



CHATHAM KENT
COMMUNITY
FOUNDATION

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2021 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.'

Sincere thanks to all of the players, sponsors and volunteers who contributed to the great success of the 2021 CKCF Golf Tournament!

Join us in 2022 for another fun day on the links!

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 23RD, 2022

Hidden Hills Golf & Country Club | 25393 St. Clair Rd., Dover Centre

1:00 p.m. Shotgun Start | \$125 for Golf, Cart, Lunch and Dinner



Event Sponsor

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES:

Email: info@ChathamKentCommunityFoundation.ca

Phone: 519.351.3348

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

REPORT FROM THE CHAIR

The Chatham Kent Community Foundation is built on the generous nature of the residents of Chatham-Kent. Through donations large and small, the Chatham Kent Community Foundation is able to provide opportunity and hope for charitable organizations in Chatham-Kent for years to come.

We are very proud to report that the endowment fund has grown to over \$12,000,000, with donations of \$1,200,000 in 2021. All donations are invested in the endowment fund, and only the earnings are used for grants to charitable organizations in Chatham-Kent. We want to recognize the development of a new fund, the JoLynn Deprez Athletic Fund, as well as meaningful additions to the Honey McDonald Fund, the South Kent Wind Community Fund, the Steve & Lorie Baker Fund, the Ross & Lois Eberlee Fund, and the Lindsay & Cindy Boyd Fund.



Ruth Hook
Board Chair 2021

The Chatham Kent Community Foundation was able to distribute a total of \$590,000 in 2021, which benefitted 56 charitable organizations. This included a special one-time increase of \$150,000 to help meet extra needs in the community caused by the COVID 19 pandemic.

A special thank you to our sponsors who helped make our golf tournament a success, and supported our Annual Report. Our sponsors, the volunteers who organized the event and worked tirelessly at the tournament, and the golfers who participated made the day fun and helped raise funds to support the operating costs of the Foundation. We look forward to seeing everyone at our golf event this coming September.

In closing, I want to thank you for the honour of serving as Chair of the Chatham Kent Community Foundation, and to express my support for the success of the incoming chair, Dr. Irene Moore.

On the cover:

- *Meg takes a stroll through the newly-installed animal play equipment at the Pet and Wildlife Rescue facility in Chatham. Funds from the Woods Animal Welfare Fund and the CKCF were used to build fencing around the park.*
- *Volunteers with Family Service Kent's Mobile Market show off some of the fresh vegetables that were made available to communities across CK throughout the year.*



Louis surveys the new PAWR-K that was developed at the Pet and Wildlife Rescue facility in Chatham. Funds from the Woods Animal Welfare Fund and the CKCF were used to build fencing around the park.

THE YEAR IN REVIEW

JoLynn Deprez Athletic Fund

A Ridgetown husband has taken the loss of his wife and turned it into a gift to the community that they both loved and supported.

JoLynn Danielle Deprez passed away suddenly in November 2021. She left behind her husband of 13 years, Chris, and her young daughter Winnie.

JoLynn is remembered by friends, family, and colleagues as a vibrant person with a strong presence. She was well-regarded at the Ministry of Labour, Training, and Skills Development, where she worked since 2013. JoLynn was known as the go-to person when colleagues had a question or challenge.

She and her husband also supported youth athletics in South Kent, having met on a soccer field in 2005. Sports, health, and fitness were always JoLynn's passion. Chris is also a past-president of the Ridgetown Optimist Club, and he and JoLynn were very involved in the youth soccer program in Ridgetown.

Chris said in the wake of JoLynn's death he wanted to create a charity or memorial in her honour, but didn't know how to go about doing that. His funeral director facilitated a meeting with Chris Pegg, Executive Director of the Chatham Kent Community Foundation.

"I didn't want to start something from scratch," Chris said. "It made sense to create a fund for her with the foundation, and earmark it for youth and sports."

He said while the initial output from the fund may not seem like much, it's the longevity of the fund that appeals to him.

"This fund will keep growing," Chris said. "I really like that idea."

"JoLynn was always involved in fitness, and always promoted health and fitness. Hopefully this will affect the youth in our community, and give back a bit."



Kallista Everaert, centre, receives the Carlo Rossini Memorial Diabetes Foundation award from Jan Mallory-Wood, left, and Jean Rossini, right. (Handout)

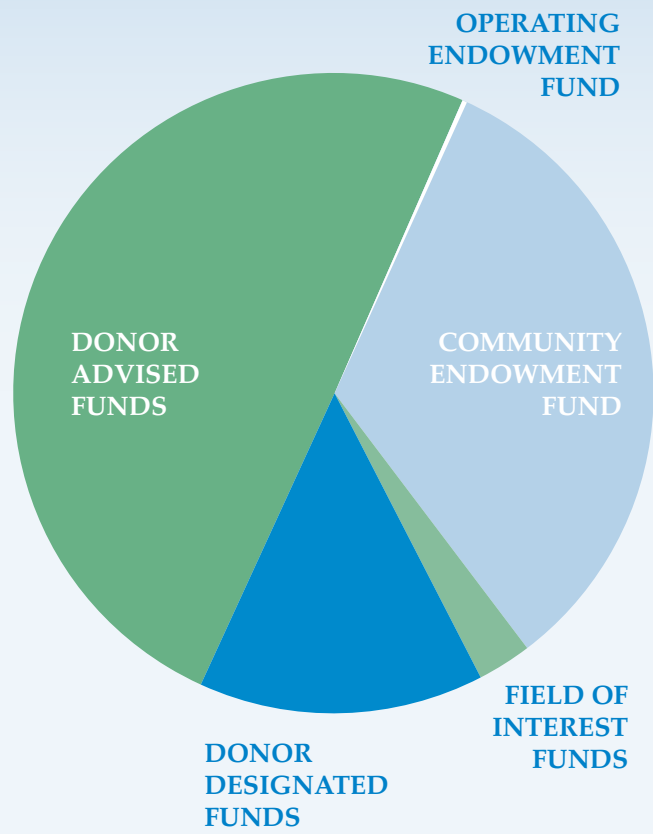
The Foundation lost two dynamic supporters in 2021 with the passing of Jean Rossini in April, and Jan Mallory-Wood in December. Jean Rossini had a keen interest in the progression of the Foundation, particularly after having established the Carlo Rossini Memorial Diabetes Foundation in honour of her son. Over the years she has volunteered at numerous fund-raising events and meetings. Jan Mallory-Wood served as Chair of the Special Events committee for years, and spear-headed many very successful, and memorable, fund-raising events. Former Foundation Chair Kris Stevens said the women had a positive impact on the growth of the Foundation.

"They were both so giving of their time and expertise."

...Ms. Stevens said.

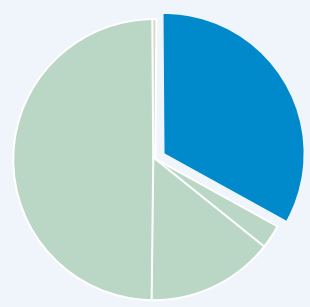
ABOUT OUR FUNDS

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.



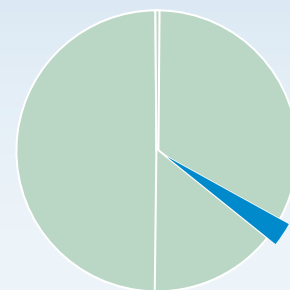
Named Funds within the Community Endowment Fund

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| The Allen Family Fund | \$32,143 |
| Anakin Templeton Fund | 33,734 |
| 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 | 59,860 |
| Richard & Eva Eddington Family Fund | 10,000 |
| H.J. (Sandy) & Geraldine Elliot Fund | 5,550 |
| Beryl M. Ivey Fund | 103,500 |
| Honey MacDonald Fund | 1,152,000 |
| 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 | 46,695 |
| Edward T. Little Fund | 5,000 |

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 six 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

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

Lindsay and Cindy Boyd Fund

Established in 2020, the Lindsay and Cindy Boyd Fund will support those in Chatham-Kent who face food insecurity issues, specifically those served by food banks and soup kitchens.

Lindsay and Cindy Boyd Fund \$10,000

JoLynn Deprez Athletic Fund

Established in 2021, the JoLynn Deprez Athletic Fund will support Youth in Athletics in Chatham-Kent, specifically to those living and pursuing athletic activities in Blenheim and Ridgeway.

JoLynn Deprez Athletic Fund \$8,030

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:

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| 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

Ross & Lois Eberlee
Robert & Lynne Fox
Rick Kempling
Robert McKinlay
David & Anita Pudwell
Russ & Shirley Templeton
Neil Wood & Janet Mallory-Wood

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

\$1,000 - \$2,499

Uffe & Sharon Blok-Andersen
Jack & Janette Carroll
Francis Denomy

\$500 - \$999

Garry & Gaye Black

Many others below \$500

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

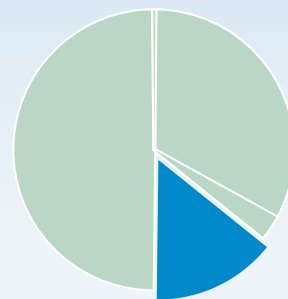
Total of Field of Interest Funds

\$1,191,723

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.

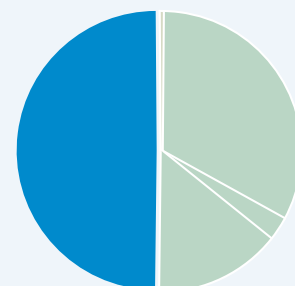
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| Larry Babcock Memorial Fund | \$81,255 |
| J. Bradley Administrative Fund | 20,700 |
| Jack & Janette Carroll Fund | 10,965 |
| Carlo Corsini Fund | 28,050 |
| Rosa G. Corsini Fund | 15,890 |
| Dr. Doug & Betty Keeley Fund | 269,342 |
| Mayrand Family Fund | 50,519 |
| Mike & Penny McGregor Fund | 16,548 |
| McKeough Library Endowment Fund | 18,350 |
| William & Eve Stacey Fund | 33,823 |
| Wesley D. & Pat Thompson Fund | 77,850 |
| Frank & Mary Uniac Fund | 216,706 |
| Adolphus & Armintha Weese Scholarship Fund | 219,133 |
| Jim & Jann Wickett Dr. Jack Parry Scholarship Fund | 10,700 |
| Steve & Lorie Baker Fund | 20,100 |
| Carlo Rossini Memorial Diabetes Fund | 72,502 |



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.

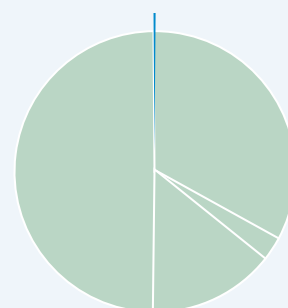
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| Bradley Family Fund | \$738,803 |
| Garnet George Case Fund | 330,000 |
| Donald Allan Cottingham Fund | 57,784 |
| Joseph P. & Colleen O'Neill Community Betterment Fund | 251,125 |
| Dr. Jim Richardson Fund - for registered charities in Tilbury | 506,804 |
| South Kent Wind Community Fund | 3,205,554 |



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.

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| Scott Geddes | \$3,750 |
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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.

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| Chatham-Kent Canadian Diabetes Fund | 83,473 |
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DONORS OF DISTINCTION

Over \$150,000

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

\$50,000 - \$149,999

Katharine Cottingham
Lois Eberlee
Beryl M. Ivey
Paul Mayrand
Raymond & Lucienne Myers Estate
Robert & Verna Parry
Hazel Jean Richardson Estate
Wesley D. & Pat Thompson

\$30,000 - \$49,999

Dr. Hugh H. Allen
William & Eve Stacey
Russ & Shirley Templeton
Neil Wood & Janet Mallory Wood

\$15,000 - \$29,999

Alexandra Babcock & Todd Cowan
Dorothy Babcock
Baelda Holdings
Steve & Lorie Baker
Bellringer Family
Brad-Lea Meadows
Bob & Shelley Chinnick
Carlo Corsini
Paul Courey
Francis & Lillian Denomy
David & Delynn Dick
Mike & Penny McGregor
McKeough Family
Robert McKinlay
John & Jan Meko
Christine Muckle
Wesley T. & Nancy Thompson

\$10,000 - \$14,999

Dr. David & Margaret Campbell
Ken & Betty Campbell
Tom & Charlaire 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 Geddes
Richard Ivey
Peter Jamieson & Stephanie VanDerMeersch
Glenda Lansens
John & Lorna Lawrence
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
Mike Lenover
W.J. Letang
Ed Little
LPB Investment Ltd.
John & Cathy Mallory
Dr. Lois Pearce
Jack & Elaine Shillington
Paul & Bonnie Sunnen
Donald & Mary Sutherland
Helen Tyndall

Valderose Gardens
Rosemary Waekens
Western Equipment
Christopher & Addie White
Jeff & Jennifer Wilson

\$1,000 - \$2,499

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. 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
William & Catherine Long
Dean & Lorraine MacDonald
Mark MacKew
Rae & Bessie Mallory
Stan Mayes
Jack & Trisha McFarlane
Bill & Sally McGregor
David & Mary Lynn McGuire
William & Betty McGuire Fund
Brian & Susan McNeill
Jack & Ann Morrison
Betty Nash
Robert Nash
Rick & Hilary North
Norquay Development Ltd.
Frances O'Brien
Jerry O'Brien

DONORS OF DISTINCTION

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
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Tom & Cindy Storey
Molly Stowe
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George Sulman
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Tetrault Management Services
Hugh Thomas
Thompson Limited
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Deborah Verhey
Paul & Donna Watson
Dr. Donna Watterud
Waddick Fuels
Daniel Whittal
Jim & Janet Wilcox
Jennifer Wilson
World Wide Properties

\$500 - \$999

Terry Amerlinck
Richard & Frances Anderson
Atlic 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
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Ken Denure
Chris Deprez
Dominion Group Foundation
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Elcon Engineering of Wallaceburg Ltd.
Elric Contractors of Wallaceburg Ltd.
Erie & Main Consulting
Essex Hybrid Seeds Co. Ltd.
Barry & Carolyn Fraser
Don & Faye Geddes
Mike & Mary Genge
Larry Goddard
Gwenne Gold
Larry & Flory Grant
William & Harriet Green
Lucy Grover
R.G. Hackett
Handy Bros. Ltd.
Henry Heyink Contruction Ltd.
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Jack & Mary Jane Kerr
Lawrence Kerr
David Leach
Leon's Furniture - Ken & Jan Edwards
Richard MacDiarmid
Mainstreet Credit Union

Maizex Seeds Inc.
Jason Mallory
Maple City Office Equipment Ltd.
Alan Marchmont
Mariconda Holdings
J. & T. Mason
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John & Diane McGuigan
David McKeand
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Dr. Eileen Scott
Diane Scott-Pearse
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Sonya Roe Jewelers
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Tatro Properties
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Margaret Thompson
TL Ltd.
Trimark Investment Management Inc.
Jim Tunks
Hank Vanderpol
Bill & Mary Watson
Dr. Hub & Sue White
Richard & Katherine Whittington
Dr. Jack & Peg Willard

Others below \$500

COMMEMORATIVE TRIBUTES 2021 | *In honour or memory of...*

JoLynn Deprez
Jan Mallory-Wood
Lois Eberlee
John Pratt

Caroline Evans
Russell Templeton
Audrey Kraemer
Jean Rossini

Joyce McKeough
Marilynn Bracken
Mary Marentette
Trudy Postma

Paul Belanger
Dave Brooks
Tina Hazlett
Dennis Clarke
Dr. John Roe
Frank Sysel

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.

Grants from Donor Designated Funds

Larry Babcock Memorial Fund — Chatham-Kent Pool Sharks \$1,392
Larry Babcock Memorial Fund — Chatham Kent Women's Centre \$696
Larry Babcock Memorial Fund — Junior Achievement of South Western Ontario \$696
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 \$980
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 \$1,334
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 \$2,665
Frank & Mary Uniac Fund — St. Clair College nursing scholarship \$7,065
Adolphus & Armintha Weese Scholarship Fund — student scholarship \$7,670
Jim & Jann Wickett — Dr. Jack Parry Scholarship Fund \$376
Mary & Al Woods Animal Welfare Fund — Chatham-Kent Animal Rescue \$8,000
Mary & Al Woods Animal Welfare Fund — Pet and Wildlife Rescue (P.A.W.R.) \$9,761



Grants from Donor Advised Funds

Joseph P. & Colleen O'Neill Community Betterment Fund — Blenheim Youth Centre \$3,754

Joseph P. & Colleen O'Neill Community Betterment Fund — Camp Vincent - Society of St. Vincent de Paul \$2,500

Donald Allan Cottingham Fund — Blenheim Youth Centre \$1,740

Garnett George Case Fund — Camp Vincent - Society of St. Vincent de Paul \$4,000

Garnett George Case Fund — Dresden Lawn Bowling Club \$2,550

Grants from Field of Interest Funds

Wayne & Sylvia Barnard Family Fund — Blenheim Youth Centre \$840

Wonnacott Environmental Fund — Lower Thames Valley Conservation Authority \$1,484

Ontario Endowment for Children & Youth in Recreation Fund — Chatham-Kent Children's Safety Village \$4,333

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

Bradley Family Fund — \$25,727

J.Bradley Administrative Fund — \$725

Scott Geddes Operating Endowment — \$123

Mike & Penny McGregor Fund — \$561

GRANTS FROM THE SOUTH KENT WIND COMMUNITY FUND*

A DONOR ADVISED FUND OF THE CHATHAM KENT COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

Camp Oochigeas and Camp Trillium Childhood Cancer Support Centre \$6,000

This grant enabled four local families affected by childhood cancer to access online support and programming. These families also received 'camp-in-a-box' kits filled with everything they needed to fully participate in programs – from arts & craft supplies and internet sticks to camp mementoes.

Chatham-Kent Women's Centre \$10,528

This funding covered the cost to build a privacy fence on the south side of the centre, providing additional security, safety, and confidentiality to those using the centre.

Chatham-Kent Hospice Foundation \$10,900

This funding allowed the hospice to purchase medical and office equipment. Since opening in April, 2016, the Hospice has provided end-of-life care to over 800 individuals. In that time, the office and medical equipment has been put to great use, and some of it now needs to be updated and replaced.

Children's Treatment Centre Foundation \$5,000

This funding helped support the 'Bridging the Gap' program, which is a new initiative designed to help parents with high-needs children co-ordinate their care programs with an on-site nurse-practitioner.

Dresden Sidestreets Youth Centre \$12,000

This grant covered the cost of interior and exterior renovations to the Youth Centre facility. The goal of the renovations was to ensure that youth in Dresden and surrounding areas have a safe and inviting 'home' for many years to come.

Erieau Community Association \$6,400

This funding will support Phase 1 of the construction of two pickleball courts with fencing at Laverne Kelly Memorial Park in Erieau.

IODE Kent Regiment Chapter \$3,000

This funding is continued support of the 'Gathering Our Heroes' database.

New Beginnings ABI & Stroke Recovery Association \$10,580

The South Kent Wind support enabled the association to purchase an Accessible Bike for its members.

Junior Achievement of South Western Ontario \$1,300

This funding allowed volunteers to present two Junior Achievement financial literacy programs to 50 grade 7 and 8 students in Chatham-Kent.

Rotary Club of Tilbury Foundation \$7,122

This grant was used to purchase wheelchair-accessible picnic tables and a splash pad wheelchair for use at the Tilbury Knights of Columbus Park.

St. Anne Catholic School - Blenheim \$2,900

The school was able to build an outdoor classroom with this funding. The learning area features a large picnic table and an outdoor chalkboard.

The Kidney Foundation of Canada \$3,000

This grant supported the Emergency Short-Term Financial Assistance Program. Through this program patients can access funds for medical costs, transportation costs, and basic living expenses.

Wallaceburg and District Council for the Arts \$620

This grant was used to purchase and install a security camera system at Community Fellowship Baptist Church, where the band's instruments are stored.

GRANTS MADE BY THE CHATHAM KENT COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

Arthritis Society \$5,000

Club Sunrise is a free program that provides children and youth aged 5-17 who are affected by arthritis or other rheumatic diseases an opportunity to come together online to participate in fun and interactive activities throughout the year.

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Chatham-Kent \$27,300

This grant covered the salary of a caseworker who delivered a much-needed virtual group mentoring program to children and youth in Chatham-Kent.

Canadian Cancer Society \$10,000

This funding is continued support of the Wheels of Hope Transportation Service for Chatham-Kent residents who need assistance getting to and from cancer treatment sessions.

Chatham Off-Road Bicycling Association \$10,000

In 2021 the association was able to go forward with plans to design and build an outdoor bicycle park.

Chatham Kent Animal Rescue \$8,000

This organization arranges foster care for pets that have been surrendered by their owners, or that come from 'high kill' shelters. The project included the purchase of computers and office equipment, and the funding came from the Woods Animal Welfare Fund.

Chatham-Kent Community Health Centres \$20,000

The funding helped the community health centre carry out in-home client support. Staff were able to visit patients at home and provide important services such as blood draws, portable blood pressure checks, gift cards for food, household supplies, and pharmacy support.

Chatham-Kent Health Alliance Foundation \$10,000

This grant is supporting the Inpatient Mental Health Unit Revitalization project at the Chatham campus of the Chatham-Kent Health Alliance. Plans include the development of therapeutic spaces where outside stimulus is eliminated. The new rooms will focus on a recovery-based model of care.

Family Service Kent \$20,000

This grant funded approximately 1,000 50-minute counselling sessions at Family Service Kent. A portion of the funding was used to secure transportation for clients who would otherwise be unable to get to the FSK office for their appointment.

Learning Disabilities Association of Chatham Kent \$5,000

This grant supports the Better Emotional and Social Times (B.E.S.T) Social Skills Training Program, which helps children develop appropriate social skills. The target group for this program is children with, or suspect of having, Learning Disabilities, including students with Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD).

Lower Thames Valley Conservation Authority \$1,484

This grant supports a project that is using acoustic monitoring equipment and "citizen scientists" to monitor and identify bird and bat species at conservation areas throughout Chatham-Kent. Funding is from the Wonnacott Environmental Fund (\$1,437) and the Environmental Legacy Fund (\$47).

MADD Canada \$2,025

The funding supported MADD Canada's SmartWheels education program for elementary students. This specially-outfitted recreational vehicle has a large projection screen, individual tablets and virtual reality goggles, to provide a fully interactive experience for students in Grades 4 – 6, and show them the risks associated with mixing alcohol and drugs with driving.

Pet And Wildlife Rescue \$10,000

This grant supported the development of a fenced area behind the animal shelter that is referred to as the PAWR-K. It is a multi-use space where volunteers can safely engage with shelter pets, and is suitable for people with reduced mobility. Funding came from the Woods Animal Welfare Fund (\$9,761) and the CKCF.

Shrewsbury and Raglan Assembly \$5,000

This community group in Shrewsbury was able to continue with renovations and improvements to its assembly building, which dates to 1895. Work included replacing the siding, soffits and original wood-framed windows.

St. Andrew's Residence \$6,000

This grant allowed six local men to attend 12 sessions of the "Creating Harmony Within" Equine Therapy program.

Westover Treatment Centre \$10,000

The Centre used this funding to purchase and install divider doors so one large room could be divided into three smaller spaces.

Wheatley Area Food Bank \$25,000

The town of Wheatley experienced a devastating explosion in the summer of 2021, displacing families and businesses. This grant was used by the food bank to purchase and provide appropriate storage for perishable foods and dry goods, as well as to deliver food to people and families in need in the community.



Funding from the CKCF supported numerous Big Brothers, Big Sisters of Chatham-Kent programs. Top left: Big Brother Cole and Little Brother Austin were matched during the Big Brothers, Big Sisters successful spring 2021 campaign.

Bottom left: Big Brother Brian and Little Sister Layland have been matched for a number of years and are monitored by a caseworker supported by a CKCF grant.

Right: Big Sister Yamilla and Little Sister Brianna stay connected through a virtual mentoring program developed with funding from the CKCF.

GRANTS MADE JOINTLY BY THE SOUTH KENT WIND COMMUNITY FUND AND OTHER FUNDS OF THE CHATHAM KENT COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

Active Lifestyle Centre \$11,500

The ALC purchased three treadmills and four exercise bikes that were installed in the gymnasium at the centre. Members are now able to exercise safely, which contributes to their mental and physical wellbeing.

Big Brothers, Big Sisters of Chatham-Kent \$20,000

This grant supported the expansion of mentoring programs to all communities within Chatham-Kent. The majority of Big Brothers, Big Sisters matches are based in urban areas, and the association is working to establish more matches in our community's rural areas.

Blenheim Youth Centre \$21,500

This grant money allowed the BYC to continue to promote and deliver virtual program boxes, in partnership with Tilbury Solid Rock Café and Dresden Side Streets Youth Centre. At its peak, the BYC delivered 110 activity boxes to families across the municipality in one week. The youth could then connect online to carry out the activity with BYC staff.

Camp Vincent - Society of St. Vincent de Paul \$13,000

This funding enabled the camp to carry out essential renovations to one cabin, and to replace a wooden dock with a floating dock.

Chatham-Kent Children's Safety Village \$10,000

This funding allowed the Safety Village to move to a virtual format following school closures during the COVID 19 pandemic. The group purchased 50 "SOS 4 Kids" programs, which they then put in a kit with other material for students. A portion of the funding was also used for PPE and social distancing elements for buildings at the Safety Village.

Chatham-Kent Hospice Foundation \$11,000

The grant was used to enhance the Supportive Care Program. This program helps ease the burden on individuals who are facing the end of their life, and their families. The program is carried out by trained professionals who offer emotional and spiritual support through music therapy, story-telling and other means.

Dresden Kinsmen 2-year grant of \$10,000/yr

This two-year grant covered the cost of installing playground equipment, outdoor furniture, and a sun shelter around the community's Splashpad.

Dresden Lawn Bowling Club \$6,550

This grant helped offset the loss of revenue that the club experienced because of public health COVID 19 restrictions.

Family Service Kent - Mobile Market \$20,000

The Mobile Market delivers fresh, affordable produce to 13 communities across Chatham-Kent. Different produce options are available each week, and customers can purchase a bag for a donation back to the project, if able.

IODE Catherine McVean Chapter \$6,000

The funding covered the costs of installing a new roof on a picnic shelter at the Dresden Arboretum.

Kenesserie Camp \$20,000

This grant enabled the camp to carry out consultations and preliminary designs for a new septic system. Kenesserie Camp is a summer camp and 3-season facility that annually hosts 600 local children in its camp and leadership training programs, and employs 30 local youth and young adults each summer.

Learning Disabilities Association of Chatham Kent \$5,070

This funding supported the online Backyard Camp program. Eight groups worked together to provide activity boxes and a virtual camp to children. Programming included workshops, arts and crafts projects, and physical activities.

Learning Disabilities Association of Chatham Kent \$2,150

The grant supported the 'Some Assembly Required' program, a series of seminars for children in grades 6 to 10, to help them bolster their self-esteem and prepare them for secondary school.

No One Stands Alone \$5,000

This grant supported the production and distribution of the "No One Stands Alone" booklet. The publication is a guide to resources and supports for mental health, and is available for free at businesses across the municipality.

Red Cross \$10,000

This grant supported the "Homeward Bound" program which offers meal delivery and transportation for seniors returning home after a hospital stay.

Ridgetown and Area Adult Activity Centre 5-year grant of \$20,000/yr

This funding will help cover the cost of parking lot paving, landscaping and furniture for the recently built Adult Activity Centre in Ridgetown.

ROCK Missions \$20,000

This grant supported the Missions' emergency food box program. Once a month, volunteers deliver food hampers to anyone who requests one, no questions asked. The hampers include food and hygiene products. Some of the funding covered the cost of delivering the boxes throughout CK.

Scouts Canada, Camp Catarauqui \$3,200

This grant covered ongoing expenses for insurance, hydro, propane, general maintenance (including safety updates), tractor repair, and administrative costs for the camp.

Shrewsbury and Raglan Assembly \$5,000

This community group in Shrewsbury was able to continue with renovations and improvements to its assembly building.

Thamesville Sertoma Club \$5,000

This funding supported improvements to the club's community hall.

Victorian Order of Nurses Chatham-Kent \$15,600

This grant is continued support of the Kids' Circle program, which offers illness and bereavement support for children and teens.

Walpole Island Land Trust \$20,000

This funding went to a greenhouse construction project on Walpole Island. The community project will help families both on Walpole Island and in the surrounding area access free, nutritious vegetables.

YMCA of Southwestern Ontario \$14,000

The YMCA has partnered with Wallaceburg District High School to create a safe place for after-school activities on campus. This students-only section includes areas to do homework and study, play music and video games, a fitness centre, and private rooms for counselling. This grant covered the cost of art supplies and music supplies, and funded staff support for the program.

YMCA of Southwestern Ontario \$12,867

The grant was used to purchase equipment to expand the YMCA's outdoor play capacity. A portion was also put towards the Strong Kids subsidy, which allows children to attend summer camp regardless of their family's ability to pay.

INVESTMENT AND FINANCIAL REPORTS

CONDENSED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

December 31, 2021

| | Operating Fund | Perpetual Fund | Total |
|---------------------|-------------------|-------------------|------------|
| Assets | | | |
| Current assets | 49,864 | 425,812 | 475,677 |
| Investments | 388,472 | 11,833,365 | 12,221,836 |
| | 438,336 | 12,259,177 | 12,697,513 |
| Liabilities | | | |
| Current liabilities | 242,902 | 63,214 | 306,116 |
| Fund balances | 195,434 | 12,195,963 | 12,391,397 |
| | 438,336 | 12,259,177 | 12,697,513 |

CONDENSED STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES

Year Ended December 31, 2021

| | Operating Fund | Perpetual Fund | Total |
|----------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|------------|
| Revenue | 96,352 | 2,889,348 | 2,985,700 |
| Expenses | 97,342 | 89,648 | 186,990 |
| Distributions | | 626,701 | 626,701 |
| | 97,342 | 716,349 | 813,691 |
| Excess of revenue over expenses | 990 | 2,172,999 | 2,172,009 |
| Fund balances, beginning of year | 196,424 | 10,022,964 | 10,219,388 |
| Fund balances, end of year | 195,434 | 12,195,963 | 12,391,397 |

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