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Welcome

Welcome to the 2nd edition of the Kamloops Chapter of Canadian Association of Gift Planners (CAGP) Charities Guide. We hope this Guide will serve as a resource for professional advisors, individuals, family foundations, retirees and anyone contemplating a planned gift in this community.

We would like to thank the charities and non-profit organizations that continue to support our efforts by participating in this publication. By collaborating and working together, we are helping donors support the causes they care about while ensuring charitable programs and projects have the financial resources they need to maximize their impact in the community.

We would also like to recognize BCLC (British Columbia Lottery Corporation) for their support of the Charities Guide. BCLC works with many of the organizations represented in this Guide and we are grateful to them for the variety of creative ways they contribute to charitable causes in Kamloops and across BC.

Members of the Kamloops Chapter of CAGP include non-profit professionals working at charitable and nonprofit organizations and professional advisors including lawyers, accountants, financial advisors and insurance brokers.

Our goals are to:
- Provide educational and networking opportunities to promote planned giving and strategic philanthropy
- Build awareness and advocate for gift planning
- Grow charitable support in our community and region.

Members of the local CAGP Executive represent the following organizations:

Please visit https://www.cagp-acpdp.org/en/chapter/kamloops to learn more about the CAGP and find out about upcoming events and activities.

For more information on becoming a member, a volunteer or if you have questions about this Guide, please contact Alisa Coquet at alisa.coquet@interiorhealth.ca or Sarah Sandholm at: ssandholm@tru.ca
Leave a Legacy to your Community

WHY LEAVE A LEGACY?
Giving to others is a natural, human impulse. Many of us are naturally moved to help family and friends, but we may also want to give to people we have never met, knowing that what we give can make a real difference in their lives. This is the power of a legacy.

WHAT IS A LEGACY GIFT?
A legacy gift is a simple and thoughtful way to give back to the community for the benefit of future generations while realizing tax savings for your estate. Providing a legacy through estate and planned giving makes exceptional gifts possible for ordinary people.

HOW CAN YOUR LEGACY GIFT HELP THE CHARITIES IN OUR COMMUNITY?
Your donation will leave a footprint of your love and continue the generosity and kindness you demonstrate during your lifetime.

Leaving a gift to a charity carries your values into the future, while supporting the charities you care most about.

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Animals

BRITISH COLUMBIA SOCIETY FOR THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO ANIMALS
To protect and enhance the quality of life for domestic, farm, and wild animals in British Columbia.

Email: info@SPCA.bc.ca
Phone Number: 604-681-7271
Website: spca.bc.ca
Charitable Number: 11881 9036 RR0001

KAMLOOPS WILDLIFE PARK SOCIETY
The BC Wildlife Park connects people to wildlife and wild places in order to encourage a sustainable healthy natural environment.

Email: glenn@bcwildlife.org
Phone Number: 250-573-3242
Website: bcwildlife.org
Charitable Number: 11929 8149 RR0001
KAMLOOPS ART GALLERY
The Kamloops Art Gallery offers inspiring, provocative and transformative art experiences of national calibre. Located in Secwepemcúlecw, it is the largest art gallery in the Interior of British Columbia and boasts a collection of over 3,000 works of art. With more than 12 exhibitions every year, the Gallery offers diverse, accessible and affordable experiences including talks, tours and studio-based programming for people of all ages and abilities.

Email: mchrumka@kag.bc.ca
Phone Number: 250-377-2400
Website: kag.bc.ca
Charitable Number: 11897 7248 RR0001

KAMLOOPS ARTS COUNCIL
To promote the development of arts and culture through events, public awareness, advocacy, support for artists, and community connections.

Email: info@kamloopsarts.ca
Phone Number: 250-372-7323
Website: kamloopsarts.ca
Charitable Number: 893104174 RR0001

KAMLOOPS MUSIC COLLECTIVE SOCIETY
The Kamloops Music Collective provides music students with the “key” to the development of artistic excellence in our community. We facilitate this by providing chances to learn about performing and producing music and through professional mentorships and networking opportunities.

Email: info@KamloopsMusicCollective.ca
Phone Number: 236-425-4221
Website: KamloopsMusicCollective.ca
Charitable Number: 12679 7158 RR0001

KAMLOOPS SYMPHONY SOCIETY
The Kamloops Symphony engages, enriches and educates through the power of music.

Email: admin@kamloopssymphony.com
Phone Number: 250-372-5000
Website: kamloopssymphony.com
Charitable Number: 11897 7305 RR0001

WESTERN CANADA THEATRE
WCT has achieved a long and stable history of producing excellence in professional live theatre. We produce a five-play main stage series, a two-play second stage series, a family series, and we tour productions regionally. WCT commissions, develops and produces new work and co-produces on a regular basis with companies across the country.

Email: suzan@wctlive.ca
Phone Number: 250-372-3216
Website: wctlive.ca
Charitable Number: 11929 2985 RR0001
Education
BIG LITTLE SCIENCE CENTRE SOCIETY
The Big Little Science Centre is dedicated to developing a passion for science in our community

Email: gord@blscs.org
Phone Number: 250-554-2572
Website: blscs.org
Charitable Number: 85668 0640 RR0001

THOMPSON RIVERS UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION
A gift to the TRU Foundation is an investment in the future of higher education. The Foundation provides funds for the financial support of students, research and infrastructure at Thompson Rivers University. The Foundation serves as the manager and trustee of funds invested in the Foundation’s Endowment Fund.

Email: foundation@tru.ca
Phone Number: 250-828-5264
Website: tru.ca/foundation
Charitable Number: 13113 5691 RR0001
Health

CANADIAN MENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION
The Canadian Mental Health Association promotes the mental health of all and supports the resilience and recovery of people experiencing mental illness, problematic substance use and addiction.

Email: kamloops@cmha.bc.ca
Phone Number: 250-374-0440
Website: kamloops.cmha.bc.ca
Charitable Number: 10777 4408 RR0001

KAMLOOPS BRAIN INJURY ASSOCIATION
Helping people with acquired brain injuries live to their full potential.

Email: kbia@kbia.ca
Phone Number: 250-372-1799
Website: kbia.ca
Charitable Number: 89327 2971 RR0001

KAMLOOPS HOSPICE ASSOCIATION: MARJORIE WILLOUGHBY SNOWDEN MEMORIAL HOSPICE HOME
Our mission is to enhance the quality of life of people and their families facing death and bereavement through skilled, compassionate, physical, emotional, and spiritual care in the setting of the individual’s choice.

Email: wendy@kamloopshospice.com
Phone Number: 250-372-1336
Website: kamloopshospice.com
Charitable Number: 10755 6136 RR0001

ROYAL INLAND HOSPITAL FOUNDATION
Royal Inland Hospital Foundation is committed to inspiring donors and building meaningful relationships to support RIH and our community's health care needs, both now and into the future.

Email: rifh@interiorhealth.ca
Phone Number: 250-314-2325
Website: rihfoundation.ca
Charitable Number: 11912 8965 RR0001
Youth
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4-H BC
4-H BC has provided youth leadership and life skills development for over 100 years. We provide young people with opportunities to learn how to become productive, self-assured adults who can better their community and country. This is fostered through project work, programs and experiences with other members and leaders.

Email: mail@bc4h.bc.ca
Phone Number: 250-545-0336
Website: bc4h.bc.ca
Charitable Number: 88631 8807 RR0001

KIDSPORT KAMLOOPS
We are a not for profit organization that works to remove the financial barriers that otherwise prohibit a child from playing sports. Funds raised locally are spent locally and are distributed as grants to cover registration and/or equipment fees associated with participation in a season of sport. Sport and physical activity provide invaluable opportunities for kids to learn teamwork, fair play and dedication.

Email: kidsportkamloops@gmail.com
Phone Number: 250-828-3822
Website: kidsport.ca/kamloops
Charitable Number: 86212 5986 RR0003
Community
BC INTERIOR COMMUNITY FOUNDATION
The BCICF’s unique “endowment based” funding model has over 200 funds and educational scholarships spanning social, wellness and environmental needs; supporting charities and non-profits in the Thompson, Nicola and South Cariboo regions. Create a legacy/memorial fund or contribute to an existing fund in your planned giving!

Email: info@bcicf.ca
Phone Number: 250-434-6995
Website: bcicf.ca
Charitable Number: 11897 7107 RR0001

CENTRE FOR SENIORS INFORMATION
CSI provides seniors with a caring environment for social interaction, information, and advocacy. We ensure our senior population have the opportunity to remain active and connected to the community through services that ensure quality of life, dignity, and choice.

Email: info@csikamloops.ca
Phone Number: 778-470-6000
Website: csikamloops.ca
Charitable Number: 87407 2424 RR0001

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY KAMLOOPS
Habitat for Humanity Kamloops brings our community together to help local families build strength, stability and independence through affordable home ownership. We believe that access to safe, decent and affordable housing is a basic human right that should be available to everyone.

Email: executivedirector@habitatkamloops.ca
Phone Number: 250-314-6783
Website: habitatkamloops.com
Charitable Number: 86470 6163 RR0001

INTERIOR COMMUNITY SERVICES
Interior Community Services provides a range of support, counselling, and intervention services in Kamloops, Merritt and surrounding areas for children, youth, families, seniors and adults with developmental disabilities. We also specialize in residential supports, affordable housing, and food security programs for all ages.

Email: adm@interiorcommunityservices.bc.ca
Phone Number: 250-554-3134
Website: interiorcommunityservices.bc.ca
Charitable Number: 11897 7131 RR0001
KAMLOOPS & DISTRICT SOCIETY FOR PEOPLE IN MOTION
People In Motion welcomes people with all kinds of disabilities; Autism to physical challenges. Two thirds of our 175 members are youth & young adults. Our goal is to develop them to their full potential by providing educational, fitness and social programs so they can better participate in community and gain greater independence.

Email: information@peopleinmotion.org
Phone Number: 250-376-7878
Website: peopleinmotion.org
Charitable Number: 12989 3715 RR0001

KAMLOOPS FOOD BANK SOCIETY
Vision: we believe in a hunger-free community. Mission: sharing food, feeding hope, strengthening community.
Values: respect, integrity, compassion.

Email: info@kamloopsfoodbank.org
Phone Number: 250-376-2252
Website: kamloopsfoodbank.org
Charitable Number: 130076201 RR0001

KAMLOOPS YMCA-YWCA
To promote spirit, mind and body by encouraging healthy lifestyles, personal growth and service to people within our community.

Email: cheryl.breitkreutz@kamloopsy.ca
Phone Number: 250-372-7725
Website: kamloopsy.ca
Charitable Number: 10755 6060 RR0001

UNITED WAY THOMPSON NICOLA CARIBOO
United Way is at work in your community to improve people's lives - by bringing together the power of many to help more. We support the non-profit sector to be strong and resilient, and tackle community-wide social issues like poverty, addiction and mental health throughout the Thompson Nicola Cariboo region.

Email: office@unitedwaytnc.ca
Phone Number: 250-372-9933
Website: unitedwaytnc.ca
Charitable Number: 119278257 RR0001
Did you know

Funds generated by gambling go back to the province to help support health care, education and community programs all across B.C.

BCLC is a proud sponsor of The Canadian Association of Gift Planners.
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