.

The eight Trustees then met on June 24 to collate and compile the numerical assessments, and to allocate the available funds. We had a pot of \$58,000.00 to distribute this year, and used it all, to provide the following **eighteen** (18) awards:

Mature Student Bursary - \$3,000.00 each, awarded to:

- Victoria Miller
- Jacqueline Munro
- Marissa Penney
- Meredith Porter

ECE Bursary - \$2,000.00 each, awarded to:

- Nada Chalis (Walz)
- Eva Galushka

J.C. Reid Memorial Scholarship - \$4,000.00, awarded to:

Charlotte Telfer-Wan

Memorial Scholarship - \$4,000.00 each, awarded to:

- Emily Godfrey
- Emma Harvey
- Sophie Jin
- Camryn Stannard

PostGraduate Scholarship - \$4,000.00 each, awarded to:

- Sophia Pawelko
- Alexandra Roberts
- Olivia Williams
- Kara Windram

Secondary School Graduate Scholarships - \$2,000.00 each, awarded to:

- Ella Brown (Ballenas Secondary School)
- Tovah Zuydervelt (Kwalicum Secondary School)

Tatum Feere (CEAP)

Winners of the Vancouver Island University (VIU)
Apprenticeship Award and North island College (NIC)
Trade Award of \$2,000.00 and \$1000.00 respectively have not yet been announced. Once they have been announced by the institutions our twenty (20) awards for 2025-26 school year will total \$61,000.00.

Some of our funds come from corporate or local organisations, such as the *ELM Foundation, 100 Fine Gentlemen of Oceanside Who Give a Damn,* and our very own *CFUW PQ Club Grant* from the Book Sale proceeds, for which we are very grateful. However, the majority of our funds come from the *huge hearts of our club members*. Our grateful thanks to all of you: your hard work over the club year leading up to the book sale; working at the book sale itself; and the many donations, bequests, and legacies from current and past members and their families. *Because of all of you, 20 women from Oceanside are one step closer to their goals. That's certainly something to be proud of! THANKS!*

On behalf of the Scholarship and Bursary Trust

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