



Interior Savings Surpasses \$2.5 Million in Bursaries Awarded... and Counting!

Kelowna, BC (February 13, 2019) – *Over the past five years, Interior Savings has awarded bursaries to more than 2,500 local students, and there's another thousand bursaries up for grabs this year, but only until February 28.*

In its sixth year of an eight year commitment, Interior Savings will award up to \$1 million in bursaries – that's 1000 \$1000 bursaries available to help students achieve their dreams of completing post-secondary.

"Local money for local good is so much more than our tagline; it's our commitment to investing in our communities and our members," says Kathy Conway, Interior Savings' CEO. "Our Million Dollar Bursary program is one way we give back to our young members in the hope that we will make a meaningful difference in their lives and help them achieve their full potential."



Each year Interior Savings returns over 20% of profits to its members, and the Million Dollar Bursary program is one way the Credit Union does that. To be eligible, members have until February 28th to complete the online bursary application. If not already a member, the Credit Union says it's easy to join and the student account is free.

"We know that life is expensive, especially for students who are just getting started and trying to put themselves through school," says Conway. "With the deadline coming up quickly, our hope is that our communities will help us get the word out to ensure no eligible student misses this opportunity."

The bursary program is intended for students between the ages of 17 and 24, who are entering or returning to full-time study towards a degree, diploma or trade certification program at a designated post-secondary institution in 2019 or 2020. Students can only be awarded this bursary once.

Visit <http://www.milliondollarbursary.com> for more information or to submit your bursary application.

About Interior Savings

Interior Savings is a member-owned, democratically-controlled credit union dedicated to creating local money while helping to build vibrant communities. Through its 21 branches, 16 insurance offices, Member Service Centre, and two Commercial Services Centres, the Credit Union offers personal and

commercial banking and a full range of insurance and wealth management services to more than 70,000 members across 14 communities. In the last 15 years, Interior Savings has returned \$58.7 million to members through its Member Rewards Program and invested nearly \$8 million in support of community programs. To learn more, visit interiorsavings.com or the Interior Savings [Facebook](#) page or [Do Some Good](#) page.

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