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MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIR & CEO

What an incredible year this has been for the Children’s Hospital Foundation of Saskatchewan!

The dream of building a dedicated children’s and maternal hospital is one step closer to reality. On September 25, 2014, families from across Saskatchewan celebrated the official groundbreaking of the province’s new children’s hospital. It was a historic day.

Without the strong and committed support of the Government of Saskatchewan, Ministry of Health, Health Regions, Children’s Hospital Steering Committee, Foundation Board members and staff, donors, volunteers, and supporters across the province, this event might have never taken place. We are very grateful for all that you do for our province’s children. Thank you.

This has been a year of selfless volunteerism, a year of exceptional donor support and one that demonstrated the generous spirit of people all over the province. It is important for us to reinforce that each gift, large or small, has helped the Children’s Hospital Foundation of Saskatchewan build upon the dream of having a dedicated children’s hospital here at home. Your devotion to this project ensures that our children receive the best care, have access to the latest technology, and benefit from leading edge medical research.

To date, the CHFS has distributed over $6.7 million to our provincial pediatric and maternal community. This funding assists in procuring the tools that our doctors, nurses, therapists and medical professionals need right now. The Foundation will continue giving on an annual basis throughout construction, ribbon cutting and beyond.

Those contributions will continue to benefit the patients and their families for generations. Whether newborn or teen, when there is a need for medical attention it is vital that there is ample capacity to ensure that what is required is available. From the bedside, within the surgical suites, throughout the therapeutic and recreational programming units, and in all of the many unique areas of the Children’s Hospital of Saskatchewan, your donations are making it better. Your involvement is having an important impact.

Thanks to your support, this Foundation will always be here to ensure that pediatrics, maternal care and the new children’s hospital will have an identifiable advocate and fundraiser for the distinct needs of Saskatchewan children. Throughout the world, children’s hospitals and children’s hospital foundations offer a special place as they continue to spearhead new and innovative ways in delivery of care that puts family focus first! You have enabled the Children’s Hospital Foundation of Saskatchewan to improve upon the environment and overall experience for our kids and families as they face some of the most challenging of times in their lives. The proof of your collaboration, hard work and donations is evident through the pages of this report.

On behalf of the Children’s Hospital Foundation of Saskatchewan Board of Directors, management and staff, we offer a sincere thank you to our provincial family of donors, volunteers and supporters. This Foundation is 100% dedicated to a province that continues to believe in building a happier and healthier tomorrow for our sick and injured children and their courageous families.

Robert Hawkins
Volunteer Chair of the Board

Brynn Boback-Lane
President & CEO

MESSAGE FROM THE MINISTER OF HEALTH

On behalf of the Government of Saskatchewan, I sincerely thank the Children’s Hospital Foundation of Saskatchewan for your strong support and direct involvement in building this modern maternal and children’s hospital. This year is a year of action. We witnessed one of the most historic moments of the project – the groundbreaking celebration. This milestone reflects the collaboration and dedication of the Foundation, the Saskatoon Health Region, the provincial government and other project partners.

Back in April, our government announced a $20-million expansion for the additional 24 inpatient beds. Within five months, the team completed design adaptations for these beds and the final phase of site preparation. In September, we joined hands and celebrated the start of construction. This project landmark was made possible by the hard work of a dedicated team, including patients, families, physicians, staff and the Children’s Hospital Foundation of Saskatchewan.

The countless hours spent on this project are to ensure mothers, infants, children and teens of Saskatchewan will have a state-of-the-art hospital that is close to home and allows patient and family centred care. Also, this modern facility will assist in the recruitment and retention of pediatric specialists.

Our government recognizes the instrumental role of the Foundation, its staff and volunteers in moving the project forward. We appreciate your commitment to this amazing journey.

I look forward to each future milestone of this “made in Saskatchewan, for Saskatchewan” hospital.

The Honourable Dustin Duncan
Minister of Health
The moment has arrived
On September 25, 2014, children, teenagers and their families, along with the Government of Saskatchewan, dug into the sand with their toy shovels and officially marked the start of construction for Children’s Hospital of Saskatchewan.

All of us here at Saskatoon Health Region are grateful for the thousands who helped make this moment possible. The journey so far has been filled with challenges and celebrations and this year was no exception. We were challenged to adapt our design in light of our province’s remarkable growth. In April 2014, the provincial government announced its further investment and support to add 24 more patient rooms to ensure the new 176 private patient room hospital would meet the needs of Saskatchewan families.

By June, we had completed the design adaptations for those additional rooms. Throughout summer, we celebrated the completion of two years of site preparation as we demolished a portion of the Royal University Hospital parkade where the new hospital will be built.

Finally, on that sunshine-filled day in September, we celebrated a new beginning. Children’s Hospital of Saskatchewan was no longer a dream, but reality.

Our journey has seen Saskatchewan working together to create a hospital of the future. We couldn’t have done it without the hundreds of children, teenagers and families who helped with the design, or our hundreds of healthcare providers who spent countless hours working through floor plans and are preparing for opening day. We are thankful for the thousands who have spent hours fundraising, sharing stories and inspiring others to give. From far north to our most southern borders, and from east to west, Saskatchewan families and businesses have answered the call to help make the vision of a provincial maternal and children’s hospital come true.

We would not be here without the advocacy and commitment of Children’s Hospital Foundation of Saskatchewan, its supporters and donors. Because of your collaboration and ongoing generosity, Saskatchewan’s health care system will have another shining jewel. Congratulations to each of you who helped make that September moment a reality.

We know our journey is far from over as we prepare for 2017. But for now, let’s all enjoy this moment. Children’s Hospital of Saskatchewan has arrived.

Jackie Mann
Executive Sponsor,
Children’s Hospital of Saskatchewan
Vice-President Integrated Health Services,
Saskatoon Health Region

The new Children’s Hospital of Saskatchewan will have the first dedicated pediatric surgery suites in the province of Saskatchewan. There will be three dedicated, integrated pediatric operating rooms with induction rooms. Induction rooms will allow parents to be with their child while anaesthesia is being administered.
YOUR DONATIONS AT WORK
The Building Blocks for Tomorrow

73%  
Equipment & Technology

22%  
Research & Education

5%  
Patient Care

Total $913,343  
(Annual distribution as of year end July 31, 2014)

The Children’s Hospital Foundation of Saskatchewan distributed $913,343 for current pediatric needs. In addition, $100,000 was designated for a Research Chair position in the Pediatric Department for exceptional emerging researchers and research needs.

LIFESAVING EQUIPMENT
The Building Blocks for Our Future

CPAP and BiPAP machines for Respiratory Disorders in Children
By Jeff Dmytrowich, Pediatric Respiratory Therapist

In children, breathing problems are the leading cause of chronic illness and hospitalization. Non-invasive ventilation is one therapy that can help treat a number of breathing disorders including obstructive sleep apnea. It is reported that about 5-8% of all children develop obstructive sleep apnea and delay in diagnosis and treatment may affect a child’s ability to learn and grow. Non-invasive ventilation is also used to help stabilize some patients during an acute respiratory crisis.

Non-invasive ventilation therapy is provided by CPAP and BiPAP machines as part of the overall respiratory management of these children. With support from the Children’s Hospital Foundation of Saskatchewan, the Respiratory Therapy Department has been able to acquire CPAP and BiPAP machines to ensure that this therapy is always available to Saskatchewan children with respiratory disorders.

Some children may continue this therapy once they transition from the hospital. Having these CPAP and BiPAP machines allows the child and their family to become comfortable with the therapy in a supportive setting.

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COMMUNITY EVENTS

Children’s Hospital Jeans & Jewels Gala

600 guests put on their best jewels and jeans for the annual Children’s Hospital Jeans & Jewels Gala in Saskatoon on April 11, 2014. The signature event featured a champagne reception, three-course dinner, raffle, photo booth and both a live and silent auction, with travel packages to Barbados and Florida, a fly-in fishing package, a Montreal Canadiens getaway experience and a Choose Your Own Adventure package from FFUN Motor Group. This incredible evening, headlined by Brad Johner and The Johner Boys, raised over $200,000.

Photo courtesy of Grant Romancia

Children’s Hospital Radiothon Saskatoon

Saskatchewan responded with overwhelming generosity to the 12th Annual Children’s Hospital Radiothon in Saskatoon, helping to set a new record for the three-day, 35-hour broadcast. Live from The Centre Mall from February 5-7, 2014, the event raised over $703,000. This brings the overall total to more than $3.3 million since 2002. Broadcast on 98 COOL FM, 600 CJWW, and 92.9 The Bull, the event featured a $250,000 dollar-for-dollar match by John and Sonja Remai, over 140 interviews, and was powered by over 160 volunteers.

Photo courtesy of Lisa Landrie

Children’s Hospital Radiothon Regina

The 11th Annual Children’s Hospital Radiothon took to the airwaves on November 6 & 7, 2013 on 104.9 The Wolf, 620 CKRM, and MY92.1. The two-day, 23-hour broadcast from Hill Centre Tower II featured over 100 interviews across three stations and was supported by over 100 volunteers and raised an incredible $371,615. In the last decade, the Regina Radiothon has raised $2.4 million. Dollars raised in 2013 helped purchase Life-Pak Monitors for the Provincial Pediatric Transport Team and will help fund specialized equipment for the Pediatric Intensive Care Unit at the Children’s Hospital of Saskatchewan.

The new Children’s Hospital of Saskatchewan will have all maternal care services on one floor. Many pregnant women will now be able to labour, give birth and stay with their new baby in one private room. Each room will have a dedicated sleep space for a supportive partner.
Capital Campaign

Building Healthier Tomorrows for Saskatchewan Children

With the generous support of volunteers, donors and sponsors, the Children’s Hospital Foundation of Saskatchewan is committed to building healthier tomorrows for Saskatchewan children and their families. The CHFS will continue to fund maternal and pediatric medical research, equipment, education opportunities and ongoing care with a $45 million commitment to equip the new Children’s Hospital of Saskatchewan, and continue annual funding upon its opening.

PIC Investment Group and the Yuel Family

Thanks to an incredible donation of $2.25 million announced in October by PIC Investment Group and the Yuel Family, young patients and their supportive families will now be able to relax and enjoy some fresh Saskatchewan air in the Outdoor Patient Play Area located on the In Patient Pediatrics Floor within the Children’s Hospital of Saskatchewan.

Graham and Ruby DeLaet Foundation

Graham Slam, the inaugural two-day charity event held at Riverside Country Club, raised a total of $375,960 for the Foundation. This event was the kick-off for the Graham and Ruby DeLaet Foundation which was founded in 2014.

Brandt Group of Companies

As part of their “Thanks a Billion” Program and to provide support for the exceptional and family-centred care that will be delivered at the new provincial children’s hospital, Brandt Group of Companies proudly announced a generous donation of $250,000 to the CHFS at the 2014 Jeans & Jewels Gala.

Mobile Giving

You’re on the go. Now we are too. Introducing our mobile donor page.

For those of you who do everything on the go, the design of this page will offer a more satisfying, secure, and rewarding donating experience.

Thank you for your continued support. Please visit childrenshospitalsask.ca/donate and try it today.
We are honoured and grateful for the generosity of Saskatchewan people who hold fundraising events throughout the year to benefit the Children’s Hospital Foundation of Saskatchewan. Here are just a few of the many activities that took place in 2014.

Argyle Elementary School - Regina
Students at Argyle Elementary in Regina held a fundraiser called Hearts Full of Love. They sold paper hearts and “bling hearts.” The students had a goal of $500, but by the end of the week Argyle Elementary had raised a grand total of $1,035!

Iron Will - Provincial
The Rattray family, along with Kip Simon from 22Fresh and their friend Michelle Gray, have raised an amazing $34,244.81 for the CHFS, in memory of their son, William Rattray. Will’s ability to smile no matter how challenging things got earned him the nickname Iron Will.

Cadence Haaland - Hanley
Cadence auctioned off his steer at the 4-H auction and donated all of the proceeds to the CHFS! Pinnacle Builders purchased the steer for $13,000! After the auction, word spread about Cadence’s generosity which spurred additional donations bringing the total raised to $44,000!

RCMP Charity Hockey Tournament - Provincial
The RCMP held a province wide hockey tournament with participants raising $17,000.

Great Canadian Roofing & Siding - Saskatoon
Great Canadian Roofing & Siding collects donations for the CHFS from their clients throughout the year. The company matches every dollar donated.

Colour Me Rad - Saskatoon
Color Me Rad donated a portion of their proceeds from the 5k color fun run to the CHFS, a total of $30,000.

Women of the Wagon’s - Provincial
The CPAA Woman of the Wagon’s raised over $30,000 throughout the year at various Chuckwagon events across Western Canada.

Dundonald Elementary School - Saskatoon
The kids of Dundonald Elementary held a bake sale at recess to help support Saskatchewan’s sick and injured kids.

Airline Hotels - Saskatoon
The kids of Airline Hotels held a lemonade stand and raised over $1,000.

Giant Tiger - Provincial
Giant Tiger stores across Saskatchewan sold CHFS icons throughout the month of May and raised $16,964!

Bourgault Industries - St. Brieux
Bourgault held a charity auction in St. Brieux at their Dealer Days. They auctioned off a variety of Roughrider items, including a Ben Heenan signed jersey, which Young’s Equipment purchased for $37,500, and Bourgault matched. When all was said and done, the auction raised a total of $81,300!

Centennial Collegiate - Saskatoon
Centennial Collegiate has been raising funds for the CHFS for a few years now. Each December they host their Charity Classic Basketball tournament as well as a number of additional fundraisers throughout the year. Students recently presented a cheque for an incredible $10,000.

Warman Home Centre - Warman
Warman Home Centre held their 4th Annual BBQ & Car Show. This was their biggest year yet, with over 100 cars in the show. The event raised $4,665.

Ashley Park School - Swift Current
The K-Kids from Ashley Park School in Swift Current raised funds by writing & sharing persuasive essays, putting on a raffle and collecting donations. They raised a total of $10,225.25.

The Sheepdogs - Provincial
The Sheepdogs and the Saskatchewan Roughriders teamed up to sell limited edition Grey Cup t-shirts with all funds being donated to the CHFS.
The Children’s Miracle Network Champions program, presented by Walmart, honours remarkable children who have triumphed despite severe medical challenges. Each Champion acts as an ambassador for his or her Children’s Miracle Network member hospital. Twelve year old Aidan Bohle, from Saskatoon, was selected to represent the Children’s Hospital Foundation of Saskatchewan for 2014-2015.

Aidan has the biggest heart to match his giant smile! He enjoys making people laugh and is always making sure everyone around him is OK.

At age 5, Aidan was diagnosed with a very aggressive, recurrent tumor in his right ear called a cholesteatoma. A specialist in Saskatoon removed the tumor four times, but the tumor continued to return. Aidan was later referred to a specialist out of the province for subsequent surgeries.

Despite being unable to hear out of his right ear, Aidan is a very active and happy child and spends most of his free time playing and watching sports. He plays soccer every day at recess, even during winter months. One day Aidan would like to be a goalie in the NHL, but he has also expressed interest in becoming a police officer, a teacher or a school principal. Aidan is a very dedicated student and is motivated to achieve high grades in all of his classes.

Aidan knows first hand how important a dedicated children’s hospital is to the kids who need it. He is a true Saskatchewan champion, representing the sick and injured children of our province. The CHFS is excited to have Aidan represent our Foundation.

The Children’s Hospital Foundation of Saskatchewan is proud to be the Saskatchewan member of Children’s Miracle Network, a non-profit organization dedicated to saving and improving the lives of children by raising funds for children’s hospitals across North America.

Through Children’s Miracle Network, we partner with many generous companies across Saskatchewan. The employees and customers of our sponsors have helped to create countless miracles right here in our province, many of them $1 at a time. Through the sale of iconic Miracle Balloons, to organizing events or making a donation for each completed transaction, each sponsor helps the Children’s Hospital Foundation of Saskatchewan in their own incredible way.

We are very thankful for our Children’s Miracle Network, sponsors, and the amazing support they provide for Saskatchewan’s sick and injured children.

Our Partnerships

- Memory of Lucas Kenneth Grant Thompson
- Ecol Electric (Sask.) Ltd.
- Alta-Sask Provincial Ladies Auxiliary
- Benevolent Protective Order of the Elks
- Mark Lane
- Joyce Lartrace-Lundquist
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- Provincial Radiosthen Donors
- Kids Helping Kids Program
- Anonymous Donors
- Designated Gift Donors
- Kids Club Members

Children’s Hospital Foundation of Saskatchewan

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As the Foundation embarked upon the mission for a provincial children’s hospital, Canada Revenue Agency gave approval to designate and accumulate funds for this purpose. While capital is being raised to create a provincial maternal and pediatric health facility, the Children’s Hospital Foundation of Saskatchewan continues to respond to provincial pediatric funding requests on an annual basis.

Summarized Statement of Operations – year ended July 31, 2014 – (000’s)

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Excerpts from the audited financial statement by KPMG, LLP. For detailed financial information please visit www.cra.gc.ca/charities

**Important Note:** A majority of the CHFS funds are accumulated for the sole purpose of supporting the new Children’s Hospital of Saskatchewan, as requested and designated by our donors.

**How you can help**

**Many ways to give:**
- Become a monthly donor
- Participate on an event organizing committee
- Host an event in support of the CHFS
- Volunteer your time or services

**Leave a legacy:**
- A gift in your will
- A memorial gift
- An in-honour gift
- Endowments
- Mutual Funds
- Life Insurance
- Annuities

Thank you for the many generous gifts received throughout the year, including those made in memory of loved ones.

**The new Children’s Hospital of Saskatchewan**

will have dedicated space within pediatric outpatients for x-rays and ultrasounds. The hospital will also support the development of pediatric phlebotomy. Pediatric Phlebotomists will be able to help reduce the pain and fear associated with blood draws for children.
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