



Growing *for* life NEWSLETTER

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Jewish Foundation of Manitoba Community Report

The Jewish Foundation of Manitoba provides valuable support in the community on an ongoing basis. We are pleased to present this snapshot of how funding is distributed and what recipients are saying.

Donors: Where Does Your Money Go?

A MILESTONE YEAR

2007 was a milestone year for the Jewish Foundation of Manitoba. Thanks to the very generous support of donors, the asset value of the Foundation has surpassed \$70 million, and the cumulative amount distributed back into the community now exceeds \$30 million! These are indeed impressive numbers and the Jewish community of Winnipeg should be very proud of this accomplishment.



SUPPORTING COMMUNITY: THE BIG PICTURE

Through its grants allocation process, the Jewish Foundation of Manitoba supports registered Manitoba charities within and outside of the Jewish community. Donor-directed distributions may be made to any Canadian registered charity.

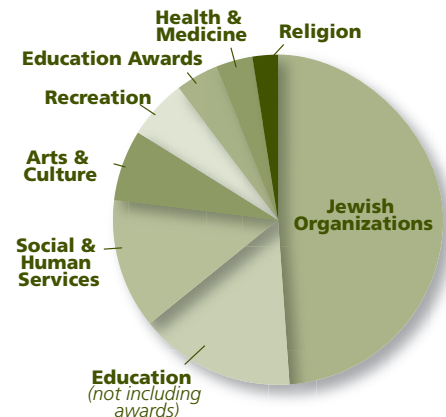


The Foundation connects generations and families and offers a way to celebrate and demonstrate support for the Jewish community, culture, religion, traditions and values.

The Foundation Supports...

Total Foundation Distributions Since Inception

Jewish Organizations <i>(not in categories below)</i>	\$15,016,286
Education <i>(not including awards)</i>	\$4,686,338
Social & Human Services	\$3,933,508
Arts & Culture	\$2,193,493
Recreation	\$1,793,736
Education Awards	\$1,207,260
Health & Medicine	\$1,156,976
Religion	\$764,704



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Education Award

The Brandon University Program allows me to obtain the expertise, knowledge and skills to practice Psychiatric Nursing. Over the course of this rich curriculum, I will gain both practical and academic

knowledge that will serve me, and hopefully others for a lifetime. This scholarship has been a tremendous help! It has been of huge assistance financially and has helped make taking this program full-time a possibility. Thank you so much.

– Scholarship Recipient Jayda Sosnowicz



Gwen Sexter Creative Living Centre

We are extremely grateful for the support our organization enjoys

from the Jewish Foundation of Manitoba through the kind generosity of the donors to the Foundation. Please extend our appreciation to your donors and let them know that their generous contributions allow the Gwen Sexter Creative Living Centre to provide quality community programs to our Jewish elders and beyond.

– Grant Recipient and Recipient of Donor-Directed Funds



Heart & Stroke Foundation of Manitoba

Thank you for the generous grant money

we received from your Foundation. The support these dollars provided to our CPR program and the ability to purchase CPR Anytime kits and barrier masks during CPR month has proved to be an invaluable gift in teaching CPR and resuscitation to thousands of people and their families in Manitoba.

– Recipient of \$21,000 Grant for CPR Anytime Kits

Creative Retirement Manitoba/Sharon Home

Thank you very much for enabling Creative Retirement and the Sharon Home to build on the pilot project funded by Health Canada and to establish the necessary capacity to make the computer project an ongoing program for the residents of the Sharon Home. Your support is greatly appreciated.

– Recipient of \$6,500 Grant for a Computer Training Project at the Sharon Home



Rose and Max Rady Jewish Community Centre

The generous support of the Jewish Foundation of Manitoba for the Shabbat Dinner Series was significant in providing the Rady JCC the opportunity to create ten programs that instill Jewish expression and practice. The Shabbat Dinner Series brought close to 1,000 people together to celebrate in a meaningful and accessible way, which in turn creates a warm sense of community and opportunities for families to be more culturally enriched.

– Recipient of \$10,090 Grant for Shabbat Dinner Series



Gray Academy of Jewish Education

On behalf of the families of the 108 ESL students currently attending Gray Academy of Jewish

Education, I thank the Foundation for supporting their overall programming. The Foundation support has allowed all of our ESL students, from kindergarten through Grade 12, to experience programming that enhances their opportunity to become proficient in the English language and therefore enable them to work towards completing their school education in a timely manner.

– Recipient of \$48,750 Grant for ESL Programming



“Our sincere thanks to the Jewish Foundation of Manitoba for the many good works and support you provide both for donors and for charities.”

- L'Arche Winnipeg

“Your grants have allowed us to maximize the agency's resources, both staff and fiscally. It is very apparent that the Jewish Foundation of Manitoba is continuing to be a vital partner in the agency's work with the community.”

- Jewish Child and Family Service



“Our Leisure Group program would not run without the help of the Jewish Foundation of Manitoba. This is an important program because it teaches life skills, enables individuals to have new experiences and provides support and recovery to those with mental illness.”

- Mood Disorders Association of Manitoba



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