



# DISTRICT OF STEWART & LIUNA LOCAL 1611 GRANDUC MEMORIAL EDUCATION AWARD

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Please include with the application a word document of less than two hundred and fifty (250) words, that demonstrates your knowledge of the Granduc Mine Disaster, the impact of the event on the District of Stewart, and (if applicable) any connection you personally have to the event. Include your intended educational pursuits and how you would use the funding provided by this award toward your education/training if selected as the applicant. You may wish to include any interests, hobbies, volunteer experiences, or participation in service clubs that you deem relevant to this application.

To Apply for this Education Award please submit the Application Form along with supporting documents to:

District of Stewart

P.O Box 460 – Stewart, BC – V0T-1W0

Or via email to: [JHill@districtofstewart.com](mailto:JHill@districtofstewart.com)

For more information please inquire at the District of Stewart office or call (778) 794-9955.

Submissions will be accepted until May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2025. The successful Applicant will be notified by June 1st, 2025

# **LIUNA Local 1611 Granduc Mine Disaster Memorial Education Award**

## **OBJECTIVE:**

To provide one (1) Educational Award in the amount of Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000.00) to a student enrolled in an accredited University, College, Technical school, or training program in Canada, in Memoriam of those that perished in the Leduc Avalanche of the Granduc Mine disaster in 1965. The education Award Funding is to be used in a manner that supports the recipients' pursuit of further education and/or training.

## **ELIGIBILITY:**

1. The applicant must have a Stewart, British Columbia, Canada residential address as their permanent residence at the time of the application
2. The applicant must be graduating high school in the year the application is submitted.
3. The applicant must be attending (or have attended) Bear Valley School in Stewart, British Columbia, Canada.
3. The applicant must be accepted as a student at an accredited University, College, Technical school, or Training Program in Canada.
4. A word document of less than 250 words detailing the applicant's educational pursuits and knowledge of the Granduc Mine Disaster must be submitted with the application. The omission of an essay will exclude the applicant from review.
5. Preference will be given to applicants who are pursuing education and training in a field that relates to the Mineral Resources industry and/or other sectors represented by LiUNA Local 1611.

## **SELECTION COMMITTEE:**

The selection committee will consist of two (2) District of Stewart Council Members and two (2) District of Stewart Staff Members.

### **APPLICATION PERIOD:**

Applications will be received for review by the committee from February 18th, 2026 to May 1st, 2026. A decision will be made by the committee, and the recipient will be notified by June 1st 2026.

### **Scoring Criteria for LIUNA LOCAL 1611 Granduc Mine Disaster Memorial Education Award ELIGIBILITY:**

1. The applicant must have a Stewart, British Columbia, Canada residential address as their permanent residence. YES OR NO (If the applicant does not have a Stewart, British Columbia, Canada residential address as their permanent residence it will exclude the applicant from review).
2. The applicant must be in the process of graduating (or have attended) Bear Valley School in Stewart, British Columbia, Canada. YES OR NO (If the applicant is not or has not previously attended Bear Valley School in Stewart, British Columbia, Canada it will exclude the applicant from review).
3. The applicant must be accepted as a student at an accredited University, College, Technical school, or Training Program in Canada. YES OR NO (If the applicant is not accepted as a student in an accredited University, College, Technical school, or Training Program in Canada, it will exclude the applicant from review).
4. An essay of less than 250 words detailing the applicant's educational pursuits and knowledge of the Granduc Mine Disaster must be submitted with the application. The omission of a written document will exclude the applicant from review. YES OR NO

## **APPLICATION SCORING**

**1** Knowledge of the 1965 Granduc Mine Disaster: 30 Possible points

**2** Connection to the Granduc Mine: 10 Possible points

**3** Educational pursuits related to the Mineral Resource Industry and/or other sectors served by LiUNA Local 1611: 25 Possible points

**4** Length of time as a resident of Stewart British Columbia: 10 Possible points

**5** The sector the applicant desires to work in post education/training, and its economic significance for the District of Stewart: 25 Possible points

**\* Preference will be given to applicants who are pursuing education and training in a field that relates to the Mineral Resources industry and/or sectors served by LiUNA Local 1611\***

**\*The educational award will not be weighted based on academic merit or financial need\***