

Prince George Community Foundation

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COMMUNITY
FOUNDATION
all for our community.



President’s Message

It is my privilege to share this year’s message on behalf of the Board of Directors of the Prince George Community Foundation. The 2025 year has been one of meaningful progress, strengthened partnerships, and continued commitment to serving our community with purpose and integrity.

This year, we focused our work through the lens of our strategic priorities: larger scale Community Grants, Partnerships, Governance and Succession, and Engagement and Awareness. These priorities guided our decisions, strengthened our accountability, and ensured we remained aligned with our long-term vision of improving the quality of life for all who call Prince George home.

Through our granting programs—including our Community Grants, Impact Grants, Emergency Seniors Program, and our various endowed partner funds—we continued to support organizations that are strengthening our community. These grants reflect the generosity of our donors and the trust they place in us to steward their philanthropy responsibly and with care.

This year brought strong momentum in building and strengthening the philanthropic spirit of our community. As we welcomed new legacy and named funds, we were also preparing for our upcoming 30th Anniversary Campaign, which will honour three decades of local impact while inspiring renewed generosity for the years ahead. A key milestone was the creation of our new Bright Futures - Rapid Response Fund, designed to help the Foundation respond quickly and effectively to emerging community needs. Together, these efforts reinforce the sustainability of the Foundation and our ability to support Prince George well into the future.

Finally, we were honoured to share our story more broadly this year, including our involvement in a documentary series capturing the work of BC’s community foundations and the communities we serve. This opportunity helped elevate the visibility of the Foundation and highlight the incredible work being done by our grant recipients throughout Prince George.

Thank you for your continued support of the Prince George Community Foundation. Together, we are building a stronger, more connected, and more compassionate Prince George. Sincerely,

Zahid Islam
President, Prince George Community Foundation

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Land Acknowledgement

The Prince George Community Foundation acknowledges that we live, work, and serve on the traditional and unceded territory of the Lheidli T'enneh First Nation. These lands have been a gathering place for generations, rich with the languages, histories, and cultures of the Lheidli T'enneh people.

All for Our Community

In alignment with our commitment to Prince George, the Foundation embraces the responsibility of supporting our community's future. We strive to build a vibrant and resilient community, and we work toward this vision by pursuing strategic goals that ensure a lasting, positive impact on the well-being of those we serve.

MISSION

Enriching and strengthening our community through purposeful giving and impactful grants.

VISION

We are committed to inspiring a culture of giving in our community, shaped by impactful grants and a connected community.

VALUES

Empowerment, Inclusivity, Innovation, Impact, Locally Focused, Collaboration

OUR KEY AREAS OF SUPPORT



A Year of Connections

This year, connection was at the heart of our work – bringing people together to support seniors in crisis, supporting local initiatives such as Special Olympics and BigsNBC, and strengthening organizations across Prince George. As we mark 30 years of impact, we are reminded that lasting change is built through shared generosity and collective care.



Miracle Theatre

In 2025, Miracle Theatre raised an astounding **\$209,433** to create the **Seniors Emergency Support Fund**: an endowment to support local seniors with essentials such as food, shelter, medication, and dignity. This marks the largest single gift Miracle Theatre has ever made, and it pushes their total charitable giving to an incredible **\$1,064,731** – all for causes right here in Prince George.

From the dedicated leadership of theatre veterans Anne Laughlin and Ted Price, to a tireless team of volunteers, to loyal audiences and donors – this was a true community effort.

We are deeply honoured to steward this fund at the PG Community Foundation, and to help carry forward this extraordinary act of care.



A \$10 Million Milestone

In early 2025, we celebrated a major milestone - **over \$10 Million in grants** awarded to our local community, all thanks to the support of donors like you.

Since then, we've given back even more - our current grants given now exceeds **\$12 Million**. We couldn't have done this without you.



2025 General Support Grant Recipients

Community Choice Grant

In May, we received **232 nominations** for **39 incredible organizations** in response to our Community Choice Grant callout. The top five shortlist, based on your community nominations were:

- Prince George Therapeutic Riding Association
- Hart Pioneer Centre
- Spruce Capital Seniors Centre
- Northern BC Children & Families Hearing Society
- Special Olympics Prince George

These five were entered into a draw, where **Special Olympics Prince George** was selected as the \$10,000 grant recipient.

A big thank you to everyone who submitted a nomination – your thoughtful, heartfelt responses were a powerful reminder of the strength of our community.



“Special Olympics PG was so appreciative of winning this grant. It went a long way in helping the Summer Games as well as coach and athlete development.”

- Peter Goudal, Local and Program Coordinator
Special Olympics BC-Prince George

BIGS NBC's Big Squeeze

In July, we were incredibly grateful to all those who stopped by and helped us pour it forward for **Big Brothers Big Sisters of Northern BC's Big Squeeze 2025!**

In partnership with the **PG Chamber of Commerce**, donations at our lemonade stand totaled \$1,000.15 – and with PGCF's matching pledge, that meant a \$2,000.15 contribution to BigsNBC.

Hats off to the BigsNBC team for organizing, and to everyone across the city who took part—a dozen stands and numerous supporters came together to make a big impact for youth mentorship in our region. We're proud to be part of a community that shows up for one another, and we're certainly looking forward to Big Squeeze 2026!



FARR WIC

For more than 20 years, the **FARR WIC Golf Tournament** has supported the PGCF and the work we do to connect generosity with community needs. A heartfelt thank you to **Farr Fabricating** and **Western Industrial Contractors** for their valued partnership and continued support.

The annual FARR WIC Golf Tournament happened August 2 & 3, 2025, at the PG Golf and Curling Club. The PGCF was incredibly grateful to recognize the support of our sponsors for this event:

Platinum Sponsor - Canadian Tire

Gold Sponsor - Scotia Wealth Management

Silver Sponsor - KPMG

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Golf Cart Sponsor - Scotiabank

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Community Heroes Weekend

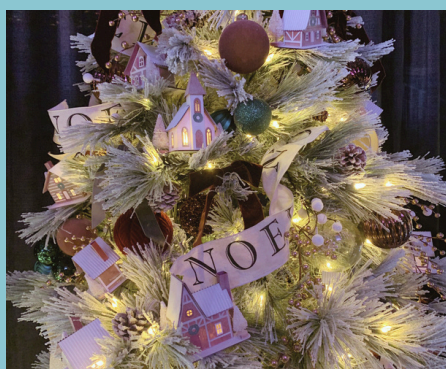
Thanks to the support of our ticket block sponsors, in October we helped fill the CN Centre with more than 4,000 local heroes—firefighters, healthcare teams, RCMP, educators, and volunteers who strengthen Prince George every day. Together, we celebrated their service and watched the MEGA 50/50 Jackpot climb to nearly \$90,000, a true reflection of our community's generosity.

The PGCF was proud to partner once again with the **Prince George Cougars** and **Spirit of the North Healthcare Foundation** to bring this special weekend to life. Community Heroes Weekend is a reminder of how much we can achieve when gratitude and community spirit come together.



Business Excellence Awards

The Prince George Community Foundation was proud to sponsor the **Excellence in Not-for-Profit and Community Service Award** at the 2025 Business Excellence Awards, in partnership with the Prince George Chamber of Commerce. As a community foundation, we value the dedication and impact of local non-profits, and this sponsorship was a meaningful way to recognize those strengthening our community. The evening was further enriched by the inspiring presence of **Jody Wilson-Raybould**, whose leadership and insights added depth to the celebration.



Festival of Trees

We were thrilled to take part in Spirit of the North's **Festival of Trees**, held this year from Nov 26 -30, where we joined other local organizations in the Festival's **Charity Village**. This year's event was especially remarkable, welcoming over 16,000 visitors to the CN Centre – the largest turnout yet – and creating a magical holiday experience that celebrated community spirit and supported meaningful causes.

We extend our sincere thanks to the Spirit of the North organizers and volunteers for another outstanding festival, and to the generous **Friends of Our Tree**:

- Decked Out Home & Patio
- Canadian Tire
- Scotiabank
- KPMG
- All-West Glass

Their support made our participation possible. We are grateful for the chance to connect with our community at this beloved annual tradition and look forward to next year's Festival with excitement and appreciation.



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A Legacy of Love: The Rice Family Endowment Fund

When **Shawn and Lisa Rice** moved from Newfoundland to British Columbia in 1991, they brought with them a deep sense of community spirit. The family eventually settled in Prince George – a place that quickly became home. Over the years, Shawn poured his energy into volunteering through hockey and baseball, Ducks Unlimited, Heart & Stroke, the Cancer Walk, and many important fundraisers. In 2017, he was named Prince George Citizen of the Year for his tireless dedication to giving back.

When the pandemic brought many community events to a halt, Shawn and Lisa began to think about how they could continue giving back – not just now, but forever. Out of that reflection came the idea for the **Rice Family Endowment Fund**, created through the Prince George Community Foundation in 2022. **Their goal: to build a lasting legacy of care and connection.**

The cause became deeply personal when Lisa's mother was diagnosed with Alzheimer's disease. Through that journey, the couple saw the remarkable comfort that therapy dolls could bring. Lisa's mother had both a baby and a cat therapy doll, and "they were real to her," Lisa recalled. "She would hold and talk to her baby doll as though it were a real child – and even send my dad out to buy food for the cat doll, because she said he was too skinny." The Rice's saw how these dolls gave Lisa's mother a sense of clarity and purpose, and those moments of calm inspired the Rice's to dedicate their fund to supporting local seniors living with Alzheimer's and dementia.

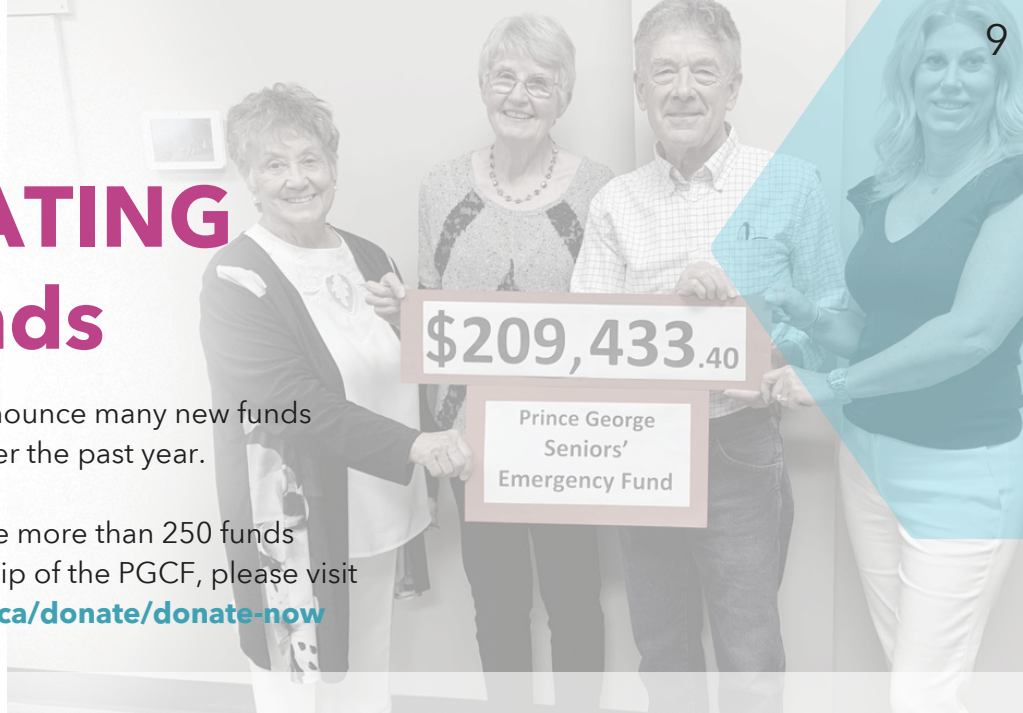
To grow the fund, Shawn began crafting and selling Shawn's Chocolate Treats, with every dollar of profit going directly into the endowment. What started as a fundraising idea has become a labour of love – from starting hundreds of pepper seedlings each spring for his signature spicy chocolate, to waking at 3 a.m. to make batches before work.

Now, **40% of the way toward their \$50,000 goal**, Shawn and Lisa have just delivered the first therapy dolls to the Prince George Council of Seniors (PGCOS), who will distribute them through their Compassionate Dementia-Inclusive Community Program. Each year, the Rice Family Endowment Fund will provide support to the PGCOS to purchase more dolls, and as the fund grows, so will the impact. With help from the Prince George Community Foundation, the Rice's legacy of kindness will continue bringing comfort and dignity to seniors for years to come – one sweet act at a time.

CELEBRATING New Funds

The PGCF is excited to announce many new funds that have been created over the past year.

To explore and support the more than 250 funds entrusted to the stewardship of the PGCF, please visit our website: <https://pgcf.ca/donate/donate-now>



Brett Wilson Bursary Fund

Honouring Brett Wilson by awarding an annual \$1,000 bursary to a deserving SD57 student who demonstrates strong character, citizenship, and initiative as they pursue post-secondary education.



Bright Futures - Rapid Response Fund

Created in celebration of PGCF's 30th anniversary, this flexible fund supports urgent and timely needs in our community—right when help is needed most.



Chad Staley Memorial Development Fund

Supporting athletes with the tools, resources, and guidance they need to thrive—building resilience, character, and a strong, inclusive athletic community.



Chad Staley Memorial Endowment Fund

Empowering athletes to reach their full potential through support for academics, health, well-being, mental health, and injury recovery—helping them grow as both athletes and individuals.



Emery & Geraldine Cawsey's Food for Kids Fund

A lasting legacy supporting food security for children in Prince George, with annual grants directed to where the need is greatest.



CELEBRATING New Funds, Continued

Fort St. James Secondary School PAC Legacy Fund

Providing ongoing support for programs, activities, and priorities of the Fort St. James Secondary School PAC.



Knox Legacy Endowment Fund

Ensuring the long-term sustainability and mission of Knox through stable, enduring support.



KPMG Partners Flow Through Fund

Supporting impactful community projects and organizations across Northern BC.



Prince George Seniors' Emergency Fund

Honouring Miracle Theatre's generosity by helping local seniors access essential needs—food, medical equipment, housing support, and more—through the Prince George Council of Seniors.



Rose Thomas Bouquet of Talent Fund

Celebrating and supporting arts and music programs in the Terrace region.



Willow River 8 Memorial Bursary - PGSS Alumni Class of 1974 & Beyond

A perpetual bursary for PGSS graduates, honouring the Willow River 8. Awarded to a student demonstrating strong leadership, financial need, and a commitment to post-secondary education.



**To explore and support all our funds, please visit our website:
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2025 by the Numbers

The Prince George Community Foundation has been giving back since 1995. That's **30 years** of connection, commitment, and caring.

Through the generosity of donors and fundholders, PGCF helped direct **\$2,159,625** in grants to organizations serving our area in 2025.

Since 1995, the PGCF has granted more than **\$12 million** to strengthen and support the organizations doing vital work across our region.

In partnership with the Prince George Council of Seniors, **145 seniors** received support through the Seniors Emergency Pilot Program in 2025, with more than **\$180,000** in support approved. This Pilot Program was funded by an anonymous local donor.

In 2025, the Prince George Community Foundation distributed **\$790,000** through the Prince George & Region Prosperity Fund, supporting **33** regional non-profits in programs that advance poverty reduction, social inclusion, and community wellbeing.

More than **250 funds** have now been entrusted to our care by the individuals, families, and organizations who created them, supporting causes ranging from seniors and youth to arts, sport, and community care – forever.

Through the power of our carefully managed investment pool, our net Five-Year Average Rate of Return (2021 - 2025) was **9.27%**. Strong, stable returns are part of our strategy, ensuring we can support both immediate needs and future generations.

With over **\$22 million** in Endowed Funds under our stewardship, we transform community generosity into lasting impact, ensuring our local dollars stay local. PGCF remains committed to building a stronger, more resilient Prince George – today and tomorrow.

Student Awards

The PGCF proudly holds **29 funds** that support students in their pursuit of post-secondary education through **scholarships** and **bursaries**.

- Andrew and Joan Peasgood Memorial Bursary Fund
- Barbara & Jan Ullstrom Bursary Fund
- Blackburn Family Scholarship Fund
- Brett Wilson Bursary Fund
- College of New Caledonia Endowment Fund

Cpl. Darren James Fitzpatrick Memorial Fund >>>>>>>

- Dr. Amanda Asay Memorial Award Fund
- Drs. Murray and Nowlan Physiotherapy Bursary Fund
- Gordon Campbell Endowment Fund
- Joshua Cinnamon Legacy Scholarship Endowment Fund
- Linda Wilbur Memorial Fund
- Lindsay Santos Memorial Bursary Fund
- Mackenzie Catholic Men's Club Bursary Fund
- Moffat Education Fund
- Moffat Family Endowment Fund
- Multicultural Heritage Society Endowment Fund
- Nick Forde Memorial Fund
- PG Hindu Cultural Society Scholarship Fund
- Pozer Family Endowment Fund
- Pre-1950 School Re-Union Fund
- PGCF Legacy Award Fund
- Quality Council Endowment Fund
- RBC Cup Legacy Endowment Fund
- Sarah Kelly Memorial Bursary Fund
- Springboard to Success Scholarship Fund
- Steve J. Kwochka Memorial Bursary Fund
- The Rotary Adventures in Forestry & Environmental Studies Bursary Fund
- The Willow River 8 Memorial Bursary Fund, PGSSS Alumni Class of 1974 and Beyond
- WIDHH - NBC Branch Endowment Fund

Corporal Darren James Fitzpatrick was born in Burnaby, raised in Prince George and graduated from Kelly Road Secondary. Darren was the 141st military casualty of Canada's mission in Afghanistan. He will forever be remembered as the proud Canadian and courageous leader he was. His award was established as a tribute to the brave service of our military troops in the defence of our country and will be awarded to a grade 12 student from School District No. 57 pursuing a career in the Canadian Forces.

Image of Cpl. Fitzpatrick from www.veterans.gc.ca



Words of Gratitude

In PGCF's 2025 fiscal year, **over \$48,000** was awarded to students across our region – from local school districts to post-secondary institutions like CNC, UNBC, and beyond.

"I am a grade 12 graduate student chosen to receive the **Dr. Amanda Asay Memorial Bursary**. I would like to thank-you for making this generous award possible. I am very grateful, as the financial assistance will allow me to focus on my studies and reduce the financial burden. I will be attending CNC in the fall for the Nursing Unit Assistant and hoping to pursue my passion to help others in the health field in coming years."

"I was chosen to receive the **Prince of Wales Scholarship**. I am truly honored to have been selected as the recipient, and I deeply appreciate your support. I will be attending UNBC this fall in the Biomedical studies program. I plan to pursue a career in dentistry, and I am sincerely grateful for the financial assistance to help me follow this dream. Thank you once again for making a difference in my academic journey!"

"I am writing to express my gratitude for awarding me the **RBC Legacy Endowment Bursary** during my grade 12 year. Your support has made a meaningful difference in helping me pursue my academic and athletic goals. This fall I am attending UNBC where I will be enrolled in General Arts, with an intent to pursue a degree in Education. I am also proud to be representing UNBC as an athlete in USport Soccer. Thank-you for investing in my future."

"I am the graduate chosen to receive the **Willow River 8 Memorial Bursary**. I would like to express my gratitude for this award and give my sincere thanks to everyone who made this possible. Especially as the first recipient, I feel honoured to be chosen for this award, in memory of the boys who tragically lost their lives. This award will help me in my studies at UNBC as I start my undergraduate degree in Environmental Science."



Impact in Action

In our 2025 fiscal year, the Prince George Community Foundation awarded **\$2,159,625 in grants** to local organizations, supporting programs and projects that strengthen community, foster inclusion, and enrich lives. The projects highlighted here are just a few examples of the impact our investments are making across northern BC—from accessibility upgrades and senior programs to heritage preservation and vibrant public spaces.



PGCF is proud to support organizations that strengthen community and enrich seniors' lives through connection and care.



PGCF invests in initiatives that foster community participation, education, and shared experiences in northern BC.

ECRA Kitchen Upgrades

The PGCF supported the Elder Citizens Recreation Association (ECRA) through a **2023 General Support Grant**, alongside a **2022 Spruce Credit Union Legacy Grant**, to complete upgrades to ECRA's kitchen facilities. This enhanced space plays a central role in the organization's ability to deliver programs, provide meals, and foster social connection for older adults in the community.

Serving a membership of more than 900 individuals, ECRA offers a wide range of activities and supports, including monthly Birthday Teas and take-home frozen meal programs that are available to community members. The upgraded kitchen strengthens ECRA's capacity to meet growing demand and continue creating a welcoming, inclusive environment.

Rotary Garden Pergola

Through a **2024 Spruce Credit Union Legacy Grant**, the PGCF helped support the addition of a new pergola at the Rotary Community Garden at UNBC. This structure enhances the garden's functionality and aesthetic appeal, creating a welcoming focal point for gardeners and visitors alike.

Built by the Rotary Clubs of Prince George in collaboration with Rotaract, the garden now features 22 plots, which sell out each spring, and serves as a hub for learning, connection, and community engagement. The new pergola further strengthens the garden as a vibrant space where community members can gather, grow food, and enjoy the outdoors.

Huble Homestead Pole Shed

In 2024, the Prince George Community Foundation supported the Huble Homestead/Giscome Portage Heritage Society through a Community Impact Grant to fund the construction of a new pole shed at the historic site. This important infrastructure upgrade provides secure, year-round storage for lumber, tools, and materials, helping to protect valuable resources and support ongoing site operations.

During a fall site visit, PGCF staff had the opportunity to learn more about Huble Homestead's work and the ways this improvement will strengthen their ability to preserve and share northern British Columbia's history. The new pole shed enhances operational efficiency and contributes to the long-term sustainability of the site.



With PGCF funding, organizations creating meaningful, educational experiences can expand their reach and impact.

Knox Performance Centre Accessibility Upgrades

Through the PGCF's 2023 Fall Grant Cycle, the Knox Performance Centre received funding to complete important accessibility improvements that enhance inclusion for performers and audiences alike. This grant was supported by the **Elsie and Mel Rustad Memorial Fund**, the **Shepherd Family Endowment**, and the **Smart and Caring Community Fund**.

The grant supported the installation of an **accessible stage lift**, enabling performers and community members with mobility challenges to take the stage, **as well as an assistive listening system** to improve access for individuals with hearing challenges. Together, these upgrades help ensure the Knox Performance Centre remains a welcoming, barrier-free cultural space for the community.



PGCF is proud to provide opportunities to remove barriers and strengthen access to arts and culture for people of all abilities.

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We could not do any of what we do without our volunteers!
Thank you for your time and commitment to community.

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Thank you 

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Regional Partners

The Prince George Community Foundation collaborates closely with partner foundations throughout Northern B.C. These alliances enable foundations across the region to pool resources, enhance operational efficiencies, leverage financial returns, exchange knowledge and insights, and pursue collective opportunities.

Burns Lake Community Foundation

- Dick & Marilyn Nourse Legacy Fund

Chinook Community Society Endowment Fund

City of Williams Lake Endowment Fund

Fort St. James Community Foundation

- Helweg Family Fund
- Randy Sulyma Endowment Fund
- Ft St. James Secondary School PAC Fund

Fraser Lake Community Foundation

Kitimat Community Foundation

Mackenzie Community Foundation

McBride Community Foundation

Regional District Fraser Fort George

- Salmon River & Lakes Community Endowment Fund
- Chilako River-Nechako Community Endowment Fund
- Hixon-Woodpecker Community Endowment Fund
- Willow River-Upper Fraser Community Endowment Fund
- Crooked River-Parship Community Endowment Fund
- Robson Valley-Canoe Community Endowment Fund

South Cariboo Community Enhancement Foundation (100 Mile)

Terrace Community Foundation

- Dare to Dream Fund
- Bill and Helen McRae Fund
- Dr. Colleen Froese Fund
- Dreger Fund
- Lemiski and Schmidt Families Fund
- Norm Parry's Visionary Fund
- Rose Thomas Bouquet of Talent
- Schmidt Guys Outdoor Fund
- Rose Thomas Bouquet of Talent

Valemount Community Foundation

Vanderhoof Community Foundation

- Andros Family Fund
- LaForge Family Fund
- Nechako Valley Search & Rescue Fund
- Vanderhoof Hospice Society

Wells Community Foundation



Looking Forward



This year marks the Prince George Community Foundation's **30th anniversary**—a remarkable moment to celebrate three decades of generosity, community spirit, and collaboration. From that first spark of inspiration in 1995, our Foundation has grown into a lasting source of support for Prince George, with more than 250 funds now helping local charities, students, and community programs thrive.

Looking ahead, we're excited to continue the celebration with the creation of our **Bright Futures: Rapid Response Fund**, which honours the vision of our founders and ensures their light continues to shine for generations to come. And we hope you'll plan to join us this spring for our inaugural **Fundraiser** on April 16, 2026—a new event that will bring together friends, supporters, and partners to celebrate community and connection.

SAVE THE DATE: PGCF Fundraiser April 16, 2026

A celebration of community and connection.
Marriott Hotel, Prince George

Sign up for our quarterly e-newsletter and stay up to date on all that's happening at the PGCF!
LINK: <http://eepurl.com/hncHtr>





It started with a SPARK.

In 1994, a single spark of inspiration ignited the idea of a community foundation for Prince George. Then-Mayor John Backhouse, inspired by what he had seen in other cities, shared the vision of creating a permanent source of support for local needs. Community leaders quickly gathered, bringing their energy and commitment to turn the idea into reality.

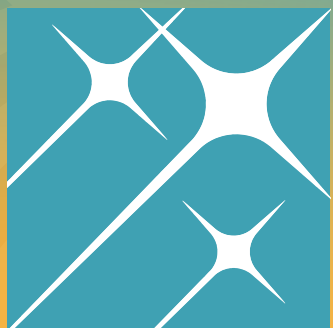
In October of 1995, the Prince George Community Foundation was officially incorporated, carrying with it the promise of a brighter future for our community.

That small spark of vision lit the way forward.

That SPARK became a GLOW.

From the first early gifts, the Foundation's light grew steadily stronger. In the years since, **more than 250 funds** have been established under our care, supporting local charities, scholarships, arts, health, and vital services. What began as a spark has become a lasting glow, shining across Prince George and the people who call it home.





And Together, **WE SHINE.**

Now, as we mark 30 years, the Prince George Community Foundation looks to the future with renewed purpose. The creation of the **BRIGHT FUTURES: Rapid Response Fund** honours the light sparked by our founders and ensures it continues to shine even brighter in the years ahead.

To launch the fund, the PGCF is contributing an initial \$30,000, and **we're asking you to make a contribution** in support of your community's future. Every gift makes a difference and will continue to grow and give back to our community, forever.

Rapid Response means the fund will be flexible and responsive to the needs and changes of our community over time. Returns will be directed where they are currently needed most.

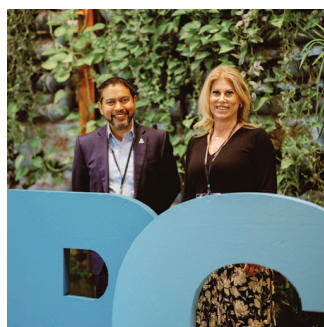
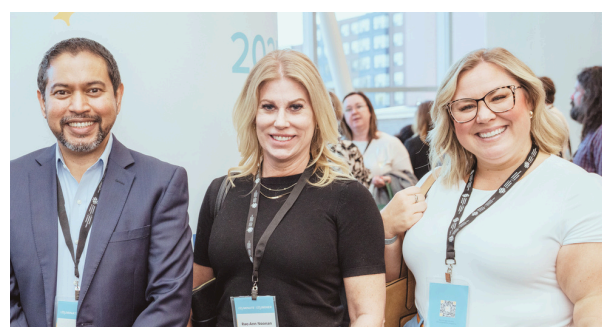
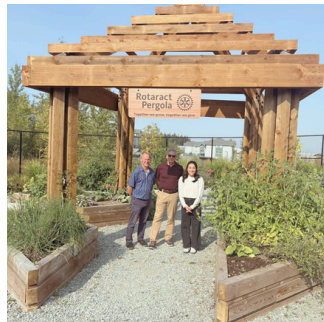
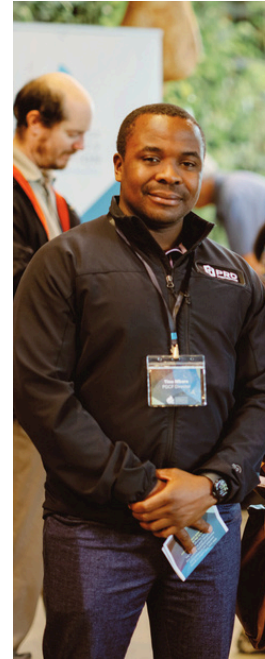


An Even Brighter Future.

We're 60% of the way to our of \$100,000 starting goal, and we hope you'll consider a contribution for a brighter future, right where you live.

Your gift today to the **Bright Futures: Rapid Response Fund** is part of a legacy that lasts forever. **THANK YOU** to those who have already supported:

Jim & Noreen Rustad
Canadian Tire
Ellen Norman
Anonymous
Ray Noonan



THANK YOU

On behalf of the PGCF, we extend our deepest gratitude to all of our partners, donors, and supporters.

Community Partners



Unity is strength! We celebrate our partnership with the Prince George Community Foundation, in helping foster a vibrant, inclusive community. Together we are making a lasting impact.

- Selen Alpay, Owner, Canadian Tire - Prince George



KPMG stands as a beacon of community collaboration, proudly partnering with the Prince George Community Foundation.

Together, we're dedicated to nurturing a thriving community where services and events are accessible to all, thanks to our collective efforts.

- Corey S. Naphtali, Partner, KPMG

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As Scotiabank proudly stands with the Foundation, we reflect on the transformative journey we've witnessed. For 30 years, the Foundation's dedication has sparked positive change, touching count less lives across various sectors - from health and youth programs to sports and the arts.

- Ray Noonan, District Vice President North BC & Yukon, Scotiabank

Community Friends

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