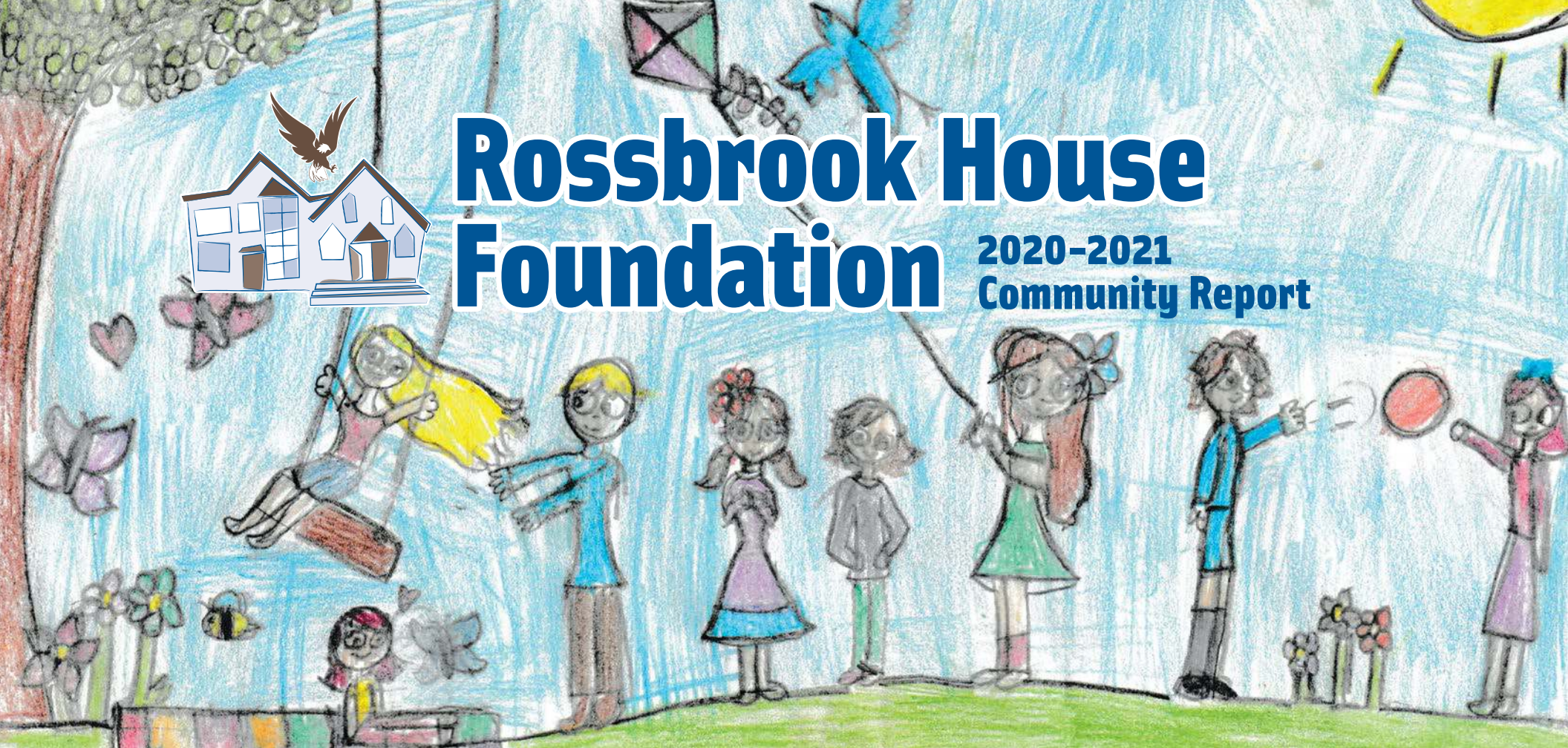




# Rossbrook House Foundation

2020-2021  
Community Report



Created in 2006, Rossbrook House Foundation exists to financially support Rossbrook House in ensuring children and youth living in the inner-city of Winnipeg continue to have a safe place to belong, play, learn and become...

The Foundation is pleased to share that \$475,000 in donations were raised in support of Rossbrook House thanks to our generous supporters this past year.

Thanks to you, Rossbrook House continues to be a place where "no child who does not want to be alone should ever have to be."



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# Greetings from the Foundation

Greetings from the dedicated group of volunteers who make up the Rossbrook House Foundation Board of Directors.

The Foundation was created in 2006 to financially assist Rossbrook House in conducting its programs and operations. The Foundation's main goal is to raise funds for the programs and services provided by Rossbrook House for the present and future generations of children and youth. Gifts made to the Foundation go directly to support the day-to-day activities and programs for Rossbrook House participants. We

couldn't provide all the smiles without your help and we are so very grateful for the support our generous donors have provided. Your support has been instrumental in keeping the doors open at Rossbrook House, 365 Days of the Year and 24 hours a day on school holidays and weekends.

The Foundation serves to help Sister MacNamara's mission, and that of Rossbrook House, that *"No child who does not want to be alone, should ever have to be."*

Rossbrook House Foundation provides supporters of the mission of Rossbrook House with many ways to make financial contributions, including monthly giving, one-time gifts,

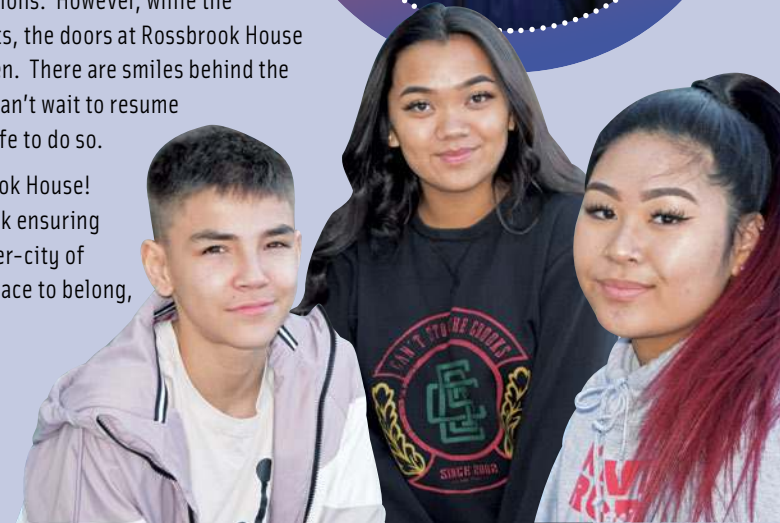
bequests and more! These gifts go directly to supporting the day to day activities and programs for Rossbrook House participants.

The Foundation started 2020/21 optimistically planning a Men's Luncheon and No Child Alone Dinner to celebrate and raise funds in support of Rossbrook House. Unfortunately, neither of these events were able to occur due to the ongoing pandemic and public health restrictions. However, while the doors may have shut on these events, the doors at Rossbrook House were fortunately able to remain open. There are smiles behind the masks at Rossbrook House and we can't wait to resume our usual programming when it's safe to do so.

Summer is not cancelled at Rossbrook House! The Foundation board is hard at work ensuring children and youth living in the inner-city of Winnipeg continue to have a safe place to belong, learn, play and become...

## Jane Quinton

Chair, Rossbrook House Foundation Board of Directors



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**The Foundation is extremely grateful to all who supported these events and for their understanding when the events were cancelled.**

Rossbrook House Foundation is appreciative of the opportunities to participate in 2020's nation-wide campaigns, Great Canadian Giving Challenge and Giving Tuesday.

The Great Canadian Giving Challenge occurs annually throughout the month of June, where online donations serve as entries into a chance to win funds. For 2020, every \$1 donated online in the month of June was an entry to win \$20,000. The Foundation initiated a campaign highlighting this opportunity to give. While neither Rossbrook House nor the Foundation won the \$20,000, donations received in summer 2020 did help ensure that summer was not cancelled at Rossbrook House.

Giving Tuesday is a national movement dedicated to giving back, occurring annually on the first Tuesday after Black Friday (December 1, 2020). For 2020, the Foundation implemented a social media campaign to raise funds to help Rossbrook House purchase a new van.

Thank you to all who supported Rossbrook through these campaigns. Those who donated, engaged with associated social media posts and those who advocated for us.



## ROSSBROOK HOUSE LEGACY CIRCLE

Rossbrook House Legacy Circle is comprised of those, the Foundation is aware of, who have made a Planned Gift in support of Rossbrook House.

Legacy Circle member, Tom Dooley, has shared that to him "a legacy gift is a way of confirming to yourself, your family, and your friends what you have discovered to be important and meaningful during your lifetime."

This past year, the Foundation was humbled to have Denise Gamey join the Legacy Circle.

### LEGACY CIRCLE

listing as of March 31, 2021

- Tammy Carlson & Vern Anderson
- Ron Bailey
- Susan Clubb & Tom Pundyk
- Guy & Marlene Coughlin
- Tom Dooley
- Michael & Brenda Evans
- Denise Gamey
- Mary Mathias & Barry Hammond
- Gregg & Mary Hanson
- Jan Shute & Doug Harvey
- Ruth Hastings

- Peter & Suzanne Hudson
- Caroline Hunter
- Sara Iwan
- Dr Michael G Johnson
- Mary Kuzmeniuk
- Ray & Lynne-Anne McFeetors
- Judith McGibbon
- Jeffrey & Mary Morton
- Wilma & Wilson Parasiuk
- Claudette Toupin & Greg Selinger
- Bert & Linda Smith
- Terrina Taylor
- William & Maureen Watchorn
- Plus 3 who wish to remain anonymous