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12th Annual ECBEA Awards
For the 2019-2020 School Year

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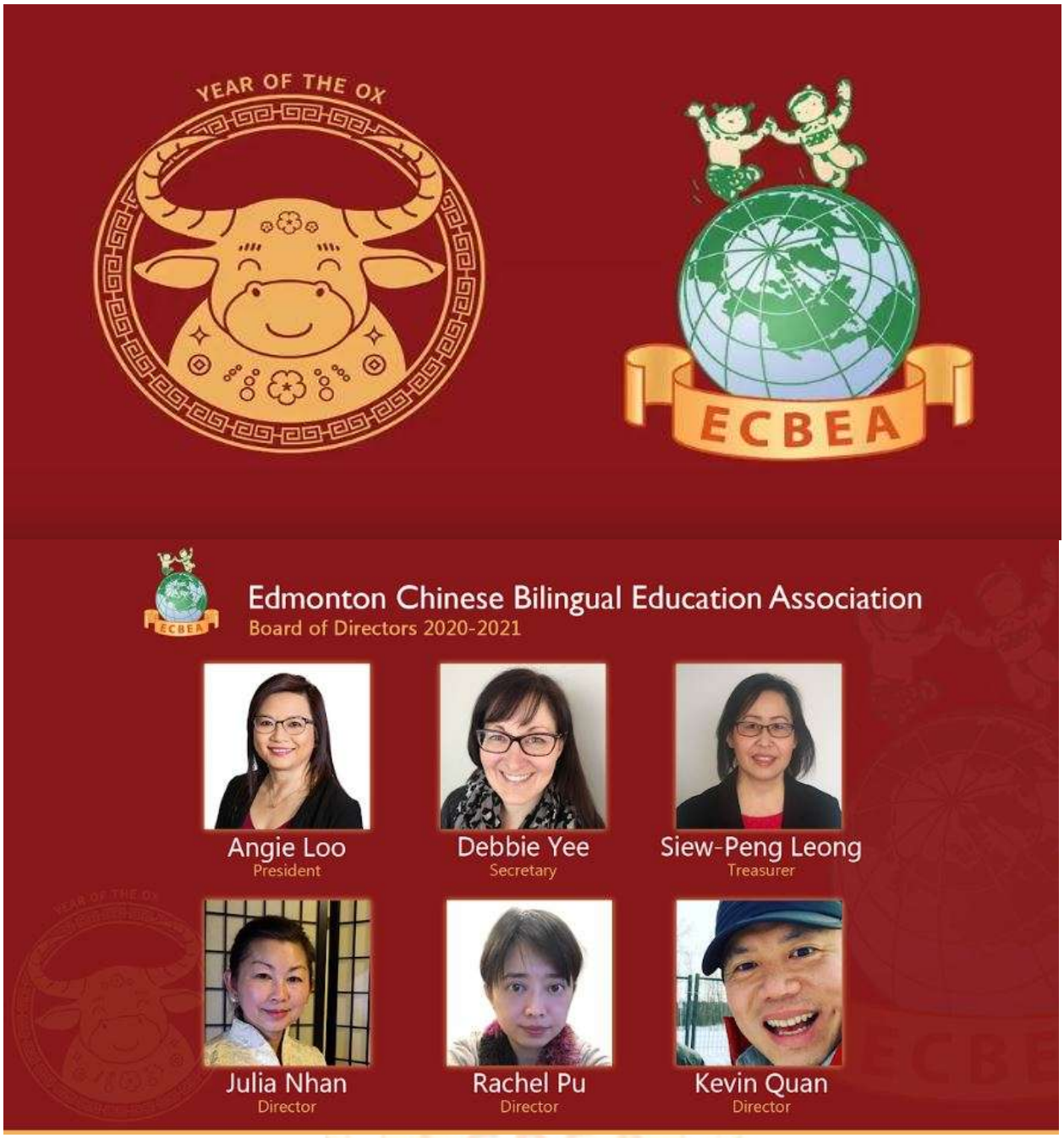

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Meyonohk Elementary School	梅约纳小学
Parkallen Elementary School	博爱伦小学
Londonderry Junior High School	伦德初中
Ottewell Junior High School	奥华初中
Parkview Junior High School	柏桥初中
Rosslyn Junior High School	若林初中
Lillian Osborne High School	立傲高中
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Message from ECBEA President, Angie Loo

Welcome everyone to the 12th Annual ECBEA Award Ceremony that honours and recognizes the achievements, successes and hard work put in by many students of the Chinese (Mandarin) Bilingual Program. It gives us great pleasure to present the ECBEA Scholarship Awards to our deserving students, not only as recognition of their achievements but also as encouragement for our students to continue in our program.

Thank you to all the past, continuing and new private and corporate scholarship sponsors. After several months delay due to the ever-changing restrictions due to the pandemic, we are hoping to add some extra cheer to ring in the Chinese New Year of the OX today. We thank our sponsors, students and parents for your continued patience. We had 186 awards for 140 winners from grade 6 to grade 12. To date, the ECBEA has awarded 2894 scholarships with a value of $356,050.

Thank you to our Scholarship Committee for the tremendous job and preparation that has been put into the whole process: Scholarship Chairs - Julia Nhan and Adel Ho; Scholarship Committee Advisors Doreen Poon, Stephen Tsang, and Wei Wong; IT Team Ashton Wong, Cynthia Li, Kevin Dons, Clinton Wong; Data Specialist Dan Friesen; and Award Ceremony Administrator Kevin Quan.

Thank you to all the jury members; Bonnie, Haiming, Harvey, Judy, Kathy, Kelly, Paul, Roy and Val for the time you've given to help make the sometimes-difficult decision of selecting one winner amongst so many eligible and worthy students.

Thank you to our partners in the education of our children - our teachers, principals, administrative staff, the Edmonton Public School Board and Confucius Institute in Edmonton.

Thank you to all the students and parent volunteers who make this program successful.

Congratulations and our very best wishes to all the winners. We hope you will always strive for excellence in not only your Mandarin language education but in all your studies.

Message from ECBEA 2020 Scholarship Co-Chair, Julia Nhan

Welcome to the ECBEA 12th annual Awards Ceremony, celebrating our outstanding students' achievement in the Mandarin Bilingual program in Edmonton Public Schools. We would like to acknowledge all of our generous sponsors who made this day possible. We are so proud to distribute over $27,000 in scholarships that recognize academic excellence, Chinese culture, music, Chinese writing, volunteering and leadership.

It is my pleasure to congratulate all of the 2019-2020 school year scholarship winners, and to recognize their commitment to excellence.

My act of kindness is to thank our nine scholarship judges, Scholarship Committee and our technical support team for their passion and commitment. They worked very hard day and night during the pandemic to ensure that over 250 applications were read, judged fairly and thoroughly. It was not an easy task when there were so many worthy applicants. Seeing the dedication and hard work of our students truly reinforces the success of the Mandarin Bilingual Program. Thank you to Edmonton Public Schools, principals, teachers, parents and guardians for your guidance and support to our children, and giving them the best opportunity of partaking in the Mandarin Bilingual Program. I would also like to thank all our past and current ECBEA Board Members for their hard work. Without them, we cannot have this successful event.

Once again, on behalf of ECBEA Scholarship Committee, congratulations to all the award recipients - your family and all of us are very proud of you. Please keep up your great work!

I sincerely wish this New Year is filled with joy, may you and your family stay safe, healthy and hopeful as we begin the Year of the Ox.

2020 ECBEA Scholarship Awards Criteria

Eligibility for the ECBEA Scholarship Awards program is restricted to students who are currently enrolled in the Chinese (Mandarin) Bilingual Program offered by Edmonton Public Schools and have been enrolled since Grade 4 without a break. Preference is given to students who choose to continue in the program up to completion of Grade 12. ECBEA awards well-rounded students. When marks are equal or close, ECBEA will look for other qualities such as volunteering, cultural activities etc. Marks of 5 subjects must be submitted through electronic report cards or interim reports. The 5 subjects include Chinese Language Arts, English Language Arts, Mathematics, Social Studies and Science (Senior high students can choose marks from any of their science subjects).

1. Category A Award (Academic Award) Criteria: *All 5 marks must be "A" (80% or higher). Students will also demonstrate contributions in volunteer and leadership activities.*

2. Majority A award Criteria: *The majority of these 5 marks must be "A" and the rest must be "B" or better.*
Students must demonstrate contributions (list the number of hours of involvement activities) in the specific activity criteria in the award such as volunteering, leadership, sport accomplishment, music accomplishment, Chinese writing and cultural events etc.

3. Category B Award Criteria: *All 5 marks must be B or better. Students must demonstrate contributions in the specific activity criteria in the award such as volunteering (list the number of hours of involvement activities), leadership, sport accomplishment, music accomplishment, Chinese writing and cultural events etc.*

4. Category C Award criteria: *All 5 marks must be "C" or better.*
Students must demonstrate contributions in the service (list the number of hours of volunteer activities) in ECBEA, school or community events; or specific activity criteria in the award such as to write an essay to state why learning Mandarin is important as requested or list Chinese dance activities.

2019-2020 ECBEA SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

1. Canadian Western Bank Cultural Award

2. Chinese Community - Kim Hung Service Award

3. Chinese Graduates Association of Alberta - Kim Hung Academic Award

4. Confucius Institute in Edmonton Award

5. Consulate General of the People's Republic of China in Calgary Academic

6. Dr. Donald Yu Dental Academic Leadership Award

7. ECBEA Award of Academic Excellence

8. ECBEA Service Award

9. Edmonton Chinese Lions Club Academic Award

10. Edmonton Chinese Writing Club Award

11. Hung Fung Athletic Club Service Award

12. Intellex Systems Inc. Academic Award

13. Music Lovers Guzheng Society Music Award

14. RBC Dominion Securities Academic Leadership Award

15. TD Canada Trust Culture Award

16. University of Alberta, China Institute Academic Award

17. Voun Tack Yee-Hai Memorial Academic Award

18. William Ma Memorial Academic Award

19. Wong Bark Ging and Young See Memorial Culture Award

Congratulations to Everyone!

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ECBEA Award Ceremony

Special Thanks to the Judging Committee, Scholarship Team,
IT Team and 2020-2021 ECBEA Executive

Canadian Western Bank Cultural Award, *See 2, Category A award criteria on page 3. The recipient needs to have participated in cultural activities.*

Student	School	Grade
Chloe Liu	Ottewell JUNIOR	9
Corey Ly	McNally HIGH	11
Elaine Mo	Rosslyn JUNIOR	8
Elizabeth Yung	Londonderry JUNIOR	7
Emma Tu	Parkview JUNIOR	8
Ethan Leong	Londonderry JUNIOR	8
Jess Yeo	Rosslyn JUNIOR	7
Juliane Lou	Parkview JUNIOR	7
Julianna Huang	Ottewell JUNIOR	8
Kaylee Tam	Parkview JUNIOR	9
Kiera Foote	Rosslyn JUNIOR	9
Kira Renschler	Londonderry JUNIOR	7
Livia Zheng	Londonderry JUNIOR	9
Macy Yau	Lillian Osborne HIGH	10
Megan Huang	Ross Sheppard HIGH	11
Sabrina Liao	Ross Sheppard HIGH	10
Timothy Hall	M.E. LaZerte HIGH	10
Zhao Yu Li	M.E. LaZerte HIGH	11

Chinese Community - Kim Hung Service Award, *See 2. Category B award Criteria on page 3.*

Student	School	Grade
Carmen Situ	Ross Sheppard HIGH	10
Keily Liw	M.E. LaZerte HIGH	10
Max Hiew	Ross Sheppard HIGH	11
Sammie Yeung	Ross Sheppard HIGH	11
Shirley Ma	M.E. LaZerte HIGH	12
Tina Ngo	Ross Sheppard HIGH	10
Yvonne Chin	Ross Sheppard HIGH	12

Chinese Graduates Association of Alberta - Kim Hung Academic Award, *See 1. Academic award criteria on page 3. Preference is given to students indicating in their application that they will continue in the Chinese Bilingual Program.*

Student	School	Grade
Ava Chai	Londonderry JUNIOR	8
Benson Chiem	Londonderry JUNIOR	8
Brian Lin	Londonderry JUNIOR	8
Ceres Wong	Londonderry JUNIOR	9
Kaylee Song	Londonderry JUNIOR	8
Serena Ten	Ross Sheppard HIGH	11
Summer Mok	Londonderry JUNIOR	7

Confucius Institute in Edmonton Award, *See 4. Category C award criteria on page 3. The Grade 6 student must have written a YCT or HSK test and must continue in the Chinese Bilingual Program in Grade 7. Attach an essay in no more than 100 words: Why continue studying Mandarin is important to you.*

Student	School	Grade
Angelina Dayman	Ottewell JUNIOR	9
Chloe Boon	Rosslyn JUNIOR	8
Elijah Vanderpuye	Londonderry JUNIOR	8
Emma Yan	Caernarvon ELEMENTARY	6
Hailey Chow	Caernarvon ELEMENTARY	6
Haywood Huang	Meyonohk ELEMENTARY	6
Jacky Mo	Dovercourt ELEMENTARY	6
Jeanette Choy	Meadowlark ELEMENTARY	6
Kate Choy	Meyonohk ELEMENTARY	6
Katelyn Chau	Kildare ELEMENTARY	6
Logan Hall	Londonderry JUNIOR	9
Lucas Wong	Dovercourt ELEMENTARY	6
Max Dong	Kildare ELEMENTARY	6
Michelle Deng	Rosslyn JUNIOR	9
Samantha Chiew	Parkview JUNIOR	8
Samuel Cullen	Meadowlark ELEMENTARY	6
Victoria Yiu	Parkview JUNIOR	9
Vincee Yau	Ottewell JUNIOR	8

Consulate-General of the People's Republic of China in Calgary Academic Award, *See 1. Academic award Criteria on page 3.*

Student	School	Grade
Allison Wan	M.E. LaZerte HIGH	12
Angela Tan	Ottewell JUNIOR	9
Carly Chiew	Ross Sheppard HIGH	10
Corey Ly	McNally HIGH	11
Eric Au	Ross Sheppard HIGH	11
Jessy Zhu	McNally HIGH	12
Johanna Lau	M.E. LaZerte HIGH	11
Katelyn Ly	Lillian Osborne HIGH	10
Kiera Foote	Rosslyn JUNIOR	9
Michelle Wong	M.E. LaZerte HIGH	10
Padgett Hiew	Ross Sheppard HIGH	12
Stacey Yee	Londonderry JUNIOR	9
Zoe Yee	Parkview JUNIOR	9

Dr. Donald Yu Dental Academic Leadership Award

Student	School	Grade
Kaitlyn Leong	Ross Sheppard HIGH	11
Macy Kwan	McNally HIGH	11
Maggie Chen	M.E. LaZerte HIGH	11

ECBEA Award of Academic Excellence, *See 1. Academic award criteria on page 3.*

Student	School	Grade
Ally Chia	Ross Sheppard HIGH	10
Danica Roth	Parkview JUNIOR	7
Erica Chiew	Parkview JUNIOR	9
Julianna Huang	Ottewell JUNIOR	8
Kate Choy	Meyonohk ELEMENTARY	6
Lucy Liu	Ross Sheppard HIGH	11
Theresa Der	M.E. LaZerte HIGH	12

ECBEA Service Award, *See 5. Service award criteria on page 3. Students must indicate when/where/which ECBEA and other community event(s) you volunteered at and the number of volunteer hours.*

Student	School	Grade
Carly Chiew	Ross Sheppard HIGH	10
Eric Au	Ross Sheppard HIGH	11
Padgett Hiew	Ross Sheppard HIGH	12
Samantha Chiew	Parkview JUNIOR	8
Shauna Ly	Ottewell JUNIOR	7
Zoe Yee	Parkview JUNIOR	9

Edmonton Chinese Lions Club Academic Award, *See 1. Academic award Criteria on page 3.*

Student	School	Grade
Abigail Cullen	Parkview JUNIOR	9
Adeline Lam	Ross Sheppard HIGH	10
Adrienne Chee	M.E. LaZerte HIGH	12
Alicia Chiew	Londonderry JUNIOR	9
Candace Cheng	Rosslyn JUNIOR	8
Celina Wong	Ross Sheppard HIGH	12
Cheryl Lee	McNally HIGH	11
Christopher Wong	Parkview JUNIOR	7
Gabriel Ching	Rosslyn JUNIOR	7
Hayden Mah	Londonderry JUNIOR	8
Haywood Huang	Meyonohk ELEMENTARY	6
Henry Chiem	M.E. LaZerte HIGH	12
Jacky Mo	Dovercourt ELEMENTARY	6
Jadzia Truong	Ottewell JUNIOR	8
Jason Song	Ross Sheppard HIGH	10
Jeanette Choy	Meadowlark ELEMENTARY	6
Joey Yee	M.E. LaZerte HIGH	10
Julie Hong	Londonderry JUNIOR	7
Kai Duan	Parkview JUNIOR	8
Kaiden Li	Kildare ELEMENTARY	6
Kevin Ha	Rosslyn JUNIOR	9
Max Dong	Kildare ELEMENTARY	6
Michaela Kavalko	Ross Sheppard HIGH	11
Shauna Ly	Ottewell JUNIOR	7
Victoria Wong	Ottewell JUNIOR	9
Zhao Yu Li	M.E. LaZerte HIGH	11

Edmonton Chinese Writing Club Award, *See 2. Category A award criteria on page 3. The Grade 12 Student must indicate their Chinese writing accomplishments with the date, media and title of published Chinese writings & entries of Chinese writing competitions throughout elementary, junior and senior high years.*

Student	School	Grade
Padgett Hiew	Ross Sheppard HIGH	12
Ronald Ho	McNally HIGH	12
Vina Tse	M.E. LaZerte HIGH	12

Hung Fung Athletic Club Service Award, *See 2. Category B award Criteria on page 3.*

Student	School	Grade
Abigail Cullen	Parkview JUNIOR	9
Adeline Lam	Ross Sheppard HIGH	10
Adrien Lam	Ross Sheppard HIGH	12
Angela Tan	Ottewell JUNIOR	9
Brennan Kong	Londonderry JUNIOR	8
Cheryl Lee	McNally HIGH	11
Chloe Boon	Rosslyn JUNIOR	8
Danica Roth	Parkview JUNIOR	7
Elyssa Poon	Rosslyn JUNIOR	9
Emily Ha	Rosslyn JUNIOR	7
Jadzia Truong	Ottewell JUNIOR	8
Jamie Chow	Londonderry JUNIOR	8
Jessy Zhu	McNally HIGH	12
Joey Yee	M.E. LaZerte HIGH	10
Joshua Cheok	Londonderry JUNIOR	9
Kaitlyn Leong	Ross Sheppard HIGH	11
Macy Yau	Lillian Osborne HIGH	10
Mitchell Co	M.E. LaZerte HIGH	11
Rachel Yu	Londonderry JUNIOR	7
Sydney Wong	Ottewell JUNIOR	7
Vina Tse	M.E. LaZerte HIGH	12

Intellex Systems Inc. Academic Award, *See 1. Academic award Criteria on page 3.*

Student	School	Grade
Steven Fan	Ross Sheppard HIGH	12

Music Lovers Guzheng Society Music Award, *See 2. Category A award Criteria on page 3. The student must have been taking music lessons and participate in musical performances.*

Student	School	Grade
Brian Wei	Meyonohk ELEMENTARY	6
Connor Mi	Meadowlark ELEMENTARY	6
Eliza Choi	Londonderry JUNIOR	7
Ella Chong	Londonderry JUNIOR	7
Emily Jou	Meadowlark ELEMENTARY	6
Emma Zheng	Ottewell JUNIOR	7
Fendy Jiang	Kildare ELEMENTARY	6
Isabella Wang	Kildare ELEMENTARY	6
Lara Luu	Parkview JUNIOR	7

RBC Dominion Securities Academic Leadership Award

Student	School	Grade
Vienna Chen	Ross Sheppard HIGH	12

TD Canada Trust Culture Award, *To encourage future generations to embrace their culture. See 2. Category A award Criteria on page 3. Students must participate in cultural activities in schools and community.*

Student	School	Grade
Cassidy Yong	Londonderry JUNIOR	7
Johanna Lau	M.E. LaZerte HIGH	11
Josephine Huynh	Ross Sheppard HIGH	10
Kai Duan	Parkview JUNIOR	8
Stacey Yee	Londonderry JUNIOR	9

University of Alberta, China Institute Academic Award, *See 1. Academic award Criteria on page 3.*

Student	School	Grade
Angelina Dayman	Ottewell JUNIOR	9
Arina Pang	M.E. LaZerte HIGH	12
Brian Ma	Ross Sheppard HIGH	10
Cassidy Yong	Londonderry JUNIOR	7
Donny Yang	Ross Sheppard HIGH	11
Elaine Mo	Rosslyn JUNIOR	8
Evan Chu	Rosslyn JUNIOR	7
Hamish Chan	Ross Sheppard HIGH	10
Isaac Friesen	Ross Sheppard HIGH	12
Jayden Wong	M.E. LaZerte HIGH	10
Kaylee Tam	Parkview JUNIOR	9
Lara Luu	Parkview JUNIOR	7
Livia Zheng	Londonderry JUNIOR	9
Madeline Chiew	Londonderry JUNIOR	8
Michelle Deng	Rosslyn JUNIOR	9
Natalie Chong	M.E. LaZerte HIGH	11
Quaila Trang	Ross Sheppard HIGH	11
Serena Woo	Parkview JUNIOR	8
Sydney Wong	Ottewell JUNIOR	7
Tristan Kwan	Ottewell JUNIOR	8
Yan Khoo	Ross Sheppard HIGH	12

Voun Tack Yee-Hai Memorial Academic Award, *Voun Tack Yee-Hai was well established within the Chinese community for over 30 years. Mr. Voun Tack Yee-Hai was a tailor in Hong Kong for 3 decades with clients including the royal family and dignitaries.*
He has 13 grandchildren, two of which completed the EPSB Chinese Bilingual Program and 10 great grandchildren. Voun Tack Yee-Hai always valued education greatly. Among his children & grandchildren, there are doctors, engineers, lawyers, accountants, automotive technicians and pharmacists. Mr. Voun Tack Yee-Hai 's legacy lives on among them. See 1. Academic award Criteria on page 3.

Student	School	Grade
Adrien Lam	Ross Sheppard HIGH	12
Alexis Wong	McNally HIGH	11
Jason Hong	Ross Sheppard HIGH	10
Josephine Huynh	Ross Sheppard HIGH	10
Kelly Wu	Ross Sheppard HIGH	11
Nicole Chau	M.E. LaZerte HIGH	11
Shannon Mah	M.E. LaZerte HIGH	12
Timothy Hall	M.E. LaZerte HIGH	10
Vivian Luu	McNally HIGH	12

William Ma Memorial Academic Award, *William Ma, a former ECBEA alumni and young philanthropist lost his life in a fatal car accident in late 2013. This scholarship is awarded to Grade 12 students of the Chinese Bilingual Program who have demonstrated a positive outlook in life and has been recognized for their contributions to the community. See 1. Academic award Criteria on page 3.*

Student	School	Grade
Grayson Tran	M.E. LaZerte HIGH	12
Michel Tao	Ross Sheppard HIGH	12
Vivian Wang	M.E. LaZerte HIGH	12

Wong Bark Ging and Young See Memorial Culture Award, *The Wong Bark Ging and Young See Memorial scholarship was established to encourage future generations to embrace their culture. See 2. Category A award Criteria on page 3. Students must participate in cultural activities in schools and community.*

Student	School	Grade
Elyssa Poon	Rosslyn JUNIOR	9
Erica Chiew	Parkview JUNIOR	9
Jacky Trinh	Rosslyn JUNIOR	8
Jennifer Dang	Londonderry JUNIOR	8
Li Jia Ming Tang	Londonderry JUNIOR	9
Serena Woo	Parkview JUNIOR	8
Tiffany Yip	Londonderry JUNIOR	8
Victoria Wong	Ottewell JUNIOR	9

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Mission Statement

The ECBEA Scholarship Program serves to encourage students in the Chinese (Mandarin) Bilingual Program to strive not only for excellence in academic endeavours but also in community service and social awareness. The goal of the ECBEA Awards Program is to encourage excellence among our students and to improve retention for the Edmonton Chinese Bilingual Program.

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