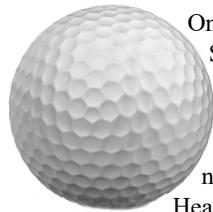




CFofM Newsletter

Events That Rate a Ten!

There is never a dull moment at the Foundation. We always have lots on the go and many ways for the community to engage with the organization.



On Wednesday, September 7th, we are hosting our Tenth Annual Golf Tournament at Piper's Heath Golf Club in Milton. Registration and lunch will open at 11:30am with a shotgun start at 1:00pm. 18 holes of golf will be followed by dinner, prizes and special guests starting at 6:00 pm.

This year, we are delighted to be welcoming Scott Morrison to the tournament dinner as our Emcee. Morrison is known as one of hockey's most respected and credible insiders. He was a recipient of the Hockey Hall of Fame's Elmer Ferguson Memorial Award in 2006 and is the new Executive Producer of Hockey with Rogers Sportsnet. He also appears as an insider on Hockeycentral and Sportsnet Radio The FAN 590 and FAN 960, as well as a feature writer for Sportsnet magazine and a contributor to sportsnet.ca. Morrison is a 30-year veteran hockey journalist and broadcaster.

Last year, the Golf Tournament was a sell out and we expect spots to go fast this year. Foursomes are priced at \$950 and individual golfers can book their spot for \$250. For corporations, there are many great sponsorship opportunities. And for those who don't golf, but would love to hear Scott Morrison's hockey insights, dinner spots are also available.

Visit the Foundation's web site or call Geraldine Cabral at 905-897-8880.

A must-do event each year is our Dancing With Mississauga Stars Gala. This year, the event is being held on Friday, November 4th at the Mississauga Convention Centre. Glitz, glamour, sequined costumes and maybe even the occasional spray tan... this is Mississauga's own version of the wildly popular television program.

This year's Stars are **Darren Coleman**, Senior Vice President at Raymond James; **Ellen McGregor**, CEO at Fielding Environmental; **David Wojcik**, President and CEO at the Mississauga Board of Trade; **Julie Jones**, Sam McDadi Real Estate Inc. and **Tania Kolar**, Show Host at the Shopping Channel. We are deeply grateful to these community champions for truly stepping it up for our community!

Returning for a second year, we are delighted to welcome back

emcees, Francis D'Souza and Marivel Taruc!

To our returning guests, you know you will be treated to a wonderful evening of dance, fabulous food and décor and great music. Plus you will vote for your favourite dancer and help choose who will take home the Mirrorball trophy. If you haven't attended before, get your tickets today as the event sells out fast and then buckle your seatbelts for an evening of non-stop fun! Our web site at www.CFofM.org has all the information you will need to book your golf spots, support your favourite dancer or get your tickets to this year's gala event. You are also welcome to call us at 905-897-8880.

Best of all your involvement will support the Community Foundation of Mississauga, a registered charitable public foundation. Thanks to these events and to donors and friends just like you, we have been able to put \$8 million back into grants to essential charitable programs and service in Mississauga!



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Delivering Sound Strategies

Getting off on the right foot to start a new venture is essential. In the earliest



years of the Foundation's history, Colin Mason from Keyser Mason Ball LLP ensured that the Foundation put into place critical filings, registration and governance documents to get the Foundation off to a good start, guided by a solid infrastructure and sound strategy. Over the past fifteen years, the support of all the team at Keyser Mason Ball LLP has been integral to the success and growth of the Foundation.

"Investing in our community is important to our core values," says Ian Wick, Partner at the firm. "Mississauga is where we live and work. It's home to many of our staff and clients. We want to partner with a charitable organization that builds

quality of life across all aspects of community well-being. Our support of the Community Foundation of Mississauga helps us achieve those goals."

The support of Keyser Mason Ball LLP goes beyond a financial in-



vestment. Many of the lawyers and partners have volunteered with the Foundation over the years. They have provided their knowledge and enthusiasm for community well-being in roles on special events committees, governance committees and on the Board of Directors.

For example, the Foundation is pleased to have the expertise of Suzanna Winsborough, Partner and estate planning lawyer on the Board. She also is one of the first to lend a hand at many of the Foundation's special events, joining her colleagues, Amy Delisle and Joanne Gilbert as a team of dedicated volunteers who help make the Foundation's events so successful.

For the past number of years, Keyser Mason Ball LLP has demon-

strated their investment in community by being a lead participant in the Foundation's Corporate Partners program. Their pace-setting support helps ensure the Foundation has the resources to support community philanthropy, build community knowledge and make grants that support community well-being.

"Every step of our journey, the team at Keyser Mason Ball has been there," notes Eileen MacKenzie, CEO at the Foundation. "When I started at the Foundation in early 2005, they were one of the first organizations to ask how they could help. Today, I think of the grants that we now make each year and I know that their support has been part of helping to make that impact possible."

Oh Canada, What a Grant Opportunity

The Community Foundation of Mississauga is a member in good standing of Community Foundations of Canada (CFC), a national network of over 190 community foundations across Canada. We share a commitment to rigorous standards along with excellence and transparency in our work. It is worth a visit to the CFC web site to find out more about our work and member peers. Our membership in this national movement not only builds best practices but also creates opportunities... national in scope, local in impact!

effort, seeded by the Government of Canada and extraordinary leaders from coast to coast to coast, and matched and delivered locally by our donors and volunteers. This is the power of synergistic philanthropy.

As a result, here in Mississauga, we have \$140K to make available in grants to local charitable organizations who will be delivering projects that help people in our community celebrate our place and experience in Canada's ses-

quicentennial. Projects will **encourage** participation in community activities and events to mark Canada's 150th anniversary of Confederation; **inspire** a deeper understanding about the people, places and events that shape our country and our communities; and/or **build** vibrant and healthy communities with the broadest possible engagement of all Canadians, including indigenous peoples; groups that reflect our cultural diversity; youth; and official language minorities.

We will be opening up this grant opportunity on our web site in the early fall. Interested organizations can check the "grant seekers" pages of our web site, follow us on twitter or like us on facebook to find out fast. If your organization is considering applying for grant, you can learn more about the national initiative by visiting the CFC web site at: communityfoundations.ca/cfc150

You can also call Amir Majid, our new Grants and Community Initiatives Manager at 905-897-8880 to learn more.

We are delighted to be taking part in the "Community Fund for Canada's 150th". This Fund is a collaborative



Ms. Salmon's Legacy

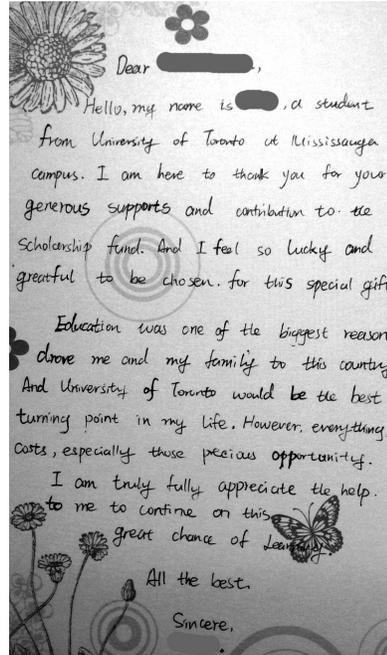
Early in the development of the Foundation, BMO Nesbitt Burns Advisor, Ginny Arnott-Wood introduced us to one of her clients, Nancy Salmon.

Ms. Salmon was interested in making a bequest that would establish a scholarship fund at the Community Foundation of Mississauga. Ms. Salmon had



always wanted to pursue a post-secondary education but growing up, she was discouraged from doing so due to her very poor eyesight. Ms. Salmon's bequest was realized when she passed away a number of years ago. But over time, her fund at the Foundation has grown remarkably. For several years now, the Foundation has been making an annual grant to the University of Toronto at Mississauga to help young people in financial need to pursue a post-secondary education.

Very recently, we opened the office mail to find a lovely thank you card from one of the many students who have received support from Ms. Salmon's fund. We are proud to help Nancy Salmon create this legacy of learning.



Our focus at the Foundation is community. We are guided by this single word in all of our activities, decisions and planning. And certainly Mississauga is our community, but within Mississauga, we see many more communities; large or small groups of people, neighbourhoods, causes, other organizations... there are many ways to define the word community.

An important community to our Foundation over the years has been our community of corporate partners. These are companies who support the work of the Foundation financially and often through volunteer time and expertise. Their investment in the Foundation has made possible our fundamental work of connecting philanthropy to community needs. We will share the stories of our corporate Supporter level partners in this and upcoming newsletters. In this newsletter, you will find a story on Keyser Mason Ball LLP, with others to come in the fall.

In the meantime, we would like to acknowledge our 2016 Corporate Partners for their investment in community:

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Mississauga Board of Trade
MNP LLP

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Grants Help Youth Succeed

Volunteer MBC is a volunteer centre created to promote and support the continual development of volunteerism in Peel.

In the spring of this year, Volunteer MBC received a grant for \$2,614 from the Foundation for their Youth Leadership Education and Development (Youth LEaD) program. Youth LEaD provides centralized access to information about volunteer opportunities as well as a referral service for volunteer placement within the community. Their educational workshops and extensive and informative programs enable youth to develop the necessary skills to manage necessity based community service projects.

According to the 2011 National Household Survey (NHS), Region of Peel is home to 188,600 children and youth aged 10-19.

This survey states that immigrants make up more than half of the Region of Peel's population. Youth in general face many challenges; however, youth that immigrated out of necessity will have many adjustment challenges such as social exclusion, poor academic performance and poverty which can all lead to depression, low self-esteem and crime. Furthermore, the results of the 2014 Divisional Crime Data report by Peel Regional Police revealed that in 2014 there were 1,944 youth aged 12-17

years charged. Although this number dropped from the 2013 figures of 2,012 youth, the stats are still high.

"It is the answer to apathy and motivates exploration. It is the shortcut to personal and professional development. It is the stepping stone to social change."

Volunteer MBC
on Youth Voluntarism

Getting youth more involved in their communities through youth-focused programs such as the Youth LEaD program provided by Volunteer MBC, helps focus their attention towards more positive activities which in turn helps distract them from negative outcomes. In addition, these programs equip high school youth with professional skills which help support their career, social, cognitive and physical development.



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