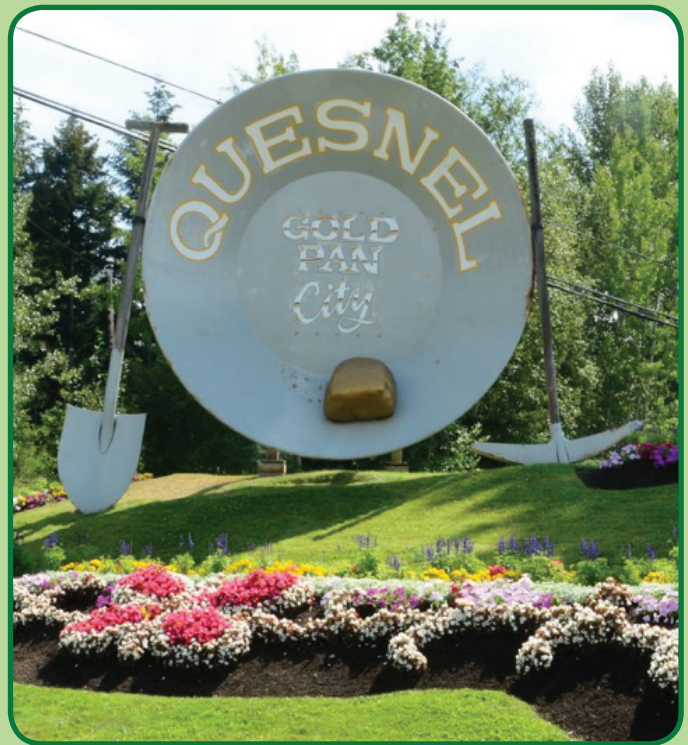




2018 Report to the Community



*We give here
because we live here*

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

It is both an honour and privilege to bring you this Community Update as President of the Quesnel Community Foundation. Our fundraising in 2017 including all our sponsors and in-kind donations exceeded \$189,000 and we now have over \$2.7 million in our Endowment Fund! **Thank-you Quesnel!**

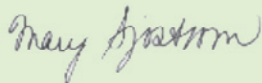
I'd like to thank our Board of Directors for contributing so much of their valuable time to support the growth of our foundation. Sadly, we said goodbye and a big thank-you this year to Director Lisa Battram. We are thrilled she will continue as a member of our Grants Committee. We welcome new Director Deb Burton who has joined the TEAM. Deb will take a leadership role with Gayle Campbell organizing our Fundraising dinner event.

The Quesnel Community Foundation exists to meet the needs of our community through the growth and management of permanent endowment funds. We operate under the premise that all donations received will be used to generate investment income which funds our grants. The capital created by donations is never spent. As our endowment grows, our ability to fund grants also grows. In 2018 we awarded over \$68,000 in grants to fifteen projects! In addition, \$10,000 was distributed in the form of bursary's and scholarships and \$3900 in Agency Funds to Island Mountain Arts and Friends of the Quesnel Museum.

Lastly, our fundraising efforts have been boosted in recent years by the extreme generosity of an anonymous donor. We are thrilled to announce that once again a donor will provide matching funds to the Foundation for donations received between November 1 and December 7, 2018, up to a maximum of \$50,000. So the challenge is on! We know we can achieve this goal once again, with your generous support. Please go to our website to learn more www.quesnelfoundation.ca. Whether a cheque, cash, credit card, or in-kind, please consider supporting us in any way you can. Our mailing address is Box 4158, Quesnel, B.C., V2J 3J2.

Thank-you Quesnel for your continued support of this wonderful Community we call Home...

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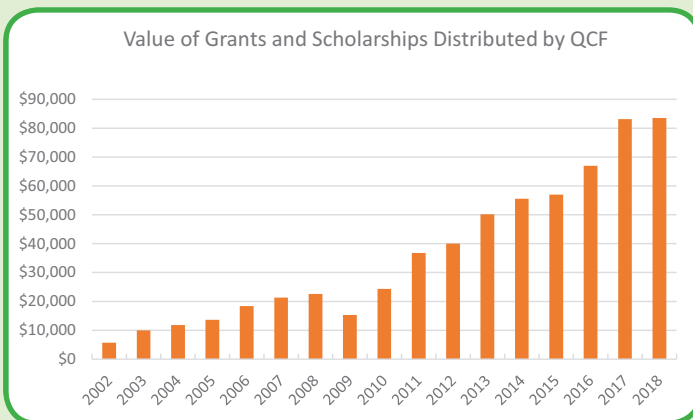


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THANK YOU



2018 Gala Thank you

Thank you to the community, volunteers, and all our wonderful sponsors for making this year's Gala such a wonderful success. Mark April 13, 2019 in you calendar for a return to our traditional Gala format.

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Gayle Campbell • Laurie Rice • Jen Boudreau,
Deb Burton • Vera Bishop • Caroline Mitchell
• Bob Norman and the many volunteers who helped make the event a success

To anyone we may have missed, our sincere apologies. We greatly appreciate your support of the Quesnel Community Foundation.

THANK YOU FOR THE ONGOING SUPPORT FROM OUR SUSTAINING PARTNERS



REPORT TO COMMUNITY

Our 2019 Grant cycle is now open. Please go to our website www.quesnelfoundation.ca under Tab 'Receive' to download an application form for your proposal.

Submission deadline is Friday January 11, 2019.

Congratulations to all the 2018 Grant recipients featured below!



Back Row L to R: Louise Breband, Jean Gelinas, Linnea Hedden, Blair Hedden, Gilbert Schotel, Colin Mackenzie, Rae Daggit, Christy Wheeler; **Middle Row L to R:** Lori Carifelle, Anja Carifelle, Romley Goulet, Bruce Self, Greg Brink, Lloyd Saunders, Barb King, Amanda Draeger, Shannon Crocker, John Courtney, Esther Platts, Rob LaFrance; **Front Row L to R:** Honey Affleck, Colby O'Flynn, Sherry McLeod, Jennifer Grant

The foundation distributed a total of \$68,100 in funding to the following groups.

Group	Project name	Representatives(s)	Awarded
Quesnel & District Heritage Association	Gravel purchase	Lloyd & Lana Saunders	\$ 1,000.00
Friends of the Quesnel Museum	Large outdoor mural	Honey Affleck	\$ 3,300.00
Quesnel Old Time Fiddlers	Sound System	Romley Goulet, Louise Breband, Jean Gelinas	\$ 2,800.00
Fit Pet dog Sports Association	Flooring project	Barb King	\$ 5,700.00
Cariboo Ski Touring Club	Snow making machine	Bruce Self	\$ 8,000.00
Back Country Horsemen	Telegraph Trail upgrades	Rob LaFrance & Christy Wheeler	\$10,000.00
Quesnel Pony Club	Jumps	Lori & Anja Carifelle	\$ 1,500.00
BCSPCA	Accessible front and back access	Colby O'Flynn	\$ 5,000.00
Quesnel & District Seniors' Centre	Accessible entrance	Rae Daggit & Marj Hessels	\$ 2,500.00
Quesnel Tumbling Rivers Rock Club	Rock Hounds and Pebble Pups (Kits)	Amanda Draeger & Shannon Crocker	\$ 1,500.00
Quesnel Curling Center	Lounge upgrade. 'The patch'	Blair & Linnea Hedden	\$10,000.00
Gold Rush Cycling Club(GRCC)	Mountain Bike Trail Network Improvement and Expansion Plan: Signage	John Courtney & Esther Platts	\$ 2,300.00
Alex Fraser Park Society	Administrative Office Implementation Project	Greg Brink	\$ 5,000.00
Quesnel Youth Soccer Association	New Utility Vehicle	Gilbert Schotel & Colin MacKenzie	\$ 5,000.00
Quesnel Gymnastics	Equipment	Jennifer Grant & Sherry McLeod	\$ 4,500.00

REPORT TO COMMUNITY

In 2018 the Foundation passed a significant milestone. Since 2001, the Foundation has awarded over half a million dollars to our community for a grand total of \$556,267, without drawing down any of the endowment capital! We project our annual giving will continue to grow and so we think it's important to take the pulse of the community. This year we are embarking on a community engagement program to invite our community to weigh in on our granting. We want to learn more about the needs of the community and ensure we are meeting those needs. If you would like to comment or provide input, please email us with your suggestions qcf@shaw.ca. We will generate a summary report by next Fall.

SCHOLARSHIP & BURSARY AWARDS

This year the Community Foundation awarded seven Scholarships and Bursaries to a total of twelve recipients. Education Funds are an integral part of the Foundation's giving and we thank all the donors who have worked so hard to make this possible. For information on setting up a fund please go to www.quesnelfoundation.ca and click on the Tab 'Giving'. For information on how to apply for awards please click on the Tab 'Receive'.



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Memorial Award**

NAMED FUNDS

Quesnel now has over forty Named Funds where cumulative donations have exceeded \$5000.00!! We thank our generous donors who choose to donate one time or annually for many different reasons.

Jim Gorsline - *"Barb and I believe that by creating an annual educational bursary, we are helping a person better their opportunities. If you help a person, it will benefit the whole community."*

Brian Rankin - *"We established a Family Fund many years ago and I donate annually. I also plan to leave a legacy gift. I enjoy giving back to Quesnel as this community has been very good for my family."*

Kelly and Teresa King - *"We love our hometown and the Quesnel Community Foundation is a great way to support our community."*

NAMED FUNDS

NAMED MEMORIAL FUNDS (excluding Scholarship and Bursary Funds listed above)

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Thank-you for thinking of the Quesnel Foundation for your charitable giving.

Hank & Janice Ketcham Fund	Henry H. and Nancy K. Ketcham Foundation Fund	Ken Chesley Memorial Fund
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