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Foundation Board Members Needed:

Join the Father Lacombe Care Foundation Board!

Are you passionate about making a difference in the lives of seniors and vulnerable adults? Do you have experience in fundraising and cultivating relationships with donors? We are currently seeking new board members to join our team! As a board member, you will play a critical role in the development of a fundraising plan, identifying and cultivating prospective donors, and actively participating in fundraising activities. You will also personally support all fundraising initiatives and attend meetings.

We are looking for individuals who are committed to our mission and have a strong desire to make a positive impact in our community.

If you are interested in joining the Father Lacombe Care Centre Foundation Board or would like more information, please call me! I would really like to talk with you.

Pat Dolan, Chair

Cell: 587-832-3950

Our Needs Continue:

REJUVENATION:

Father Lacombe Care Centre Main Dining Room

The Father Lacombe Care Centre is planning a renovation project for its resident main dining room. The project aims to rejuvenate the space to better meet the needs of the residents who call the FLCC home. The renovation project includes an overhaul of the space, with new lighting, flooring and color schemes to make the dining experience more accessible and enjoyable for the residents.

The dining experience is a critical part of daily life for our residents. It's where they come together to share meals and socialize, and we want to make sure that experience is as comfortable and enjoyable as possible. By renovating the dining room, we are demonstrating our commitment to providing the highest quality of life for residents.

The renovation project is expected to be completed by the end of the year, and Father Lacombe Care Centre officials are excited to unveil the new dining room to residents and their families. We believe this renovation project will make a significant difference in the lives of our residents. We're excited to see the impact it will have and look forward to welcoming everyone to the new and improved dining room.



Dining Room Rejuvenation

Funds Required: \$ 50,000

FURNITURE AND TELEVISION ADDITIONS:

The sunrooms at Providence Care Centre are a space where residents can relax, socialize, and enjoy the natural light. Unfortunately, they lack the comfort and warmth of a traditional living room. Our team at Providence has identified that by adding a fireplace, TV stand and a 50-inch television to each of these sunrooms, would create a more enjoyable and welcoming environment for our residents. It would also provide warmth and comfort for residents during colder months as the fireplace will create a cozy atmosphere and promote a feeling of home. The 50-inch television will allow residents to enjoy their favorite shows and movies together, providing a sense of community and socialization.



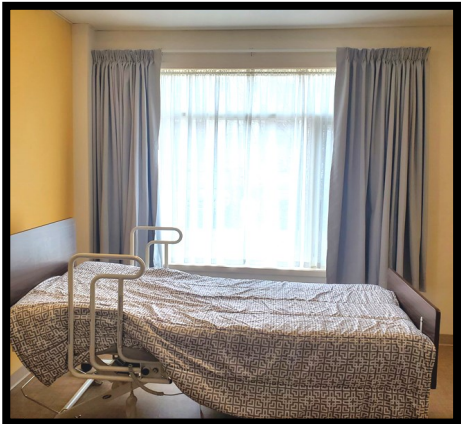
We are committed to improving the quality of life for their residents, and this initiative is a reflection of that commitment. The addition of these amenities will not only enhance the comfort and enjoyment of the residents, but will also promote a positive and welcoming atmosphere for families and visitors.

Total cost for 4 Sunrooms

Funds Required: \$ 6,500

**REPLACEMENT:
Resident Room Blinds**

Continuing care centres are an essential part of our healthcare system, providing care and support for seniors and those with chronic medical conditions. We strive to create a comfortable and homely environment for their residents, but sometimes, the design of the facility can feel clinical and impersonal. One way to combat this is by replacing traditional Venetian blinds with sheers and room darkening curtains. Venetian blinds are often used in long term care facilities because they are effective at controlling light and privacy. However, they can make a room feel cold and sterile, which can be unsettling for residents. Additionally, Venetian blinds can be difficult to clean and maintain, which can lead to hygiene issues. On the other hand, sheers and room darkening curtains are more versatile in terms of design and functionality. Sheers can allow natural light to flow through, creating a bright and welcoming atmosphere for residents. They are available in a range of colors and patterns, making them a great option for adding a touch of personality to resident rooms. Room darkening curtains, on the other hand, are perfect for those who require complete darkness when they sleep or rest. They can also provide insulation and reduce noise levels, making them a practical choice for long term care facilities.



Sheers and room darkening curtains are also easier to clean and maintain than Venetian blinds. They can be machine washed or spot cleaned, which can help to prevent hygiene issues in resident rooms. Replacing Venetian blinds with sheers and room darkening curtains can help to create a more homely and comfortable environment.

In December 2022, we made the initial request for \$180,000 which is required for these blind replacements. ***To date we have reached half of our goal so we are still in need of: \$90,000.***

Resident Room Blinds

Funds Required: \$ 90,000



GREATEST NEED:

For those who require 24 hour care and support, the need for high-quality services and programs is especially critical. With limited government funding and rising healthcare costs, fundraising for care is more important than ever. By supporting residents in care through donations, we can help ensure that the care, attention, and resources they need to live happy, healthy, and fulfilling lives is available.

One of the key ways to help our residents is by designating donations to the greatest need. These funds are directed to the most pressing issues, including additional resources for programs, services, and equipment. By supporting the greatest need, you are helping care facilities provide the best possible care and support for residents!

Farewell Kelly!



We would like to take this opportunity to share with you the news that Kelly Lott retired from her role as Donation Coordinator for the Father Lacombe Care Foundation effective April 27, 2023. Kelly began her role with the Foundation in November 2013 and from that day forward has dazzled us all with her creativity and unwavering can-do attitude. Kelly has worked tirelessly for the Foundation supporting its mandate to increase public awareness about Father Lacombe Care Society and to raise funds for our many projects and campaigns. Kelly's event planning expertise has been demonstrated at multiple successful Legacy Dinners and other fundraising events. Unselfishly, Kelly also shared her time and talents with Father Lacombe Care Society by supporting a number of vital projects and programs to promote excellence in resident care. Kelly is truly an individual who daily, demonstrated Living the Mission and gave her personal best to residents, families, and our staff.

Please join us as we wish Kelly all the best and congratulate her on a well-deserved retirement.

WE THANK YOU
for being part of our community.
THANK YOU FOR YOUR ONGOING SUPPORT.



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