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COMMUNITY
FOUNDATION

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2020 ANNUAL REPORT

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

“The Chatham Kent Community Foundation is a broad-based, volunteer driven, philanthropic organization creating, preserving and growing perpetual funds to enrich the quality of life of our citizens, now and in the future.”

The goal of the Chatham Kent Community Foundation is to assist in the development of this community through grants to registered charitable organizations that focus on education, health, the arts, recreation, social services and the environment.

By supporting these organizations, the Chatham Kent Community Foundation strives to enrich the quality of life of our citizens, now and in the future.

The Chatham Kent Community Foundation builds endowments and other funds to provide lasting support for local priorities. The income earned by the Foundation’s invested permanent funds is used to give grants to a wide range of community groups, while the original investment is retained, and grows over time.

Donors have chosen to work with the Chatham Kent Community Foundation because of the flexibility it affords them. Donors can support any number of registered local charities by giving to the Foundation, and their contribution responds to needs in the community that are current and relevant.

A donation to the Chatham Kent Community Foundation is a fiscally responsible investment. The Foundation is able to minimize costs by pooling funds for investment and administration costs. As well, Foundation volunteers take care of all the administrative and grant-making decisions, saving the donor both time and money.

The strength of the Foundation lies with its volunteers. The Board is made up of 11 dedicated Directors, and many more Directors at Large, who contribute significantly on Foundation committees. These volunteers also reflect the diversity of Chatham-Kent, which is truly a ‘Community of Communities.’



Hugh Logan
Past Executive Director

In October we bid a fond farewell and happy retirement to Hugh Logan, the Foundation’s Executive Director since 2007.

For the past 13 years Hugh has provided steady and dependable leadership to successive Foundation Boards, ensuring that we live up to the founders’ vision for the Chatham Kent Community Foundation.

We truly appreciate all of the support Hugh has provided over the years and we will miss his experience and tireless dedication to the Chatham Kent Community Foundation.



Chris Pegg
Executive Director

We are pleased to announce that we have hired Chris Pegg as our full-time Executive Director.

Chris started with the Foundation as Assistant Executive Director in June, 2019, learning from Hugh Logan about the challenges of the Executive Director role.

This past year, Chris worked on the Government of Canada’s Emergency Community Support Fund, as well as the CKCF COVID-19 Relief Fund. Chris worked with Community Foundations of Canada, the United Way of CK and our Grant Review Committee to ensure that all funds available to Chatham-Kent were distributed equitably to the most vulnerable populations in our community.

REPORT FROM THE CHAIR

As I write this report, our community is still suffering the harmful affects of COVID-19. Although it feels like dark days, generous donations and caring volunteers made 2020 a year of hope and giving for the Chatham-Kent Community and the Chatham Kent Community Foundation. This hope and giving continues today and will carry into the future.

To help provide support and hope in 2020, the Foundation quickly agreed to change the approach to grants back in March of 2020 to issue grants quickly with a focus on COVID Relief. We worked with the South Kent Wind Community Fund Advisory Committee to distribute over \$440,000 in grants to 20 charitable organizations.

We joined an informative and collaborative table formed by the United Way of Chatham-Kent to respond to COVID-19 where we learned about the needs within our community and supported the effort to meet these needs. This made it easier to work with the United Way and Canadian Red Cross to help distribute the national Emergency Community Support Fund from the Government of Canada. The Chatham Kent Community Foundation allotment of \$288,000 was distributed to 26 charitable organizations in Chatham-Kent.

From a giving perspective, your donations in 2020 totaled over \$1,435,000, a \$1.1 million increase over 2019. These donations have been invested in the endowment fund, a fund made up of many years of generous small and large donations. The 11 Directors, Directors at Large and sponsors continue to give of their time and expertise to help keep our operating costs as low as possible.

By the end of 2020, the endowment fund had grown to close to \$10,000,000 thanks in part to a new Field of Interest Fund called the Al & Mary Woods Animal Welfare Fund and a new Donor Designated Fund, the Steve and Lorie Baker Fund, to disburse grants to support the Children's Treatment Centre and the Chatham-Kent Hospice Foundation. We also want to recognize and express appreciation for the meaningful donations made to several existing funds such as the South Kent Wind Community Fund, the Donald Allan Cottingham Fund, and the Dave & Brenda Baute Fund. 2020 was also a year of changes. Hugh Logan, after 13 years of service as the Foundation Executive Director announced his retirement. To support the foundation activities, we made the decision to make the Executive Director position a full-time role and hired Chris Pegg to fill that role. Chris had taken on the role of Assistant Executive Director in 2019. Thank you Hugh, for your years of service and support, and welcome Chris to your new role.

Thank you to all the donors, sponsors, and volunteers who have helped the Chatham Kent Community Foundation play a strong role in bringing hope and giving to the Chatham-Kent Community in 2020.



Ruth Hook
Board Chair 2020

On the cover:

- Luella LeBoeuf enjoys a virtual meeting with her great-grandchild through the use of an iPad provided to residents of St. Andrew's Residence.
- Emma Wiltenberg of Blenheim, the 2020 recipient of the Adolphus and Armintha Weese Scholarship Fund. The scholarship is awarded to children of first responders who work in Chatham-Kent. Photo Courtesy of Ella Dam.
- In March 2020 Chatham artist Mark Reinhart started leaving 'Health & Safety Notes' on buildings throughout the municipality. These colourful messages, created with duct tape, brought hope and positivity to our communities during a very uncertain time. Photo courtesy of Mark Reinhart



A young caller reaches out through the Warm Line, a non-crisis telephone support service provided by the Mental Health Network of Chatham-Kent. The service gives callers a vital connection during difficult times that takes pressure off existing crisis supports. (Photo by Jeff Dube)

THE YEAR IN REVIEW



In September we lost a true supporter of the Chatham Kent Community Foundation with the passing of **Ross Eberlee**. He died peacefully at the Chatham-Kent Health Alliance on Saturday, September 12, 2020, at the age of 94 years. Ross is survived by his wife of 72 years, Lois Marie (Shaw), and his son David and wife Amy of Simcoe. Ross was one of the founding directors of the Foundation. He and Lois championed the Foundation at every opportunity, and he will be greatly missed. A tribute highlighting his many contributions to the Chatham Kent Community Foundation can be found at www.chathamkentcommunityfoundation.ca

The Emergency Community Support Fund (ECSF)

The **Emergency Community Support Fund (ECSF)** was launched in May, 2020, during the height of the first wave of the COVID-19 pandemic. The \$350M investment from the Government of Canada was designed to support charities and nonprofit organizations serving vulnerable populations as they manage the impacts of COVID-19. The fund was administered by Community Foundations of Canada, United Way of Canada and the Canadian Red Cross.

Working with the United Way of CK and Red Cross as part of the Co-Investor Roundtable, the Chatham Kent Community Foundation provided \$288,000 to 26 charitable organizations in Chatham-Kent.

We are very proud to be a part of the Co-Investor Roundtable, and to have had the opportunity to support the people of Chatham-Kent through the difficulties of this unprecedented time.

The Mary & Al Woods Animal Welfare Field of Interest Fund

The Foundation was fortunate to establish a new Field of Interest fund in 2020 through a donation from the estate of Mary Ethel Woods. Mary, who passed away on July 8, 2019, was a long-time resident of Blenheim, and an ardent supporter of both wild and domestic animals, especially cats. The Mary & Al Woods Animal Welfare Field of Interest Fund will provide annual grants to organizations that are involved in the care, maintenance, benefit, and general welfare of domestic and wild animals. The fund was established with a donation of \$1,015,000, which represents the largest single donation made to the Foundation since it was founded in 1990.

Chatham Kent Community Foundation,

I'm writing to express my gratitude
for making the Adolphus and
Armintha Weese scholarship possible.
I am extremely thankful and
appreciative to have been awarded
this scholarship.

I'm currently majoring in
Human Kinetics and minoring
in Chemistry at the University
of Windsor. The financial
assistance you provided will
be of great help with paying
for my education.

Thank you again for your
generosity and support.

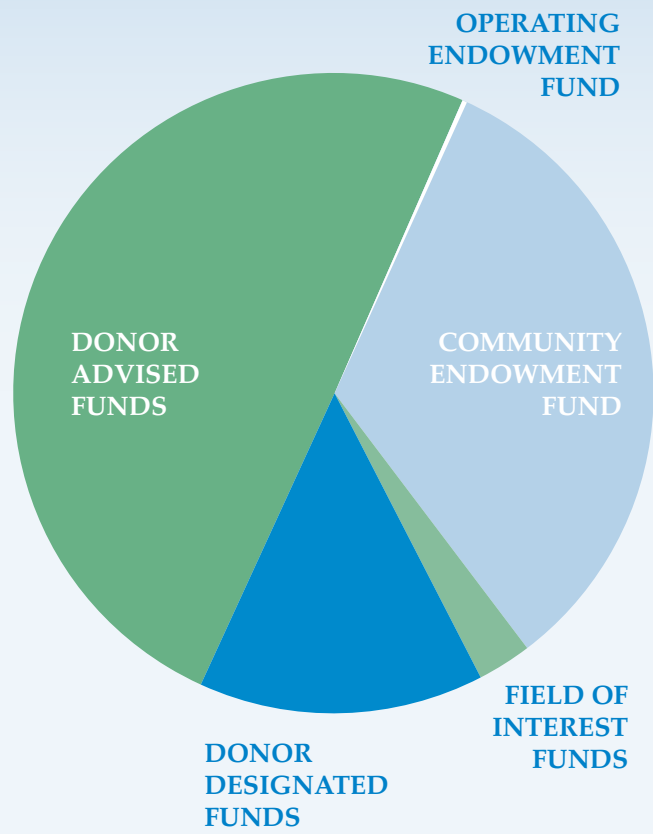
Emma Wiltenburg



*Emma Wiltenburg of Blenheim,
the 2020 recipient of the Adolphus
and Armintha Weese Scholarship
Fund. The scholarship is awarded
to children of first responders who
work in Chatham-Kent.
(Photo by Ella Dam)*

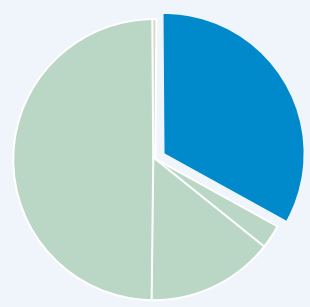
ABOUT OUR FUNDS

The Chatham Kent Community Foundation has five types of funds. The first fund, namely the COMMUNITY ENDOWMENT FUND, is a general type of fund that leaves control over the granting of investment income to the discretion of the Foundation Board. The remaining four types of funds, specifically the FIELD OF INTEREST FUNDS, DESIGNATED FUNDS, DONOR ADVISED FUNDS and the OPERATING ENDOWMENT FUND, differ from the Community Endowment Fund essentially in the way they direct how the investment income is granted.



1. Community Endowment Fund

These discretionary funds offer the greatest amount of flexibility to the Foundation in responding to the immediate and changing needs of the community. Donors do not place restrictions on the use of the funds and rely on the Board of Directors to make grant decisions that meet current community priorities and needs. The Community Endowment Fund has within it the opportunity to have Funds “Named” in the name of the donor or some other honoree.



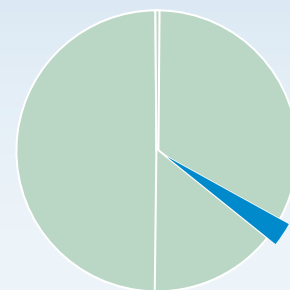
Named Funds within the Community Endowment Fund

The Allen Family Fund	\$32,143
Anakin Templeton Fund	32,484
Dave & Brenda Baute Fund	175,000
The Bellringer Family Fund	25,000
J.P. Bickell Foundation	5,000
Tom & Charlaïne Campbell Fund	10,575
Proctor A. Dick Family Memorial Fund	24,019
Ross & Lois Eberlee Fund	33,410
Richard & Eva Eddington Family Fund	10,000
H.J. (Sandy) & Geraldine Elliot Fund	5,550
Beryl M. Ivey Fund	103,500
Honey MacDonald Fund	29,650
Raymond & Lucienne Myers Estate	141,710
Ruth Sadlier O’Rourke Memorial Fund	18,200
Robert & Verna Parry Family Fund	50,992
Robert & Mary Rule Family Fund	11,770
Sybil & Blake Ward Fund	10,166
Neil Wood & Janet Mallory-Wood Fund	41,000

Additional donors are listed in “Donors of Distinction.”

2. Field of Interest Funds

These funds work much like the Community Endowment Fund except that the donors will identify an area of interest that they would like to support. The donor empowers the Foundation's Board to select worthwhile projects to support. Named Funds are also possible. The Chatham Kent Community Foundation has three Field of Interest Funds currently available to our donors:



Wayne & Sylvia Barnard Family Fund

Established in 2017 by Wayne and Sylvia Barnard, the Wayne and Sylvia Barnard Family Fund was created to provide grants to support Chatham-Kent organizations that provide services or programs to Chatham-Kent residents under the age of 19 years. The services or programs may be recreational, educational, artistic, therapeutic, medical, cultural, social or environmental in nature.

Wayne & Sylvia Barnard Family Fund	\$23,993
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Mary & Al Woods Animal Welfare Fund

Established in 2020 by the Estate of Mary Woods, the Mary & Al Woods Animal Welfare Fund will support organizations in Chatham-Kent that are involved in the care, maintenance, benefit and general welfare of domestic and wild animals, with a particular emphasis on cats.

Mary & Al Woods Animal Welfare Fund	\$1,014,895
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Ontario Endowment for Children & Youth in Recreation in Chatham-Kent

This Fund was established through a matching grant from the Ministry of Citizenship, Culture and Recreation, of the Province of Ontario. Within this Fund there are a number of "Donor Named Funds" all of which are used for advancing and supporting participation by children and youth in healthy and safe physical activity and recreation.

Named Funds within the Ontario Endowment for Children & Youth in Recreation in Chatham-Kent Fund:

H.J. (Sandy) & Geraldine Elliot Fund	16,615
William & Eve Stacey Fund	10,200
Ontario Ministry of Citizenship, Culture & Recreation	54,095
Rotary Clubs of Chatham Fund	13,000

Other Donors

\$2,500 - \$5,000

KPMG
Lyle & Nancy McCormick

\$1,000 - \$2,499

Uffe & Sharon Blok-Andersen
Jack & Janette Carroll
Francis Denomy
Ross & Lois Eberlee
Robert & Lynne Fox
Rick Kemppling
Robert McKinlay
David & Anita Pudwell
Russ & Shirley Templeton
Neil Wood & Janet Mallory-Wood

\$500 - \$999

Garry & Gaye Black
Don & Janet Braddon
John Bradley
Brad-Lea Meadows
Paul Courey
Hugo & Tomassina Rossini
Paul & Rosemarie Roy
Leigh Ann Shoji-Lee

Many others below \$500

The Board of Directors wishes to thank our many donors for supporting this special Fund in co-operation with the Ontario Government.

The Environmental Legacy Fund

This Fund was established through a partnership with the J.W. McConnell Foundation of Montreal. The income from this fund is used to financially support environmental initiatives within Chatham-Kent that relate to increasing our understanding of environmental issues and interconnection with the community. It supports initiatives that acknowledge the impact of today's environmental actions on future generations and build relationships with service groups and funding providers to ensure long term sustainability.

The Environmental Legacy Fund is principally financed by a major contribution from the Stan Wonnacott Family. There have also been other donations that were directed to the Environmental Legacy Fund.

Named Funds within the Environmental Legacy Fund

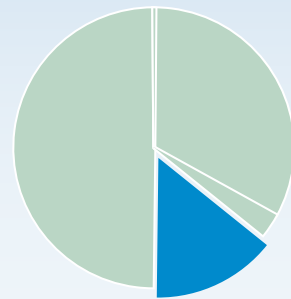
Stan Wonnacott Environmental Fund	\$40,895
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Total of Field of Interest Funds	\$1,173,693
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3. Donor Designated Funds

By establishing a Designated Fund, donors have the opportunity to specify which particular charity or charities they would like to support in perpetuity. If a specified charity ceases to exist and the donor has not named a successor beneficiary, and the donor is unavailable to advise the Foundation, the Foundation will redirect the funds to a Named Fund within the Community Fund.

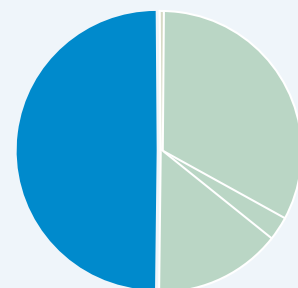
Larry Babcock Memorial Fund	\$80,505
J. Bradley Administrative Fund	20,700
Jack & Janette Carroll Fund	10,965
Carlo Corsini Fund	27,950
Rosa G. Corsini Fund	11,855
Dr. Doug & Betty Keeley Fund	269,342
Mayrand Family Fund	39,109
Mike & Penny McGregor Fund	16,248
McKeough Library Endowment Fund	18,000
William & Eve Stacey Fund	33,823
Wesley D. & Pat Thompson Fund	74,850
Frank & Mary Uniac Fund	206,706
Adolphus & Armintha Weese Scholarship Fund	219,133
Jim & Jann Wickett Dr. Jack Parry Scholarship Fund	10,700
Steve & Lorie Baker Fund	10,000



4. Donor Advised Funds

Donor Advised Funds enable a donor to have ongoing participation in the selection of charities that will benefit from their gift. Donors are involved in the grant making process; however, the Foundation, as trustee, retains the responsibility for final decisions. Provisions should be made in the Donor Advised Fund Agreement to provide directions to the Foundation in the event of the death of the donor or designated advisor.

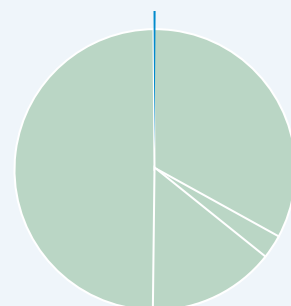
Bradley Family Fund	\$732,054
Garnet George Case Fund	330,000
Donald Allan Cottingham Fund	52,204
Joseph P. & Colleen O'Neill Community Betterment Fund	251,125
Dr. Jim Richardson Fund - for registered charities in Tilbury	506,804
South Kent Wind Community Fund	2,844,540



5. Operating Endowment Fund

The purpose of this fund is to help offset the costs of operating the Foundation. A Named Fund can be established within the Operating Endowment Fund.

Scott Geddes	\$3,600
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The Chatham Kent Community Foundation Managed Funds

In addition to managing the Endowment Funds of the Chatham Kent Community Foundation, the Foundation also manages two other Funds for charities within the community, namely the Carlo Rossini Memorial Diabetes Foundation Fund and the Chatham-Kent Canadian Diabetes Fund. These Funds are owned by the donors and are invested in strict accordance with the Foundation's established Investment Policy. The earnings from these funds are distributed to the designated organizations on an annual basis. Donations to the Chatham Kent Community Foundation may be directed to these funds.

The Carlo Rossini Memorial Diabetes Foundation	\$60,655
Chatham-Kent Canadian Diabetes Fund	83,473

DONORS OF DISTINCTION

Over \$150,000

Dave & Brenda Baute
John D. Bradley
Dr. Doug & Betty Keeley
Joseph P. & Colleen O'Neill
Dr. Jim Richardson
South Kent Wind
Frank Uniac
Armintha Weese Estate
Mary Woods Estate

\$50,000 - \$149,999

Beryl M. Ivey
Raymond & Lucienne Myers Estate
Robert & Verna Parry
Hazel Jean Richardson Estate
Wesley D. & Pat Thompson

\$30,000 - \$49,999

Dr. Hugh H. Allen
Katherine Cottingham
Lois Eberlee
Paul Mayrand
William & Eve Stacey
Russ & Shirley Templeton
Neil Wood & Janet Mallory Wood

\$15,000 - \$29,999

Alexandra Babcock & Todd Cowan
Dorothy Babcock
Baelda Holdings
Bellringer Family
Brad-Lea Meadows
Bob & Shelley Chinnick
Carlo Corsini
Paul Courey
Francis & Lillian Denomy
David & Delynn Dick
Reg & Kathie MacDonald
Mike & Penny McGregor
McKeough Family
Robert McKinlay
John & Jan Meko
Christine Muckle

\$10,000 - \$14,999

Steve & Lorie Baker
Ken & Betty Campbell
Tom & Charlaine Campbell
Jack & Janette Carroll
Casilco Corporation
Richard & Eva Eddington
Dr. Don & Denny Patterson
Robert & Mary Rule
Sybil & Blake Ward
Jim & Jann Wickett

\$5,000 - \$9,999

Skip & Mary Adair
Gordon & Donna Alexander
Dr. & Mrs. Blake Barlow
J.P. Bickell Foundation
Garry & Gaye Black
Richard Bradley
H.J. (Sandy) & Geraldine Elliot
Scott & Lyne Geddes
Richard Ivey
Peter Jamieson & Stephanie VanDerMeersch
Glenda Lansens
Michael & Sherry Lenover
Colin & Gail McGregor
Dr. Mac & Beth McKay
Bill & Jayne Park
Dr. George Parry
Jack & Jane Parry
Ralph & Lyn Parry
Helen & John Perkins
Jerry Prelaz
David & Anita Pudwell
Dr. John & Eleanor Roe
Frank Thompson & Josette DeBrouwer
Ian & Ann Tilley
Union Gas Ltd.

\$2,500 - \$4,999

Frank & Florence Archibald
Dr. Ray & Janet Bernreuter
Uffe & Sharon Blok-Andersen
Don & Janet Braddon
David & Marg Bradley
Elizabeth Bradley
Murray J. & Mary Campbell
Canadian Tire Corp. (Chatham)
Cangram International Inc. -
Maureen Geddes
Dr. Martha Clendenning
Comiskey Ltd. Insurance Adjusters -
Joe Comiskey
DPM Insurance - Ed Kys
Elaine Hook
Steven & Ruth Hook
Bill & Alice James
Peter & Veronica Jamieson
KPMG
Lawson Foundation
Clayton & Betty Leach
W.J. Letang
Ed Little
LPB Investment Ltd.
John & Cathy Mallory
Dr. Lois Pearce
Jack & Elaine Shillington
Paul & Bonnie Sunnen
Donald & Mary Sutherland
Wesley T. & Nancy Thompson

Helen Tyndall
Valderose Gardens
Rosemary Waekens
Western Equipment - Mark Meko
Christopher & Addie White
Jeff & Jennifer Wilson

\$1,000 - \$2,499

Anonymous
Jim Allin
Joseph Anderson
Marilee Asher
Arc Energy - George Monckton
Richard Babcock
John & Diane Beattie
Murray & Carol Bowman
Lindsay Boyd
Dr. Peter & Dianne Brown
Burgess Advanced Technologies
Dr. David & Margaret Campbell
Dr. Richard Charteris
Collins Barrow Chartered Accountants
Timothy Child
Michael Comiskey
John & Janet Cook
Ives & Besse Dagneau
Deloitte Chartered Accountants
David & Amy Eberlee
Economical Insurance
Entegrus Energy
Robert & Lenore Fletcher
Robert & Lynne Fox
Dr. Brian & JoAnne Gamble
Jack & Mildred Garlick
Peter & Ann Gilbert
Larry Gilhula
Helen Glassco
Glengate Investments Inc - Jim Bullock
Goodman & Company
Barry Graham
Dr. Henry
Paul & Marlene Hines
K.A. (Al) Hinnegan
D. Kent & Margaret Kirkland
Bert & Audrey Kraemer
Lally Kia
John & Lorna Lawrence
Dean & Lorraine MacDonald
Mark MacKew
Rae & Bessie Mallory
Stan Mayes
Jack & Trisha McFarlane
Bill & Sally McGregor
William & Betty McGuire Fund
Brian & Susan McNeill
Jack & Ann Morrison
Betty Nash
Robert Nash
Rick & Hilary North

DONORS OF DISTINCTION

Norquay Development Ltd.
 Frances O'Brien
 Jerry O'Brien
 E. & G. Odette Foundation
 P. & L. Odette Charitable
 Foundation Fund
 Joan Patterson
 Shirley Powers
 Premstar Energy
 RBC - Employee Volunteer Program
 RBC Dominion Securities
 The Howard J. Rees Foundation
 Henry & Sarah Regts
 Brian Reid
 Jack & Barbara Ripley
 Ed & Maxine Robbins
 Bruce & Patricia Rogers
 Audree Rossini
 Bill & Jean Rossini
 Dr. & Mrs. J.H. Roth
 Paul & Rosemarie Roy
 Brian & Shelly Skipper
 Smalley, Brisco & Thompson
 Marjorie Storey
 Tom & Cindy Storey
 Molly Stowe
 Dr. Shig & Janet Sugiyama
 George Sulman
 August & Marian Sunnen
 Don & Ruth Tetrault
 Tetrault Management Services
 Thompson Limited
 Annie & Peter Timmermans
 Herb & Irene Todgham
 Deborah Verhey
 Paul & Donna Watson
 Dr. Donna Watterud
 Waddick Fuels
 World Wide Properties

\$500 - \$999

Richard & Frances Anderson
 Atlific Inc.
 Whitney Babcock
 Winnifred Babcock
 Andrew William Barnicke
 Paul & Jeanine Barnicke
 Peter Barnicke
 Richard & Andrea Battista
 Mary Beattie

Bedell's Frozen Foods Ltd.
 Edna Benoit
 Margery Black
 Blenheim Management Ltd.
 Dean Bradley
 Robert S. Bradley
 Paul Brisbois
 Brenda Burgess
 Frederick (Steve) Bush
 James G. Campbell
 Carscallen, Reinhart, Mathany, Maslak
 Thomas Chalmers
 Jeanne Chandler
 Lloyd Clapp
 James Cooke
 Noel & Shirley Courtice
 Rex & Ruth Ann Crawford
 Clare & Roberta Curtis
 Ken Denure
 Dominion Group Foundation
 Eaton Yale
 Elcon Engineering of Wallaceburg Ltd.
 Elric Contractors of Wallaceburg Ltd.
 Erie & Main Consulting
 Essex Hybrid Seeds Co. Ltd.
 Barry & Carolyn Fraser
 Don & Faye Geddes
 Larry Goddard
 Gwenne Gold
 Larry & Flory Grant
 William & Harriet Green
 Lucy Grover
 R.G. Hackett
 Handy Bros. Ltd.
 Henry Heyink Contruction Ltd.
 Hopkins Canada, Inc.
 W.F. Johnson Ltd.
 Dr. Robert & Vira Jones
 Stephanie Keeley-Bunting
 Jack & Mary Jane Kerr
 Lawrence Kerr
 David Leach
 Leon's Furniture - Ken & Jan Edwards
 William & Catherine Long
 Richard MacDiarmid
 Mainstreet Credit Union
 Maizex Seeds Inc.
 Jason Mallory
 Maple City Office Equipment Ltd.
 Alan Marchment

Mariconda Holdings
 J. & T. Mason
 Margaret McCallum
 Don & Virginia McGeorge
 John & Joanne McGorman
 Kenneth McGowan
 John & Diane McGuigan
 David McKeand
 Jeannette McKinlay
 Drs. Zeke & Heather Milkovic
 Miller, Canfield, Paddock & Stone PLC
 Maureen Myers
 Jessie P. O'Neill
 Marnie Perkins
 Pioneer Hi-Bred Ltd.
 Richard Pogue
 Dana Porter
 Raphael Partners
 Richard Reid
 Joseph & Jane Rivers
 Edward S. Rogers
 Rosati Family Foundation
 Ann Ross
 Hugo & Tomassina Rossini
 Paula Rusak
 Bill & Vera Rusak
 Dr. Eileen Scott
 Diane Scott-Pearse
 Charles & Peggy Seaman
 Ruby Shaw
 Sonya Roe Jewelers
 Sparks Carpet One Ltd.
 Bob & Kris Stevens
 Tatro Properties
 TD Bank
 Jay & Diane Teetzel
 Hugh & Marj Thomas
 Margaret Thompson
 TL Ltd.
 Trimark Investment Management Inc.
 Jim Tunks
 Hank Vanderpol
 Bill & Mary Watson
 Dr. Hub & Sue White
 Richard & Katherine Whittington
 Jim & Janet Wilcox
 Dr. Jack & Peg Willard

Others below \$500

COMMEMORATIVE TRIBUTES 2020

In honour or memory of...

Gregory Child
 Jean Crowston

Dr. David Evans
 Ross Eberlee

Richard Ivey
 Maria Corsini

Raeburn Mallory
 Eugene Lebeouf

GRANT MAKING

Timeline:

The Chatham Kent Community Foundation follows a Grant Review Process. The Grant Committee reviews all requests twice per year and makes grants in June and November. In this way, it is hoped that the Foundation can be responsive to the needs of charitable organizations within the community.

Guidelines:

The Board of Directors has developed the following application guidelines:

1. The Foundation supports charitable organizations concerned with EDUCATION, HEALTH, ARTS and CULTURE, RECREATION, the ENVIRONMENT, HERITAGE, and SOCIAL SERVICES that operate for the citizens of Chatham-Kent.
2. Grants are made only to REGISTERED CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS. Organizations seeking funds must demonstrate a strong, committed Board, fiscal responsibility and management qualifications.
3. Grants are awarded for DEFINITE PURPOSES, and for projects covering a specified period of time. Multi-year grants are subject to periodic performance reviews.
4. Preference is given to projects which:
 - (a) encourage more efficient use of community resources
 - (b) expect to test or demonstrate new approaches and techniques in the solution of community problems
 - (c) are developed in consultation with other agencies and planning groups, and those which promote coordination, co-operation and sharing among organizations, and the elimination of duplicated services
 - (d) promote volunteer participation and citizen involvement in the community
 - (e) expect to strengthen internal management capabilities of agencies.
5. CAPITAL PROJECTS will be considered if there is a demonstrated need.
6. BURSARIES and SCHOLARSHIPS are usually awarded to educational institutions and not to individuals.
7. Grants are not usually made to support OPERATING EXPENSES of established organizations or programs.
8. Grants are not made to establish or add to ENDOWMENT FUNDS.
9. Grants are not usually made to RELIGIOUS or POLITICAL organizations for direct activities.

Please obtain a GRANT APPLICATION FORM online: www.chathamkentcommunityfoundation.ca or call 519-351-3348. Once your application has been submitted, the Grant Committee will review the request and make a full report to the Chatham Kent Community Foundation Board of Directors for a final decision.

A promotional banner for a golf tournament. On the left, a golf ball sits on a green grassy surface. The ball features a logo with a stylized green tree and a blue swoosh. The background of the banner is a clear blue sky. Text is overlaid on the right side of the banner in white and green.

GOLF TOURNAMENT

Friday, September 24th, 2021

Willow Ridge Golf & Country Club | 439 Chatham St. S., Blenheim

11:00 AM Start

Registration & Sponsorship Opportunities
\$100.00 for golf, cart, lunch & dinner

Contact: info@chathamkentcommunityfoundation.ca | 519-351-3348

All proceeds from the golf tournament support the operating costs of the foundation

Grants from Donor Designated Funds

Larry Babcock Memorial Fund — Chatham-Kent Pool Sharks \$1,360
Larry Babcock Memorial Fund — Chatham Kent Women's Centre \$680
Larry Babcock Memorial Fund — Junior Achievement of South Western Ontario \$680
Jack & Janette Carroll Fund — Outreach for Hunger \$192
Jack & Janette Carroll Fund — Tri-County Literacy Network \$192
Carlo A. Corsini Fund — Children's Treatment Centre of Chatham-Kent \$978
Rosa G. Corsini Fund — Family Service Kent \$406
Dr. Doug & Betty Keeley Fund — CKHA Foundation Surgical Unit \$9,427
Mayrand Family Fund — Community Living Chatham-Kent \$1,279
McKeough Library Endowment Fund — Chatham-Kent Public Library \$630
William and Eve Stacey Fund — CKHA Foundation MRI \$1,184
Wesley D. & Pat Thompson Fund — Kenesserie Camp \$2,620
Frank & Mary Uniac Fund — St. Clair College nursing scholarship \$6,873
Adolphus & Armintha Weese Scholarship Fund — student scholarship \$7,670
Jim & Jann Wickett — Dr. Jack Parry Scholarship Fund \$366

Grants from Donor Advised Funds

Joseph P. & Colleen O'Neill Community Betterment Fund — Arthritis Society \$2,500
Joseph P. & Colleen O'Neill Community Betterment Fund — Kenesserie Camp \$6,289
Donald Allan Cottingham Fund — Family Service Kent \$1,487
Dr. Jim Richardson Fund — Tilbury & District Historical Society \$10,369
Garnett George Case Fund — Ska Na Family Learning Centre \$10,500

Grants from Field of Interest Funds

Wayne & Sylvia Barnard Family Fund — YMCA of Southwestern Ontario \$840
Wonnacott Environmental Fund — Kenesserie Camp \$1,483
Ontario Endowment for Children & Youth in Recreation Fund — YMCA of Southwestern Ontario \$4,294

Grants from Funds that Support the Operations of the Chatham Kent Community Foundation

Bradley Family Fund — \$25,619
J. Bradley Administrative Fund — \$725
Scott Geddes Operating Endowment — \$103
Mike & Penny McGregor Fund — \$555

GRANTS FROM THE EMERGENCY COMMUNITY SUPPORT FUND

The Emergency Community Support Fund was launched by the Government of Canada in May, 2020. The focus of this \$350M fund was to help charities and nonprofit organizations, specifically those which serve vulnerable populations, change their operations in response to COVID-19 Public Health measures.

Learning Disabilities Association of Chatham-Kent \$5,926

This grant allowed the association to provide “Literacy Assistance” remotely, through reading programs and tutoring.

Let’s Talk Science - The Horizon Project \$412

This funding supported the distribution of 50 Learning Packs to Grade 4 - 6 students. The packs focussed on STEM and literacy activities.

Parkinson Society Southwestern Ontario \$11,750

The grant helped provide online and telephone outreach, including therapy and counselling, to clients.

Blenheim Youth Centre \$23,590

The Youth Centre was able to provide young people the opportunity to engage in after-school recreational and social skill-building activities during lockdown closures from the comforts of their own homes and spaces.

Chatham-Kent YMCA \$10,290

The grant enabled YMCA staff to provide phone support, care packages, and children’s activity toolkits while their facility was closed to the public.

Chatham-Kent Hospice Foundation \$15,000

This funding covered additional staff expenses incurred because volunteers were unable to work due to public health restrictions.

Easter Seals Ontario \$1,300

This grant supported an online camp experience to 15 children in Chatham-Kent.

Family Service Kent \$47,250

These funds enabled the organization to coordinate access and distribution of food to seniors, individuals with disabilities, single parents, and the homeless population in Chatham-Kent.

Mental Health Network of Chatham Kent \$20,000

This grant led to the establishment and continued operation of the “Warm Line”, a pre-crisis telephone counselling service for those affected by mental illness and addiction.

Youth Situation Table \$15,000

A virtual Backyard Camp was held for children served by Learning Disabilities Association of CK, CK Children’s Services, Blenheim Youth Centre, VON Kids’ Circle and Big Brothers / Big Sisters.

March of Dimes \$12,500

“Social Connect”, a one-on-one counselling service for persons with a disability, was able to continue through phone and video conferencing.

Victorian Order of Nurses \$2,500

This grant led to the creation of the “Adopt-A-Grandparent” program, which matched youth with socially isolated seniors who were struggling with the challenges of social distancing.

Loads of Love Humanitarian Aid \$7,500

This funding supported work to clean and sanitize the Thrift Store and institute processes to keep clients safe when the store re-opened.

Maple City Centre For Older Adults \$12,500

The grant was used to continue the Foot Care Clinic and support food distribution to seniors in Chatham-Kent.

NeighbourLink \$10,000

This group used the grant to provide free food delivery from three food banks to those in need.

Restorative Justice Chatham-Kent \$9,572

This grant funded the “Positive Strides” program, which offers counselling and support for at-risk youth aged 7-17.

TJ Stables - Acceptional Riders \$18,821

TJ Stables was able to increase private and semiprivate therapy sessions with trained professionals as they addressed the mental health and physical therapy crisis brought on by COVID-19.

St. Andrew’s Residence \$15,000

Residents were able to use iPads purchased with this grant to maintain virtual connections with family and friends during social distancing. Further money was used to provide a vehicle to get residents to their medical appointments.

\$19,000

This grant supported the Meals on Wheels program, which made meal deliveries to the food-insecure population.

\$15,000

The residence was able to hire a temporary staff position and purchase supplies to support individuals in isolation due to COVID-19 protocols with this grant.



Jessica Smith, the Executive Director of St. Andrew’s Residence, and supporter Mike Peach with a van that was purchased for the Chatham senior’s residence with additional funds from a CKCF grant.

GRANTS FROM THE CHATHAM KENT COMMUNITY FOUNDATION COVID-19 RELIEF FUND, SPRING 2020:

Blenheim Youth Centre \$1,500

This grant will support the development of youth programs when COVID-19 closures end.

Camp Oochigeas and Camp Trillium Childhood Cancer Support Centre \$5,000

Camp Ooch and Camp Trillium can now provide remote programming for children and families affected by childhood cancer with this funding.

Chatham-Kent Women's Centre \$3,000

This grant covered the cost of necessary supplies, such as additional hand soap, sanitizer, and cleaning products, and food for clients.

Chatham Outreach For Hunger \$20,000

This grant was used to supply nutritious meals to those in need during the COVID-19 lockdowns.

Chatham-Kent Community Health Centres \$36,500

The medical team was able to establish a "Virtual Care" program with this grant, which was used to purchase in-home medical equipment and supplies. Funds were also directed to Client Support programs.

Chatham-Kent Health Alliance Foundation \$50,000

This grant was used to purchase medical equipment for treatment of COVID-19 patients at the Chatham-Kent Health Alliance.

GRANTS FROM THE CHATHAM KENT COMMUNITY FOUNDATION COVID-19 RELIEF FUND - FALL 2020

The Arthritis Society \$5,000

These funds helped extend the "Legacy Connect" virtual kids' camp program through the fall and winter months.

Changing Ways \$6,500

The "Caring Dads" telephone support program offers counselling to fathers at risk of perpetrating child and spousal abuse or neglect.

Family Service Kent \$60,000

This grant was used to provide free remote counselling sessions and transportation for children, adolescents, adults, and seniors in individual, couple and/or family therapy sessions.

Kenesserie Camp \$20,000

The grant will help cover operating costs of the camp, and keep the camp open so programming can re-start once the COVID-19 pandemic is over.

Restorative Justice Chatham-Kent \$12,000

This grant covers the costs of the "Positive Strides" program, which is available at no cost to children and youth.

Chatham-Kent Hospice Foundation \$10,000

This grant covered the increased cost of linen service due to a higher risk of infection during the COVID-19 pandemic.

Children's Treatment Centre Foundation of Chatham-Kent \$5,000

These funds were used to help families of Special Needs children with household expenses during the initial COVID-19 Shelter in Place orders.

Junior Achievement of SW Ontario \$7,000

JA programming was moved to an online platform through the support of this grant.

Mental Health Network of Chatham-Kent \$10,000

The Mental Health Network used this money to purchase, prepare, and deliver 100 meals per week to their clients. As well, the grant helped the organization carry out 100 support calls per day to MHNCK clients.

The Kidney Foundation of Canada \$2,000

These funds went to the Emergency Short Term Financial Assistance Program, a support net for kidney dialysis patients in Chatham-Kent.

This is an intervention and education program for youth who are not currently in conflict with the law, but who are at risk for delinquent, negative behaviours, and who may be struggling in school, at home, or within their social environments.

Ska:Na Family Learning Centre \$30,000

This grant enabled the Centre to perform an "Environmental Scan" assessment, and aid in planning, with the health, social services, housing, employment, and child care service providers in Indigenous communities.

YMCA \$12,628

The CKCF funds helped staff optimize the safety of the Chatham YMCA building, and offer financial assistance to those in need.

United Way of Chatham-Kent \$4,451

This grant was directed to the United Way's "Food Fund", which was established to support charitable organizations addressing food insecurity in Chatham-Kent.

INVESTMENT AND FINANCIAL REPORTS

CONDENSED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

December 31, 2020

	Operating Fund	Perpetual Fund	Total
Assets			
Current assets	148,219	88,927	237,146
Investments	218,574	8,368,421	8,586,995
	366,793	8,457,348	8,824,141
Liabilities			
Current liabilities	158,486	2,054	160,540
Fund balances	208,307	8,455,294	8,663,601
	366,793	8,457,348	8,824,141

CONDENSED STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES

Year Ended December 31, 2020

	Operating Fund	Perpetual Fund	Total
Revenue	89,650	1,623,565	1,713,215
Expenses	65,234	15,102	80,336
Distributions		414,159	414,159
	65,234	429,261	494,495
Excess of revenue over expenses	24,416	1,194,304	1,218,720
Fund balances, beginning of year	183,891	7,260,990	7,444,881
Fund balances, end of year	208,307	8,455,294	8,663,601

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