

A Year for Recovery

By Chris Saunders

The Foundation has had another busy year as we move into the recovery phase from the covid pandemic. Over the years, we have distributed over \$735,000 to support numerous local projects, including about \$140,000 in 2021 alone. Much of this funding comes from our endowment fund, now over \$1.4 Million, allowing us to continue to support the community for years to come.

Just like 2021, the past year has been dominated by Covid and the impact on local groups. We partnered with the Community Foundations of Canada (CFC) to assist local groups with covid-related expenses. "The foundation would again like to thank the CFC, the LGD of Pinawa, and Employment and Social Development Canada for all of their assistance" said Chris Saunders, Chairman of the Foundation. "We were able to distribute \$100,000 to groups in Pinawa during this difficult time".

The past year saw us secure a grant for \$48,400 from the Canada Community Revitalization Fund to help refurbish the Burrows Playground. "Burrows Park is a well-loved community space that has served Pinawa for 50 years" says Chris Saunders, Chairman of the Foundation.

The estate of Heinz and Marjorie Ehlers made a generous donation of \$100,000 to the Pinawa Foundation to support the area that they called home for over 50 years. This is the single largest donation we have received, and we are very grateful to the Ehlers family for showing such confidence in the Foundation. "Heinz and Marj were proud residents of Pinawa, very friendly and supportive" says Chris Saunders, Chairman of the Pinawa Foundation. "I always smile when I think of Marj at the local minor hockey games, standing behind the net,

yelling her support for the players. Memories like that are what makes living in a small town so special."

Community Project Month

The Foundation, along with our local partners, would like to thank everyone that donated to our annual Community Project Month in May 2022. "May is our giving month in Pinawa" said Carol Findlay from the Foundation. This year, we raised over \$77,140 for 13 important projects, including the 40% top up provided by the Foundation, including:

Survivor's Hope Crisis - Promotional Educational Materials: \$2,495

Pinawa Tennis Club - Repurposing/Resurfacing Tennis Courts: \$20,590

Pinawa Public Library - Indoor Patio Furniture: \$4,270

Pinawa Lions Club - Burrows Park Playground Upgrade: \$8,060

Pinawa Christmas Committee - Holiday Lights Enhancement: \$945

Pinawa Cancer Care - Improved Communication for Patient/Health Care Team: \$3,885

Trans Canada Trail - 2022 Trail Tread Maintenance - \$1,960

Orville Acres Arena - Floor Upgrade/Outdoor Rink LED: \$3,360



Heinz and Marjorie Ehlers

Children's Place Day-Care - Day Care Building Exterior Refurbishment: \$14,852

WSXC Ski Club - Equipment Maintenance & Red Trail Bridge Deck Repair: \$6,700

Pinawa Health Auxiliary - Courtyard Garden & SARA Steady Mate (modified mechanical lift): \$5,985

Two Rivers Seniors - Operational Costs for Pinawa programs & office: \$3,570

Pinawa Art 211 - Projector for Art Education/Presentations: \$469

Youth in Philanthropy (YIP)

The Foundation's "Youth in Philanthropy" Program continued this year with Pinawa Secondary School. In partnership with the Thomas Sill Foundation (TSF) and with the help of Lisa Krupka and Carol Findlay, the YIP program had a successful 5th year.

The group donated \$2,500 to seven worthy projects in Pinawa. The program teaches the students philanthropy and how to identify and evaluate projects in need.

2021 YIP Grants

Survivor's Hope: \$250
Pinawa Christmas Committee: \$300
Pinawa Library: \$250
Two Rivers Seniors: \$100
Orville Acres Arena: \$200
Children's Place Daycare: \$500
Junior Kindergarten Program: \$300
Pinawa Secondary School Art: \$200
Pinawa Hospital: \$400

Pinawa Scholarships

Over the past two years the Foundation has awarded four local scholarships.

The *Pinawa Foundation Scholarship* goes to the student who has participated in the school community on school committees and teams.

Muhammad Isfandyar demonstrated community involvement first at his father's encouragement to volunteer at the Pinawa hospital. A chore became an interest that grew to include coaching sports teams in middle school, participation with Youth in Philanthropy and a realization that helping others is a rewarding experience. Muhammad plans to pursue an education in Computer Science



Muhammad Isfandyar Awarded 2021 Pinawa Foundation Community Scholarship (\$1,000)

Gabrielle Fontaine has participated in school activities from an early age starting with Super Squad in elementary school, student council as well as Girl Guides (Pathfinders). She is familiar with charity and volunteer activities (roadside clean-ups, beach clean for sea

turtles in Costa Rica) which led her to Youth in Philanthropy. Gabrielle plans to study social work after University 1 at Saint Boniface University.



Gabrielle Fontaine Awarded 2021 Pinawa Foundation Community Scholarship (\$1,000)

The 2022 Gladys Guthrie Memorial Scholarship was awarded to Emi Rasmussen. Gladys Guthrie was one of the first nurses in Pinawa Hospital. This memorial scholarship in her memory has been established by her family to be presented to a deserving student entering nursing or a related field of health care. Emi has shown her interest in leadership from Grade School onwards. She was part of Super Squad at FW Gilbert School. She participated in high school sports and served as team captain for both volleyball and basketball. She coached Junior High Girls' basketball. Her volunteer work has included score keeping and as an entry point screener at the Pinawa Hospital. Emi plans to pursue a career in radiation therapy at the University of Winnipeg.



Emi Rasmussen - 2022 Gladys Guthrie Memorial Scholarship Presented by Lisa Krupka

The 2022 Pinawa Foundation Scholarship was awarded to Josephine (Josie) Long. She participated in the school community on school committees and teams. She served on the Yearbook Committee. She coached Junior High Girls' Basketball as well as Bunny Rabbits. Josie plans to pursue a career in education with her focus on theatre and history at the University of Manitoba.



Josephine Long - 2022 Pinawa Foundation Scholarship (\$1,000) Presented by Lisa Krupka

Philanthropy Week

Changes due to Covid restrictions saw Philanthropy Day in November stretched from one day to a full week for the second straight year. It was a great success. Thank you to everyone that donated. The Foundation added \$81,480 to our endowment, including \$4,000 in grants from the Province of Manitoba and The Winnipeg Foundation.

The value of the Foundation's endowment funds at the end of 2021 was \$1,443,500.

The same week-long format will be used for 2022. Details will be posted on our Facebook page in the fall. Please remember that donations can be mailed by cheque, on-line at the Endow Manitoba webpage, by e-transfer, or in person at the mall in mid-November.

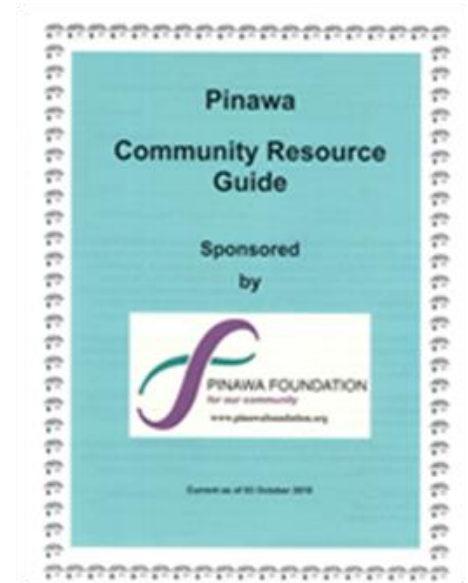
Slide through 2021 Campaign for the Pinawa Curling Club

In the Fall 2021, the Foundation partnered with the Pinawa Club to raise funds to replace the supply and return headers for the curling club. The campaign raised a total of \$40,000, including funds from the province's "Building Sustainable Communities Program" to ensure that curling would continue in Pinawa.



Resource Guide – A Big Success

The foundation has had a wonderful response to the Resource Guide we republished in 2022. Thank you to board member Cindy Litke for making this a reality. Please let us know if you would like one.



Jamie McLean, a Chronic Disease Nurse at the Lac Du Bonnet Health Centre, accepts a donation of \$1,750 to purchase an Arterial Doppler Detector. It measures the arterial flow in the lower limbs to diagnose Peripheral Arterial Disease or PAD

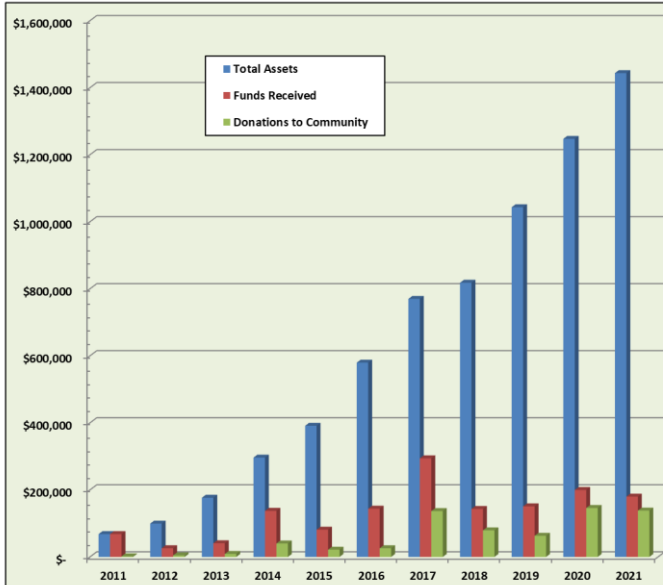


Denis Sabourin Chair Pinawa Trails Association, Lisa Thomas, Solo Store Manager; Marsha Sheppard, Carol Findlay, Pinawa Foundation; Dave Alderson and Dave Bruderer awarded Greener Tomorrow Grant of \$5,146 from Solo Market

2021 FAST FACTS

- > **\$136,299** donated to Foundation in 2021.
- > **\$138,000** granted to Pinawa groups in 2021.
- > **\$1,443,000** endowed funds as of Dec. 31, 2021.
- > **\$735,000** donated to Pinawa groups since 2011.
- 70** founding members (donations over \$1,000)
- > **70** donors have donated 4 years or more.
- 21** Scholarships awarded.
- > **1,000** copies of history books sold so far.
- > **1,200** Pinawa Resource Guides Distributed
- YIP Group:** donated over \$15,000 to local groups.

Foundation's Financial Performance



* All funds collected up to 2011 are recorded in 2011.

2021 Financial Summary

Income Statement

| | | 2021 | 2020 |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| Revenue | | | |
| Donations Received | | \$ 179,900.33 | \$ 199,777.87 |
| Interest Earned | Sunova | \$ 240.07 | \$ 402.21 |
| | Winnipeg Foundation | \$ 34,955.41 | \$ 33,718.40 |
| Winnipeg Foundation | Realized Gains | \$ 75,218.44 | \$ 28,319.90 |
| | Unrealized Gains | \$ 32,220.21 | \$ 41,471.32 |
| Grants | Winnipeg Foundation | \$ 11,854.00 | \$ 17,500.00 |
| | Community Foundations of Canada | \$ 8,000.00 | \$ 38,000.00 |
| Winnipeg Foundation | transfers to cash | \$ 48,655.84 | \$ 39,457.89 |
| | Funds | \$ 41,012.00 | |
| | Admin | \$ 7,643.84 | |
| Investment Planning Counsel | Realized Gains | \$ 321.36 | \$ 613.28 |
| IPC | Unrealized Gains | \$ 2,621.77 | \$ (3,824.37) |
| Increased Value of CSV | Insurance Policy | \$ 8,183.57 | \$ 6,657.80 |
| Balance Forward | Adjustment | \$ - | \$ - |
| | | \$ 402,171.00 | \$ 402,094.30 |
| Expenses | | | |
| Grants | | \$ 41,863.40 | \$ 67,211.24 |
| Directed Donations | | \$ 96,395.32 | \$ 78,893.83 |
| Insurance Policy (\$100K | prem/\$40k) | \$ 5,000.00 | \$ 5,000.00 |
| Promotion/Advertising | | \$ 747.25 | \$ 498.19 |
| Conference Registrations | | \$ - | \$ - |
| Postage/Stationary/laptop/ | Domain Fees | \$ 1,819.00 | \$ 30.00 |
| Membership Fees | CFC | \$ 450.00 | \$ 450.00 |
| Incorporation Fees | Prov Mb | \$ 40.00 | \$ 40.00 |
| Administration Fees | WpgFdn TWF | \$ 6,491.84 | \$ 4,993.89 |
| | Wpg Fdn CF | \$ 6,491.84 | \$ 4,993.89 |
| Investment Fees | WpgFdn | \$ 5,652.88 | \$ 3,553.53 |
| Less Cash Fund Transfer | | \$ 41,012.00 | \$ 33,471.00 |
| Accrual for 2020 | Scholarship | \$ - | \$ 1,000.00 |
| | | \$ 205,963.53 | \$ 198,135.57 |
| | | \$ 196,207.47 | \$ 203,958.73 |
| Net Income | | | |
| Prepared by: | | Approved by: | |
| C. M. Findlay | | C. Saunders | |

Balance Sheet

| | 2021 | 2020 |
|---|------------------------|------------------------|
| Assets | | |
| Cash | \$ 61,275.40 | \$ 53,367.41 |
| Long Term Investments | \$ 1,382,283.77 | \$ 1,193,984.29 |
| Accounts Receivable | | |
| Land | | |
| Building | | |
| Less: accumulated depreciation | | |
| Office Equipment | | |
| Less: accumulated depreciation | | |
| Total Assets | \$ 1,443,559.17 | \$ 1,247,351.70 |
| Liabilities & Owner's Equity | | |
| Liabilities | | |
| Accounts Payable | \$ 1,443,559.17 | \$ 1,247,351.70 |
| Owner's Equity | | |
| Total Liabilities | \$ 1,443,559.17 | \$ 1,247,351.70 |