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GOLDEN STAR 2015

The Excellence in Education Committee met in April and we were pleased to award 5 Golden Star Awards and the second Legion Golden Star Award.



Committee Members

- Steve Bailey
- Charan Gill (Chair)
- Caroline Malm
- Alf McLean
- Gail Montgomery
- Lynne Rodier
- Carolyn Prellwitz

2015 BCRTA Golden Star Winners

- The Awards celebrate the working together of public school students and seniors in their communities.
- The 2015 Golden Star Recipients are:
 - Bowen Island Community School, Bowen Island. Contact: Sarah Haxby. “Grandfriends Program”.
 - Cordova Bay Elementary School, Victoria. Contact: Kelly Urarii. “IGeneration at CBay”.
 - Maple Creek Middle School, Port Coquitlam. Contact: Harriette Chang. “Real Acts of Caring”.
 - New West Homelearners, New Westminster. Contact: Sue Dyer. “Reclaiming the New Westminster Waterfront: Intergenerational Arts Program for Schools”.
 - Twin Rivers Elementary School, Castlegar. Contact: Renie Evdokimoff. “Grey Buddies”.

Bowen Island Community School

Grandfriends Program

Invitation to Golden Star Presentation

Bowen Island Community School

Are you 55 + years old?

**You're invited
to the next
Grandfriends**

Tea and Activity Day

with the grade 6-7
students of division 3,
in the MPR at Bowen Island
Community School, 1041
Mount Gardner Road

Thursday May 21st, 1-2pm.

This is a free program.

**Students will be sharing haiku poetry presentations,
and serving tea and healthy snacks.**



EXCITING NEWS: The Grandfriends program is celebrating twenty years at BICS, as well as being awarded a Golden Star Award by the BC Retired Teachers Association. The award will be presented at BICS at the Grandfriends program at 1:15pm and you're invited!



Bowen Island Community School Golden Star Trophy







Cordova Bay Elementary School

IGeneration at CBay

Cordova Bay Trophy & Cheque Presentation







Maple Creek Middle School

Real Acts of Caring

Maple Creek Middle School Welcome!



Maple Creek Trophy Presentation





New West Homelearners

Reclaiming the New
Westminster Waterfront:
Intergenerational Arts
Programs for Schools

New West Trophy Presentation









Twin Rivers Elementary School

Grey Buddies

Twin Rivers Cheque Presentation



Twin Rivers Students at Talarico Place





The 2015 Legion Golden Star Winner

Kelowna Secondary School,
Kelowna. Contact: Graeme Stacey.
“In the Classroom and Beyond:
Remembering and Honouring
Canadian World War II Hong Kong
Veterans”.

Legion Golden Star



Kelowna Secondary School

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Kelowna Secondary School



Legion Golden Star Cheque Presentation





2016

BCRTA will be awarding 5 Golden Star Awards at \$1500.00 each

BC Yukon Legion will be meeting in October to determine the amount of the Legion Golden Star award

New check lists and revised application forms will be on the BCRTA website in October

BCRTA: CELEBRATING INTERGENERATIONAL PROGRAMS IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS