



NPSS  
GRAD  
2026

JUNE 19, 2026

NORTH PEACE ARENA

FORT ST. JOHN, BC

CEREMONY 1:30 PM

GRAND MARCH 8:00 PM

# **GRADUATION CEREMONY 2026**

## **Master of Ceremonies**

Ted Sloan

## **Land Acknowledgement**

Pat Jensen, Principal of Indigenous Education

**O'Canada**

Jordan Ferguson

## **Special Messages**

Superintendent Dr. Stephen Petrucci

SD 60 Board Chair Helen Gilbert

Mayor Lilia Hansen of Fort St John

Mayor Brent Taillefer of Taylor

## **Principal's Remarks**

Mr. Todd Koponyas

# **GRADUATION CEREMONY 2026**

## **Announcing of Scholarships & Bursaries**

**Ryan Pearce & Christine Taylor**

### **Historian**

**Emma Bentley**

### **Valedictorian Address**

**Uzayr Aftab**

### **Student Performances**

**Karly Holmes & Keisha Beltran**

**NPSS Sr Band**

### **Candlelight Ceremony**

**Ranita Lou & Max Wu**

### **Presentation of Graduates & Diploma Folders**

**Jaclyn McNicol, Krista Peregoodoff, Todd Koponyas  
& Dr. Stephen Petrucci**

# LOCAL SCHOLARSHIPS 2026

|                                                     |                                        |
|-----------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|
| Alcan District Girl Guides of Canada                | Member                                 |
| C.M. Finch Parent Advisory Council Alumni           | Alumni                                 |
| Catholic Women's League                             | Member                                 |
| Cecil Lake Community Commission                     | Alumni                                 |
| Charlie Lake Elementary PAC                         | Alumni                                 |
| City of Fort St. John                               | City Resident                          |
| Clean Arrow Energy Services                         | Trades                                 |
| Clearview PAC                                       | Alumni & Academic                      |
| District Authority Award                            | General                                |
| Dr. G.G. Westover Memorial                          | Sciences                               |
| Dr. Kearney Middle School                           | Alumni                                 |
| FSJ Community Arts Council                          | Arts                                   |
| FSJ Hospital Foundation                             | Healthcare                             |
| FSJ Rotary Club                                     | General                                |
| FSJ Rotary Club – Family Member                     | General/Membership                     |
| Home Hardware                                       | Graduating Employee                    |
| Jeannotte Notaries – Rise & Lead: Women in Business | Female in Commerce                     |
| Josephine Pimm Memorial                             | Academic                               |
| Laura Conway Memorial                               | Athletic                               |
| McDonald's Educational Bonus                        | Employee                               |
| Noah Prieur Supplement King                         | Healthcare                             |
| Oil Wives Club of FSJ                               | Female in Sciences                     |
| PRNTA                                               | General                                |
| PRNTA Members                                       | General                                |
| PRNTA Memorial                                      | Education                              |
| PRNTA Sr Alternative                                | Sr Alt Student                         |
| PRRD Electoral Area "C"                             | Area "C" Resident                      |
| PRRD Healthcare                                     | Healthcare                             |
| Ron Baker Memorial                                  | Engineering                            |
| Sid Davis Memorial                                  | Hockey                                 |
| Sureline Projects – Building for the Future         | Indigenous & Non-Indigenous – Academic |
| Surepoint PROS                                      | Trades                                 |
| Watson Engelbert Memorial                           | Political Science/History              |

# LOCAL BURSARIES 2026

|                                              |                          |
|----------------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Alcan Chapter 91 – Order of the Eastern Star | General                  |
| Aspi Future Leaders                          | General                  |
| Canadian Union of Public Employees (CUPE)    |                          |
| Local 4653                                   | General                  |
| Chef Kody Bedier Memorial                    | Trades                   |
| Darren Oftebro Memorial                      | Trades                   |
| Dave Johnson Memorial                        | Science                  |
| District of Taylor                           | Resident                 |
| Dr. Kearney Middle School                    | Alumni                   |
| Ecole Central Elementary School of the Arts  | Alumni – English &       |
| Parent Advisory Council                      | French                   |
| Federal French Award                         | Academic                 |
| Flury Family Basketball                      | Basketball Athlete       |
| FSJ Co-op Association                        | Dependant of Member      |
| FSJ Friendship Society                       | Aboriginal Ancestry      |
| FSJ Hospital Auxiliary                       | Healthcare               |
| FSJ Petroleum Association                    | Dependant of Member      |
| Guard.me Bursary                             | International Ambassador |
| Holly Hill Memorial                          | General                  |
| Indigenous Education Centre                  | Indigenous Ancestry      |
| Jackie Carew Personal Real Estate Corp       | Sr Alt Student           |
| John Bacso Muscle Therapy                    | Healthcare               |
| John Kramer Memorial Sponsored by            |                          |
| Upper Pine School PAC                        | Alumni                   |
| Kevin Doll Memorial                          | Resource Student         |
| Mary's Change Makers Award                   | Sr. Alternate Student    |
| Noelle Jellison Performing Arts              | Performing Arts          |
| North Peace Airport Services                 | Aviation/Tourism         |
| North Peace Fall Fair Society                | Agriculture              |
| North Peace Secondary Alumni                 | General                  |
| Peace Passage Skating Club                   | Member                   |
| PRNTA Evergreen                              | Evergreen Student        |
| PRRD Electoral Area "B"                      | Area "B" Resident        |
| Rodger Kerr Memorial                         | Trades                   |
| S&S Education Grant                          | Trades                   |
| Sureline Projects – Building for the Future  | Indigenous & Non-        |
|                                              | Indigenous – Trades      |
| Western Inspirational Award                  | General                  |

# GRADUATING CLASS OF 2026

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|---------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|
| Aftab, Uzayr        | Ahmed, Taha             | Alayao, Micaella          |
| Alexander, Maddie   | Alieksieiev, Tym        | Aligour, Kaiden           |
| Almeida, Beckham    | Andriiets, Andrii       | Apolinario, Grace         |
| Appaw, Max          | Arberry, Carson         | Archambeault, Rhian       |
| Aremu, Nimoni       | Armijo Avila, Sebastian | Attachie, Paige           |
| Avanthay, Ethan     | Averin, Oleg            | Ba, Dieyna                |
| Bader, Stephanie    | Bahm, Julian            | Baker, Adrian             |
| Bakshiev, Alisa     | Ball, Johnny            | Banack, Dane              |
| Barnes, Presley     | Barnett, Calla          | Bartolome, Janxiety Hyuna |
| Bartsch, Kale       | Bartsch, Weston         | Batchelor, Carson         |
| Baumeister, Keira   | Bazinet, Addalynn       | Bedell, Zara              |
| Beltran, Keisha     | Bentley, Emma           | Bergman, Leland           |
| Binu, Elizabeth     | Biollo, Xander          | Blackley, Tristan         |
| Blackmore, Maverick | Blackmore, Timber       | Blandford, Hailey         |
| Blaney, Dakota      | Bloor, Harley           | Bocquet--Vergne, Louise   |
| Bodaly, Karl        | Bojczuk, Elizabeth      | Bookham, Maddie           |
| Bordeleau, Evan     | Borsa, Kinsley          | Bouchard, Nate            |
| Bougie, Zachary     | Bowie, Romeo            | Brain, William            |
| Braun, Kayla        | Braun, Walter           | Brekkaas, Jakob           |
| Brookes, Dylan      | Brooks, Lyndsay         | Brown, Owen               |
| Brown, Walker       | Brownlee, Kyrsten       | Bueckert, Graham          |
| Bueckert, Katelynn  | Bulatao, CJ             | Burgher, Chloe            |
| Burse, Aaron        | Byrne, Mark             | Calayo, Rodel             |
| Cameron, Bryce      | Campbell, Katie         | Catap, Rich Carl          |
| Cazes, Isabelle     | Chaudhari, Ansh         | Chenier, Tiegna           |
| Chipesia, Brooklyn  | Chipesia, Carmen        | Chipesia, Kaleb           |
| Clarke, Jaxson      | Clarke, Ward            | Clay, Damon               |
| Clay, Morghan       | Clish, Aiden            | Coles, Jase               |
| Collins, Kaiden     | Collins, Madelynn       | Conohan, Nolan            |
| Conway, Talton      | Cooper, Echo            | Couch, Noelle             |
| Crook, Jack         | Crowe, Andrew           | Damian, Hannah            |
| Davies, Talitha     | Davis, Justice          | Dechaine, Carmelle        |
| Demoulin, Nora      | Deuling, Soraya         | Diallo, Yam               |
| Dick, Adam          | Dietz, Brady            | Dore, Kennedy             |
| Driedger, Brielle   | Dunham, Addison         | Dunn, Kallum              |
| Dunstan, Madison    | Dupuis, Gilles          | Dyck, Sarah               |
| Dyer, Allie         | Dyke, Keeli             | Earle, Hannah             |
| Ekkel, Cash         | Elias-Bertrim, Reese    | Ellerington, Quinn        |
| Elliott, Sage       | Entwistle, Jaydon       | Entwistle, Jenna          |
| Etter, Tristan      | Feener, Shea            | Ferguson, Jordan          |

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| Fitzgerald, Peyton   | Flemming, Chevelle       | Flinsky, Charly        |
| Floriant, Molly      | Freund, Lexi             | Furio, Pau             |
| Furman, Kylie        | Gabriel-Lambert, Elias   | Gagliardi, Sophia      |
| Gladysz, Brooke      | Gordon, Nic              | Gould, Tyla            |
| Goulet, Easton       | Grabher, Waylan          | Green, Tristan         |
| Greenwood, Ayla      | Grunewald, Mickayla      | Gumarao, Mary Adrienne |
| Hackman, Cade        | Halverson, Joseph        | Hamilton, Kacey        |
| Hamre, Evander       | Hamre, Mia               | Harding, Sasha         |
| Hardy, Katelynn      | Haw, David               | Hebert, Chad           |
| Hewitt, Alex         | Hicks, Adelaide          | Hicks, Frankie         |
| Higgins, Emma        | Hill-Cooke, Amelia       | Hiltz, Charlie         |
| Hockman, Lena        | Holloway, Darcy          | Holmes, Karly          |
| Hopkins, Sierra      | Humphrey, Schaanie       | Hunt, Maverick         |
| Hunt, Tandy          | Hunt, Taya               | Hunter, Timber         |
| Hutton, AJ           | Huynh, Bao               | Ibbitson, Keenan       |
| Illenseer, Hailey    | Imrich, Danica           | Infeld, Eve            |
| Jackson, Conner      | Jacques, Anastasia       | Jalalzadeh, Tara       |
| James, Saydee        | Johnson, Ava             | Jones, Dekker          |
| Jones, Kaylee        | Kennedy, Amber           | Kent, Sylvanna         |
| Khanum, Maryam       | Kielo, Marti             | Kimmie, Tyson          |
| King, Reese          | Kingston-Turcotte, Jaxon | Kinsha, Daniil         |
| Kissock, Gabriel     | Kittle, Rylan            | Klaus, Kingsley        |
| Klein, Rocco         | Knighton, Julian         | Knott, Treylen         |
| Kozlova, Liliia      | Kupnowicki, Kaia         | Kuzovenko, Sofiia      |
| Labelle, Jayden      | Lafleur, Maryssa         | Lamond, Jackson        |
| Landry-Stewart, Jack | Latreille, Mitch         | Lauzon, Andre          |
| Lavallee, Jaelynn    | Lawrence, Rhea           | Lee, Teja              |
| Lepage, Isaiah       | Lequiere Wickham, Capri  | Leuenberger, Kayla     |
| Levers, Paxton       | Lindh, Elijah            | Loewen, Daniel         |
| Loewen, Kelsey       | Loney, Quinten           | Long, Brooklyn         |
| Louie, Simon         | Lowry, Ryland            | Lundy, Ayra            |
| Lupaschuk, Seth      | Lusk, Cooper             | Lynch, Keegan          |
| MacDonald, Ayden     | MacLean, Mallory         | MacMillan, Leanne      |
| MacPherson, Breton   | Maddigan, Reagan         | Mahamoud, Sihaam       |
| Marshall, Abbi       | Marshman, Rhys           | Marsim, Elizabeth      |
| Mason-Bennett, Ava   | Mathieson, Drew          | Mayer, Rianna          |
| McAleney, Kortney    | McCabe, Deaken           | McCabe, Erika          |
| McDowell, Avery      | McGinnis, Mason          | McLean, Megan          |
| McLeod, Chase        | McLeod, Ryder            | McLeod, Stan-Lea       |

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| Merk, Gillian           | Milligan, Valerie         | Milne, Adam          |
| Mize, Madden            | Moffatt, Samantha         | Monsen, Hailey       |
| Moore, Kolby            | Morrison, Riley           | Moskalyk, Joshua     |
| Mueller, Linkin         | Mullin, Cait              | Muneer, Dana         |
| Murrell, Kyle           | Murrin, Connor            | Mustafa, Tanisha     |
| Myles, Liam             | Myllymaki-Barrows, Sylvie | Mytron, Zoey         |
| Nair, Advai             | Nassar-Amezcuca, Eldrich  | Nelson, Audrie       |
| Neudorf, Rebecca        | Neufeld, Raffi            | Newsham, Arlee       |
| Nickerson, Asher        | Nielsen, Violet           | Nixon, Jonny         |
| Noble, Nadia            | Nurse, Evan               | Oberlin, Morghan     |
| Ogoke, Amanda           | Oker, Kaleb               | Okonji, Joshua       |
| Orton, Charidy-Dawn     | Owen, Kohrin              | Parsonage, Gemma     |
| Parsons, Stella         | Payou, Abbie              | Pearson, Cash        |
| Pedersen, Sofie         | Peleo, John Henry         | Penney, Avelyne      |
| Perrin, Willow          | Peters, Emily             | Peterson, Janessa    |
| Peterson, Kylie         | Pineo, Emma               | Plotnikow, Pilot     |
| Pokatylo, Albina        | Portnov, Nahum            | Potts, Ava           |
| Pratt, JayCee           | Pruden, Calem             | Quiring, Nathaniel   |
| Ramasami, Davilen       | Ramsey, Charlie           | Ranger, Max          |
| Reid, Anthony           | Rempel, Fiona             | Rideout, Alyssa      |
| Ristau, Emmett          | Ross, Megan               | Rossignol, Elizabeth |
| Roste, Garhett          | Rouble, Easton            | Roy, Vinny           |
| Sark, Jerzey            | Saxty, Claire             | Schedlosky, Ethan    |
| Schippmann, Cali        | Schuerkamp, Lilliann      | Secreto, Joaquin     |
| Semograd Goulet, Konnor | Sharma, Anuj              | Shead, Bradly        |
| Shipalesky, Jacob       | Shuffler, Cael            | Shular, Jasmine      |
| Sihlis, Kenzie          | Simpson, Thatcher         | Sine, Nyla           |
| Singh, Jishandeep       | Smiley, Hunter            | Smith, Anjali        |
| Soychuk, Matthew        | Sparks, Clay              | Stacey, Breanna      |
| Stirling, Logan         | Stone, Addison            | Stoodley, Anthony    |
| Strandlund, Chris       | Strate, Brielle           | Straub, Jamie        |
| Swift, Jayden           | Talamante, Mark           | Taylor, Jorden       |
| Terrado, Brent          | Thom, Harrison            | Thomas-Kosick, Jorja |
| Thompson, Akira         | Thomson, Danny            | Tiechroeb, Laila     |
| Toews, Jonathan         | Treacher, Scarlett        | Trotter, Jordon      |
| Tsakoza, Lauren         | Tsoy, Viktoriya           | Unrau, Patrick       |
| Vandal, Addie           | Vig, Connor               | Wachira, Francis     |
| Wandler, Adlynn         | Ward, Kaslin              | Wendland, Emmory     |
| Wheat, Cas              | White, Rhiannon           | Wiens, Chase         |
| Wilkinson, Micah        | Willard, Nicolas          | Winter, Deklin       |



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| Wood, Leslie | Wood, Lukas   | Woodford, Chavah |
| Wu, Jason    | Zinck, Hannah |                  |



**Grand March**

**8:00pm, doors open at 7:30pm**

**Grad Fest**

**10:00pm at FSJ Curling Rink**

# CONGRATULATIONS!

## CLASS OF 2026



AS YOU TURN THE PAGE TO THIS NEXT CHAPTER,  
MAY YOUR JOURNEY BE FILLED WITH NEW  
OPPORTUNITIES, GROWTH, AND THE PURSUIT OF  
YOUR DREAMS. EMBRACE CHALLENGES,  
CELEBRATE YOUR ACHIEVEMENTS, AND ALWAYS  
BELIEVE IN YOUR INCREDIBLE POTENTIAL.  
WISHING YOU A FUTURE FULL OF SUCCESS AND  
ENDLESS POSSIBILITIES!