



# 2020-2021 Annual Report

A year of accomplishments.



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**A MESSAGE FROM OUR CHAIRMAN – Ted Lewis**

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On behalf of the Foundation’s Board of Directors, we are proud to share the annual report for the year ending March 31, 2021.

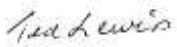
This past year has been a difficult one navigating COVID-19 and I would like to take this opportunity to thank each and every health care worker in our region for tirelessly working to keep us safe and healthy.

The Board has been focusing on COVID-19 relief, updating our financial practices, extending our reach to communities and most importantly participating in and contributing to the Family Health and Learning Centre, a project to solve the shortage of doctors the region is currently facing. This capital campaign will solidify the Foundation and the RHA’s future success.

We have worked with many community partners over the past year and we look forward to building these relationships. Much of our success is through partnership and we are lucky to have such a dedicated community.

On behalf of the Board I would also like to thank our Executive Director, Pam McCallum, who works so hard to ensure our donors have a positive giving experience.

Thank you,



**A MESSAGE FROM OUR EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR – Pamela McCallum**

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In pursuit of our mission to "raise funds that support health care in the Interlake-Eastern health region" we are always developing innovative ways to collaboratively promote health and wellness across the facilities and programs within our region.

2020 was a tough year in health care because of COVID-19 and we couldn't be prouder of our staff who went above and beyond to keep everyone safe. With the generosity of our donors we will continue to support our patients, staff, and community stakeholders so that collectively we can continue to positively affect health and wellness outcomes.

We remain committed to achieving our strategic goals and enhancing dedicated patient care throughout the Interlake-Eastern RHA.

Thank you,



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# OUR BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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Ted Lewis	Chair
Brent Wynnyk	Vice-Chair
Cynthia Ostapyk	Board Member
DJ Sigmundson	Board Member
Dr. Dan Lindsay	Board Member
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Melissa Fuerst	Board Member
Michele Polinuk	Board Member
Tracey Epp	Board Member

# AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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## Independent Auditor's Report

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To the Board of Directors of Interlake-Eastern Health Foundation Inc.

### Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Interlake-Eastern Health Foundation Inc. ("Foundation"), which comprise the statement of financial position as at March 31, 2021, and the statement of changes in fund balances, the statement of operations and the statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Foundation as at March 31, 2021, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations.

### Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements* section of our report. We are independent of the Foundation in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Canada, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

### Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Foundation's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Foundation or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Foundation's financial reporting process.

### Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.



As part of an audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Foundation's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Foundation's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Foundation to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

*BDO Canada LLP*

Chartered Professional Accountants

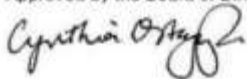
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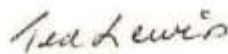
**INTERLAKE-EASTERN HEALTH FOUNDATION INC.**  
**Statement of Financial Position**

As at March 31, 2021

	Unrestricted Fund	Endowment Funds	Externally Restricted Funds	2021 Total	2020 Total
<b>Assets</b>					
<b>Current Assets</b>					
Cash and bank	\$ 696,973	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 696,973	\$ 540,845
Accounts receivable (Note 3)	19,972	-	-	19,972	27,687
	716,945	-	-	716,945	568,532
Due from (to) other funds (Note 4)	(602,293)	249,780	352,513	-	-
	<b>\$ 114,652</b>	<b>\$ 249,780</b>	<b>\$ 352,513</b>	<b>\$ 716,945</b>	<b>\$ 568,532</b>
<b>Liabilities and Fund Balances</b>					
<b>Current Liabilities</b>					
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$ 8,647	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 8,647	\$ 7,835
Deferred contributions (Note 5)	3,182	-	-	3,182	3,692
	11,829	-	-	11,829	11,527
<b>Fund Balances</b>					
Unrestricted	102,823	-	-	102,823	82,770
Endowment (Note 8)	-	249,780	-	249,780	223,367
Externally restricted (Note 9)	-	-	352,513	352,513	250,868
	102,823	249,780	352,513	705,116	557,005
	<b>\$ 114,652</b>	<b>\$ 249,780</b>	<b>\$ 352,513</b>	<b>\$ 716,945</b>	<b>\$ 568,532</b>

Approved by the Board of Directors:





The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

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**INTERLAKE-EASTERN HEALTH FOUNDATION INC.**  
**Statement of Changes in Fund Balances**

**For the year ended March 31, 2021**

	Unrestricted Fund		Endowment Funds		Externally Restricted Funds		Total	Total
	2021	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020
Fund balances, beginning of year	\$ 82,770	\$ 52,975	\$ 223,367	\$ 211,665	\$ 250,868	\$ 153,606	\$ 557,005	\$ 418,246
Excess of revenue over expenses for the year	20,053	29,795	26,413	11,702	101,645	97,262	148,111	138,759
Fund balances, end of year	\$ 102,823	\$ 82,770	\$ 249,780	\$ 223,367	\$ 352,513	\$ 250,868	\$ 705,116	\$ 557,005

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**INTERLAKE-EASTERN HEALTH FOUNDATION INC.**  
**Statement of Operations**

For the year ended March 31, 2021

	Unrestricted Fund		Endowment Funds		Externally Restricted Funds		Total 2021	Total 2020
	2021	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020		
<b>Revenue</b>								
Donations	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 23,250	\$ 6,647	\$ 257,800	\$ 397,698	\$ 281,050	\$ 404,345
Donations-in-kind	-	-	-	-	6,408	1,995	6,408	1,995
Fundraising								
Annual General Meeting sponsorships	-	2,850	-	-	-	-	-	2,850
Contributions from IERHA	23,807	32,142	-	-	-	-	23,807	32,142
Other	318	905	-	-	-	-	318	905
Interest	5,390	7,316	3,163	5,055	-	-	8,553	12,371
	<b>29,515</b>	<b>43,213</b>	<b>26,413</b>	<b>11,702</b>	<b>264,208</b>	<b>399,693</b>	<b>320,136</b>	<b>454,608</b>
<b>Expenses</b>								
Annual General Meeting	-	1,364	-	-	-	-	-	1,364
Communications and development	294	2,504	-	-	-	-	294	2,504
Other	23	1,982	-	-	-	-	23	1,982
Professional fees	8,408	7,367	-	-	-	-	8,408	7,367
Service charges	737	201	-	-	-	-	737	201
	<b>9,462</b>	<b>13,418</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>9,462</b>	<b>13,418</b>
<b>Excess of revenue over expenses before major and planned gifts</b>	<b>20,053</b>	<b>29,795</b>	<b>26,413</b>	<b>11,702</b>	<b>264,208</b>	<b>399,693</b>	<b>310,674</b>	<b>441,190</b>
<b>Major and planned gifts</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>162,563</b>	<b>302,431</b>	<b>162,563</b>	<b>302,431</b>
<b>Excess of revenue over expenses for the year</b>	<b>\$ 20,053</b>	<b>\$ 29,795</b>	<b>\$ 26,413</b>	<b>\$ 11,702</b>	<b>\$ 101,645</b>	<b>\$ 97,262</b>	<b>\$ 148,111</b>	<b>\$ 138,759</b>

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**INTERLAKE-EASTERN HEALTH FOUNDATION INC.**  
**Statement of Cash Flows**

<b>For the year ended March 31</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>2020</b>
<b>Cash Flows from Operating Activities</b>		
Excess of revenue over expenses for the year	\$ 148,111	\$ 138,759
Changes in non-cash operating capital items		
Accounts receivable	7,715	658
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	812	7,835
Deferred contributions	(510)	(467)
	<u>156,128</u>	<u>146,785</u>
<b>Cash flows from investing and financing activities</b>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
<b>Net increase in cash and bank during the year</b>	<b>156,128</b>	<b>146,785</b>
<b>Cash and bank, beginning of year</b>	<u>540,845</u>	<u>394,060</u>
<b>Cash and bank, end of year</b>	<b>\$ 696,973</b>	<b>\$ 540,845</b>

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**INTERLAKE-EASTERN HEALTH FOUNDATION INC.**  
**Notes to Financial Statements**

For the year ended March 31, 2021

**1. Nature of Operations**

Interlake-Eastern Health Foundation Inc. (the "Foundation") was incorporated in 2015 under the Corporations Act of Manitoba. The Foundation was established to benefit the citizens of Interlake-Eastern health region by supporting health care needs in the region.

The Foundation is a registered charity and is classified as a public foundation for purposes of the Income Tax Act and accordingly is exempt from income taxes.

**2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies**

**a) Basis of Accounting**

The financial statements have been prepared using Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations.

**b) Fund Accounting**

The Foundation follows the restricted fund method of accounting for contributions.

The Unrestricted Fund relates to the Foundation's program delivery and administrative activities. No restrictions have been imposed by the donors or Board of Directors on these funds. These funds are managed in accordance with general Board policies and may be restricted only through Board of Directors motion.

Externally Restricted Funds represent contributions restricted by donors for the highest priority needs and for areas of interest. Board policy states that these funds must be spent within twenty-four months of receipt.

Endowment Funds represent contributions to be maintained in perpetuity and are comprised of funds subject to varying degrees of restriction on the use of capital and income. Unless specified by the donor, investment income earned on the Endowment Fund is reinvested in the Endowment Fund.

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**INTERLAKE-EASTERN HEALTH FOUNDATION INC.**  
**Notes to Financial Statements**

For the year ended March 31, 2021

**3. Accounts Receivable**

	2021	2020
Due from IERHA	\$ 18,827	\$ 27,590
GST receivable	145	97
	\$ 18,972	\$ 27,687

**4. Due From (To) Other Funds**

The amounts due from (to) other funds bear no interest and have no set terms of repayment.

**5. Deferred Contributions**

The Pine Falls Health Auxiliary raised \$35,000 in prior years for the purchase of waiting room furniture for the Pine Falls Health Centre. Upon completion of the purchase, \$4,869 remained in the account. These funds have been restricted by the Board of Directors for cable and internet charges for the facility waiting room.

	2021	2020
Balance, beginning of year	\$ 3,692	\$ 4,158
Less: Recognized as revenue during the year	(510)	(467)
Balance, end of year	\$ 3,182	\$ 3,691

**6. Economic Interest**

Interlake-Eastern Regional Health Authority has an economic interest in the Foundation by virtue of its memorandum of understanding. IERHA states that all of its charitable donations received will be received in trust for the Foundation and forwarded monthly to the Foundation. Furthermore, specific ancillary services revenue received by IERHA is transferred on an annual basis to the Foundation.

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**INTERLAKE-EASTERN HEALTH FOUNDATION INC.**  
**Notes to Financial Statements**

For the year ended March 31, 2021

**2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)**

**c) Revenue Recognition**

Restricted contributions are recognized as revenue of the appropriate restricted fund when received or receivable. Unrestricted contributions are recognized as revenue of the Unrestricted Fund in the year received or receivable if the amount to be received can be reasonably estimated and collection is reasonably assured.

Annual General Meeting sponsorships are recognized as revenue when the event occurs.

Contributions from the Interlake-Eastern Regional Health Authority (IERHA) are recognized as revenue when specific ancillary revenue is earned by IERHA if the amount to be received can be reasonably estimated and collection is reasonably assured.

Interest revenue is recognized as revenue in the period earned.

Other revenue is recognized as revenue in the period received or receivable if the amount to be received can be reasonably estimated and collection is reasonably assured.

**d) Contributed Services**

The Foundation is governed and supported by volunteers. Contributed services are not reflected in the financial statements due to the difficulty in determining their fair value.

The IERHA is committed to the Foundation and provides resources for the Executive Director position for the Foundation. The IERHA pays the Executive Director salary and benefits and provides office space, supplies and office equipment. The salary and benefits, office support and travel provided by the IERHA have not been recorded by the Foundation.

**e) Financial Instruments**

Financial instruments are recorded at fair value when acquired or issued. Financial assets are tested for impairment when changes in circumstances indicate the asset could be impaired. Transaction costs on the acquisition, sale or issue of financial instruments are expensed for those items remeasured at fair value at each statement of financial position date and charged to the financial instrument for those measured at amortized cost.

**f) Use of Estimates**

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the year. Actual amounts could differ materially from those estimates.

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**INTERLAKE-EASTERN HEALTH FOUNDATION INC.**  
**Notes to Financial Statements**

For the year ended March 31, 2021

**7. Financial Instrument Risk Management**

The Foundation, through its financial assets and liabilities, is exposed to various risks in the normal course of operations. The Foundation's objective in risk management is to optimize the risk return trade-off, within set limits, by applying integrated risk management and control strategies, policies and procedures throughout the Foundation's activities. The following analysis provides a measurement of those risks at year end.

**Credit Risk**

Credit risk is the risk that the Foundation will incur a loss due to the failure by its debtors to meet their contractual obligations. Financial instruments that potentially subject the Foundation to significant concentrations of credit risk consist primarily of cash and accounts receivable. Cash and bank are held at a credit union with all deposits guaranteed. The Foundation is not exposed to significant credit risk as the accounts receivable are from IERHA and the government.

**Liquidity Risk**

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Foundation will not be able to meet its obligations as they fall due. The Foundation manages its working capital to maintain adequate levels of working capital to ensure all its obligations can be met when they fall due.

**8. Endowment Funds**

Endowment funds consist of the following as at March 31:

	2021	2020
Bill and Olive Cholosky Fund	\$ 188,866	\$ 188,571
Cynthia Turner Fund	15,200	-
Gaynor Family Children's Fund	21,145	20,853
IERHA Health Fund	79,892	73,748
McLeary Dairman Fund	23,463	22,195
McLeary Family Fund	2,820	-
	\$ 248,386	\$ 225,367

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**INTERLAKE-EASTERN HEALTH FOUNDATION INC.**  
**Notes to Financial Statements**

For the year ended March 31, 2021

**9. Externally Restricted Funds**

Externally restricted funds consist of the following as at March 31:

	2021	2020
Areas of Interest		
Acute Care	\$ 124,968	\$ 108,488
Adult Day Programs and Healthy Living	25,552	23,450
Camp Stepping Stones	8,455	8,355
Cancer Care	51,917	26,672
Clinical Teaching Unit	3,595	3,560
COVID-19	(2,719)	-
Long Term Care	74,187	32,406
Mental Health and Addictions	5,197	325
Palliative Care	37,328	20,900
	<u>328,477</u>	<u>222,190</u>
Highest Priority	<u>24,036</u>	<u>28,078</u>
Total	<u>\$ 352,513</u>	<u>\$ 250,268</u>

**10. Uncertainty Due To COVID-19 Pandemic**

On March 13, 2020, the World Health Organization declared COVID-19 a global pandemic. This has had adverse impacts in Canada and has had a significant effect on the financial markets. As this continues, there could be further impact on the Foundation, its donors and its community of service. Management has adapted their fundraising activities in light of the pandemic and is actively monitoring the effect on its financial position, liquidity and operations. Given the daily evolution of the pandemic and the global responses to curb its spread, the Foundation is not able to estimate fully the effects at this time.

# OUR DONORS

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Thank you to each and every one of our generous donors.

Aaron's No Frills	Denise Duguay	Jodie & Darrell Cornwall	Pitblado Law LLP
Agnes Fiebelkorn	Diane & Neville Klann	John & Marg Chalmers	Portage Toyota
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Barbara & Raymond St. Hilaire	Garson Golden Age Club	LGD of Pinawa	Shannon & Randall Worona
Barbara Williams	Garth & Abigail Grieder	Lily Pad Cruisers	Shirley and Herman Prins
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Brenda Thomas	Grace & Vern Decterow	Marilyn Hurrell	Suzanna Kalman
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C. Hill	Gregory & Susan Gunderson	Martha Parker	Tara Mack
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Cary & Sarah Chapnick	House of Economy Community Group	Melissa Fuerst	The Estate of Robert Leslie Mollard
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CMA Grant	James Matsui	Nia Massey	Victoria Gudmundson
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Corinne & Robert Hayden	Janice Falzarano	Olga Einarson	Warren & Janice Cook
Corinne Barrett DeWiele	Janice Manson	Pam Sanche	Waterfront Tenants Assoc.
Curtis Nordman	Jean Cook	Pat & Larry Cumming	Western Management Committee
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Daniel De Bruijn	Jeff and Tammy Schoenroth	Pattie Sewell	William Boblinski
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Dawn Halliwell	Jim & Donna Mostowy	Pearl Gurski	Winnipeg River Car Club
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Debbora Hurrell	Joanne Cerilli	Pinawa Community Foundation	WJ Ross & Myrna Malcolm
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# A YEAR OF SUCCESS

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IEHF adds a new piece of equipment to the Cancer Care program inside the Selkirk Regional Health Centre.

Stony Mountain Stonewall Masonic Lodge #12 donates \$1,830 for an isolation cart in Stonewall.



Generous donor partners with the Interlake Eastern Health Foundation for substantial purchase at the Stonewall Hospital.

Johnson Memorial Hospital in Gimli benefits from a 3-way partnership among the Westshore Community Foundation, Gimli District Health Auxiliary and Interlake Eastern Health Foundation.



Mobile Outreach Officially Launches in the IERHA.



IEHF Receives Grant for warm winter clothing for Harm Reduction.





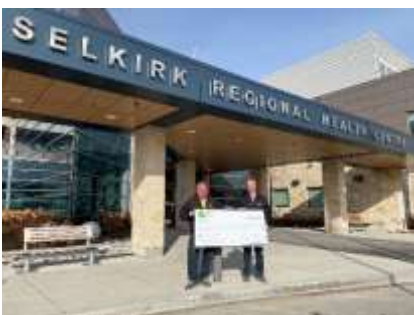
Lord Selkirk Regional Comprehensive Secondary School Students Donate to Hospital Staff.

McPherson family donate lunch to the SRHC Cancer Care team for exceptional care of their loved one.



SRHC staff receive 100+ Pampered Chef egg cookers as a thank you gift from generous community member Janet Stadnyk.

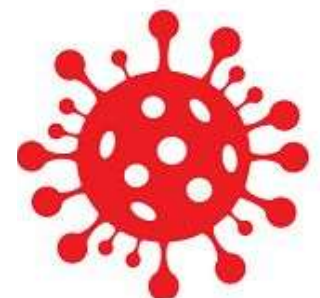
House of Economy Community Group gives generously to the Palliative Care Program.



Lily Pad Cruisers Celebrate 20th Anniversary with Donation to support Palliative Care.

Our COVID-19 Relief Fund was able to purchase the following items to help during the Pandemic:

- Isolation Cart, Ashern
- Vaccine Fridge, Stonewall
- Outdoor Umbrellas, Ashern Test Site
- Outdoor Shelter, Pine Falls Test Site





## \$5 CLUB

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The Five Dollar Club is a discretionary charitable trust, funded entirely through tax-deductible, bi-weekly payroll contributions from IERHA board members and staff. The Five Dollar Club is managed by the Interlake Eastern Health Foundation as an annual, calendar year fund in support of initiatives to improve or enhance client and patient care in the Interlake-Eastern region.

In 2020, the Five Dollar Club contributed \$17,500 to nine organizations that benefit patients and residents from across the region. Below is an update on each donation that was given from the 2020 Five Dollar Club fund.



### **Child Nutrition Council of Manitoba receives \$4,000**

Child Nutrition Council of Manitoba is a charitable organization dedicated to helping school children learn, grow, and succeed by supporting breakfast, snack, and lunch programs.

“These programs help address an immediate need for nutrition support in our schools and communities, as well as work towards a brighter future for Manitoba students by ensuring all students have an equal opportunity to learn in the classroom and at home,” Wendy Bloomfield, Chair, Child Nutrition Council of Manitoba.

Photo: Janelle Wotton, Community Dietitian & Strategic Initiatives Manager

### **Selkirk Regional Health Centre (family birthing unit) receives \$2,651**

The family birthing unit (FBU) at Selkirk Regional Health Centre is the obstetrical referral site for all low-risk prenatal women in the Interlake-Eastern region, averaging 350 to 400 births per year.

Jamie Brown CRN in the family birthing unit says “this new breast pump will enable us to further promote breastfeeding initiatives and assist new moms to provide nourishment to their newborn by enhancing milk production. We are so grateful for this gift!”



Photo: L-R: Morgan Chaye (FBU assistant), Jamie Brown (FBU CRN) and Dr. Margaret Speer (Obstetrical lead).

### **Selkirk Regional Health Centre palliative care program receives \$1,000 for a new sleep chair**



These funds will be used in conjunction with other donations to purchase a comfortable chair that converts to a bed for family or caregivers that stay overnight with an end of life patient.

Susan Gunderson, a \$5 Club member recommended the sleep chair after having a friend spend time in the palliative care unit.

“In June of 2020 a friend of mine spent nights sleeping in the palliative care room with her husband. When he passed, she said it would be nice if the

palliative care room had a comfortable bed for family members who are staying during long periods of time with their loved ones”, says Gunderson.

### **Community Living Interlake receives \$2,000 for a new bed mat**

Community Living Interlake supports Individuals who live with intellectual disabilities. They work with the community to ensure people live meaningful lives in a fully integrated community.

Jimm Simon from Community Living Interlake says the donation will be used to purchase a new bed mat for their shower.

“We have a level entry shower with a shower bed and a Hoyer lift in our facility that we use for some of our individuals and that we also make available to public health for occasional use of individuals they care for. Your donation will be a very much appreciated upgrade to the well-worn bed mat we currently use. “



Photo L-R: Community Living Interlake’s Sara Precourt, Tracy Fidler, Ryan Doyle and Janice Kowerko, and seated Eden Zdebiak holding the cheque.

### **Nova House receives \$1,000 for programming**



Nova House is an emergency and transitional shelter for women and children experiencing domestic or family violence. They offer 24-hour, seven-days-a-week accommodations to help support and empower women.

Executive director of Nova House Viktoria Westgate says they are grateful to receive another donation from the club.

“We are so grateful to The Five Dollar Club for thinking of us again this year and providing us this great donation. This money will help us with some finishing touches in our backyard including enhancing our garden area. The families staying in the shelter will be able to create some great flower and vegetable gardens that they will be able to nurture over the summer.”

Photo: Nova House staff.

### **Selkirk Food Bank receives \$2,000**

The Selkirk Food bank supports community members by nourishing individuals and families experiencing food insecurity. Food banks and other charities are being faced with unprecedented need due to the pandemic.

An anonymous Five Dollar Club member says that the club’s contributions have a positive effect on our communities.

“The contributions made by members of the Five Dollar Club help support programs that benefit the health and wellness of Interlake-Eastern residents and have a positive effect on our communities.”



Photo L-R: Selkirk Food Bank’s Jack Bird, Rob Robinson, Darlene Zuke, Rose Lavallee and Catherine Moore.

### **Manitoba Possible receives \$1,500**

Manitoba Possible believes an inclusive and accessible society is possible. That's why they work together to eliminate barriers to full and equal participation. Manitoba Possible provides programs and services throughout the province.



Manitoba Possible Coordinator Diana Simpson would like to sincerely thank members of The Five Dollar Club for this donation.

“Manitoba Possible wants to sincerely thank the club for their generous donation. Donations allow Manitoba Possible to continue our work towards making Interlake communities more inclusive and accessible for all.”

Photo L-R: Manitoba Possible's Dana Erickson CEO & Lindsey Cooke Director, Provincial Services.

### **Beausejour Community Kitchen receives \$2,500**

Beausejour Community Kitchen provides meals for those experiencing food insecurity in the Beausejour/Brokenhead area.

Brenda Mousseau of the Beausejour Community Kitchen is so grateful for the donation and tells us that packaging food for the community is their largest expense right now.

“Thank you so much for your generous donation! Your contribution has helped us purchase packaging to send out our 70 plus meals a day to people who require extra help from our program. Our numbers have grown from 13 people the first day, on April 21, 2020 to between 70-80 per day, four days a week, and packaging is our largest expense.”



Photo: Beausejour Community Kitchen volunteer Clarissa Bagnell

### **Sunnywood Manor residents receive \$700 for the purchase of a new laptop**

The facility's current laptop is 10 years old and residents have a hard time seeing and hearing their loved ones during visits.

Brenda Rose-Wiebe, RN, BN and Clinical Team Manager at Sunnywood Manor says the laptop will be well used and is greatly appreciated.

“Receiving a new laptop for resident use is fantastic. It enables individual and group use for all residents, allowing them to stay updated and in touch with current events, music and videos, as well as being able to provide a larger screen for virtual visits with family.”



**Thank you to all members for helping to improve care for people and communities across our region!**