

June 11, 2016

Dear Northern Interior Cruising Committee,

Re: Northern Interior Cruising Committee Scholarship

I am writing to thank you for your generous \$500 Northern Interior Cruising Committee Scholarship. I was very happy and appreciative to learn that I was selected as a recipient of this scholarship.

I am a forest ecology and management major and have recently decided to pursue a minor in forest operations and planning. I plan to pursue a career in industrial forestry upon graduating from the University of Northern British Columbia (UNBC). I will be entering my third year at UNBC this September and look forward to the courses offered by the forestry program. I plan to graduate in 2018 in order to start my career and work towards my goal of becoming a Registered Professional Forester. I am currently working on Vancouver Island for a forestry company and am learning lots about coastal forestry practices. I look forward to pursuing work in interior forestry in the years to come. I enjoy working each summer and applying the knowledge I have learned at UNBC. I am very excited to continue my education and thanks to the Northern Interior Cruising Committee Scholarship I am certain I will have another successful year.

By awarding me the Northern Interior Cruising Committee Scholarship, you have lightened my financial burden which allows me to focus more on the most important aspect of school, learning. Your generosity is greatly appreciated and I will continue to work hard in order to be an asset to the British Columbia Forest Industry.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Fraser McLelan". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Fraser McLelan