

STUDENT AWARDS – DEADLINE MARCH 1

The Cattlemen's Martin Riedemann Society is pleased to announce a new award in its list of awards for students. The Everett family is contributing the Valene and Wayne Everett bursary of \$1,000! In making the award available, their daughter Patricia said that Valene and Wayne Everett started ranching in the Cache Creek area in 1958, then moved to Monte Creek in 1967, retiring in 1989. Over the years they pioneered and spearheaded many innovations and ventures to further ranching in the province. For example, locally growing and feeding corn silage, importing Simmental for crossbreeding and exporting cattle to Greece! Wayne spent ten years on the Canadian Feed Board and was a director of BC Cattlemen's Association and the BC Simmental Association for many years. They did what they could to improve the ranching industry in BC over the years, this award is to help further their legacy.

Our sponsored awards now total \$12,000:

- \$1,000 The Valene and Wayne Everett Bursary, funded by the Everett family;
- \$1,000 The Rob Starr Memorial Bursary is provided by friends and family of Rob Starr, who operated Miocene Simmentals and was a long-time supporter of the 4-H movement and the ranching industry in BC;
- \$1,000 The Criterion Capital Group, RBC Dominion Securities (Kamloops) funds this bursary.
- \$1,000 Pinantan Pemberton Livestock Association Bursary will be awarded to an eligible student from School District 73;
- Two, \$2,000 The Gung Loy Jim Scholarships are funded in their father's memory by the Jim Family of Little Fort, BC;
- Two, \$2,000 The Bostock and Fallis Families Bursaries are supported by the *Bostock and Fallis Families of Monte Creek Heritage Fund* at the BC Interior Community Foundation.

Awards funded through the annual auction and general donations are:

- Two \$1,500 The Martin Riedemann Bursary was established in 1975 in honour of Martin Riedemann of Alkali Lake Ranch who passed away in a boating accident at the lake. At the time of his passing, Martin Riedemann was Vice-President of the BC Cattlemen's Association.
- Six \$1,500 The BC Cattlemen's Association bursaries.

Students are encouraged to complete their application(s) for these awards and submit to the Cattlemen's Martin Riedemann Society by the deadline of March 1st. Application forms available at our website: www.riedemannfund.com

Charitable donations to the Cattlemen's Martin Riedemann Society are always welcome!

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