



2022 Grant Summary

105 Grants

\$606,145 Funded



**WEST VANCOUVER
FOUNDATION**



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We believe that the future resilience and prosperity of our community starts with long-term investments made today. Our job is to keep an eye on community needs and put resources where they are needed.

Thanks to donations from local philanthropists & community members we were able to fund 105 grants in 2022, for \$606,145 to charities supporting those on the North Shore. Together, we share a commitment to a more vibrant, healthy and caring community.

Establishing our family fund allowed our four adult children to work together to identify the issues that most touched their hearts as they were growing up in West Vancouver. It allows us to recognize and assist the committed charities who support the pressing needs in the community now and for future generations.

-Paul and Gillian Robillard, director and fund holders

Community & Donor Grants

Community Grants support a wide range of community programs and projects that create **connection and belonging** for the North Shore community. In 2022, **49 projects** received a grant (Community or Donor) for **\$357,500 in funding**.

These grants are made possible thanks to the following funds: Ian and Rosemary Mottershead, Howard Martin Memorial, Bonnie J. McLaren Memorial, Mayor's Endowment, Musica Nautica, Fred K Russel, Ron & Barbara Howard, Adine Mees & David Van Seters Family, Denning-Chunn Family, Holly & Beke Burne, Joshua Goos, Irene Carpenter, Hender Family Fund, Thunderbird Marine Corp, Mrs. Kay Meek, Musica Nautica, and the West Vancouver Foundation's Smart & Caring Community.

365Give, #Do1GiveDay
Avalon Recovery Society
BC Mountain Foundation, Baden Powel Trail
BC SPCA West Vancouver Branch
Big Sisters, Virtual Go Girls Program
Bridge Festival
Canadian Mental Health North & West Vancouver
Capilano Community Services, Out & About Club
Crisis Intervention & Suicide Prevention Centre of BC
Dundarave Festival of Lights, Lookout Foundation
Family Services North Shore, Senior support
Ferry Building Gallery, Reflecting on Home
Harvest Project, Care program
Hollyburn Family Services, Youth Education Navigator
Junior Achievement of British Columbia
KEATS Camp, Water sports equipment
Lighthouse Park Preservation Society, Birdsong Path
Lighthouse Park Preservation Society, Outreach
Lions Gate Hospital Foundation, Wound therapy system
Lionsview Seniors Planning Society
MADD Canada, School workshops BC
National Indigenous People's Day
North Shore Celtic Ensemble, Winter Concert
North Shore Community Resources, Young Civic Forum
North Shore Community Resources, Seniors programming

North Shore Disability Resource Centre
North Shore Keep Well Society
North Shore Restorative Justice, Youth Action Council
North Shore Stroke Recovery
North Shore Women's Centre
Ocean Ambassadors Canada, adults 55+ Ocean Connect
PLEA Community Services, Taking Care Workshops
Public Health Association of BC, Community food literacy
Red Fox Healthy Living Society, Youth engagement
School District 45, Glenealges Ch'axáy Outdoor hub
Silver Harbour Seniors Centre, Cycling Without Age
Special Olympics BC North Shore
Summer Work Experience Program, District of West Van
Vancouver Art Gallery, Indigenous Cultures Program
Vets Without Borders
VSO School of Music, West Van satellite
West Van Art Museum, Family art project
West Van Community Arts, Creative Voices 2022
West Van Police, Ch'ich'iyuy canoe program
West Van Police, Youth summer camp
WV Streamkeepers, Nelson Creek
West Vancouver Marine Rescue
West Van Seniors Centre, Shuttle
Zajac Ranch for Children

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Give Where You Live

Give Where You Live is an exciting giving campaign that empowers community members to join others in West Vancouver & the North Shore in supporting a select group of local charities. The 2022 campaign raised \$195,000 through community donations, the Ian & Rosemary Mottershead Fund, and the Howard Martin Memorial Fund! 100% of these funds go direct to the 8 charity partners.

We were thrilled to be able to take part in the Give Where You Live campaign, as more and more women are recovering from addictions and the additional funds will help us support these North Shore women and families.

-Kelly, Manager, Avalon Recovery Society



Avalon Recovery Society

Addiction Counselling Programs

Providing life-changing services to women and families that are recovering from addiction.

\$24,550 raised



Christmas Bureau

Family Services of the North Shore

Helping low-income families, individuals and seniors celebrate the holidays on the North Shore.

\$16,485 raised



Harvest Project

Care Program

Providing individualized safety-net services to residents facing challenging life circumstances.

\$21,631 raised



Ocean Ambassadors Canada

Pickup3 North Shore

A program to get everyone involved in protecting our ocean, lakes, rivers, forests and more.

\$17,990

NS Community Resources

Supporting Vulnerable Seniors

Providing a one stop hub of information and services for vulnerable seniors on the North Shore.

\$22,220 raised



Feed the Need Program

West Van Seniors Activity Centre

Providing free meals to seniors who are struggling with food security and without family or community support to help.

\$62,875 raised



365Give Society

Student Leadership Program

A program based on a community service-learning model that will empower learners to give.

\$20,590 raised



Kay Meek Arts Society

Summer Youth Conservatory

An annual musical theatre intensive for youth from the age of 8 to 18.

\$9,445 raised



Thank you to everyone that donated to the **Give Where You Live** campaign!

A special thank you to Ian & Rosemary Mottershead, British Pacific Properties and others that generously contributed.

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WHERE YOU LIVE



2022 Grant Recipients

Thank you to the charities, teams and volunteers that work to support those across the North Shore. The services you provide help create a community where everyone feels connected and that they belong.

Transformation Grants

Transformation Grants supports community initiatives that focus on **systems-level change and transformation** for current and emerging issues for the benefit of the community. This year's grant was funded by the Howard Martin Memorial Fund and an anonymous donor.

1 grant, \$25,000 granted

Family Services of the North Shore - Proud2Be Program

Micro Grants

Micro Grants provide **responsive** support for smaller charitable initiatives that create connection and belonging for the community. These are funded by the Howard Martin Memorial Fund. **5 grants, \$4,000 granted**

West Van Historical Society - Inside West Van book
Polish Heritage Society - Bridge Festival participation
Gleneagles Golf Society - Youth golf tournaments
BC Crisis Centre - Management training
West Van Police - Student Work Advisory Team give back

Neighbourhood Small Grants

The **Neighbourhood Small Grant** program was started as a way to combat loneliness and social isolation, by making communities stronger, safer and more welcoming. Small grants (up to \$500) are offered to residents to hold their own community building event. **33 grants, \$15,560 granted.** Some events in 2022 were:

Open Air Art Classes
Bigger Block Dance Party
Butterflyway Project
Block Parties
Coast Salish Leatherwork
Salsa-cise by the Sea
Lending Library
Cooking Classes for Families

**small
grants.
big ideas.**

Youth Philanthropy Council

The Youth Philanthropy Council (YPC), is a passionate group of West Vancouver students dedicated to developing leadership and next-gen philanthropy through **youth-led grant making and volunteerism**. Through their '100 Youth Who Care' events they meet with and grant to organizations that serve North Shore youth.

9 grants, \$9,000 granted

Red Fox Healthy Living, Urban Native Youth Association, Urban Spirit Foundation, Foundry North Shore, PLEA Community Services, Vancouver Adaptive Snow Sports x 2, Covenant House, North Shore Neighbourhood House.



*Thank
you*

Thank you to everyone that donated to the West Vancouver Foundation including online donations, cheques, opening a fund, donating securities, or leaving a gift in a will. Your donations are making a difference to those on the North Shore!



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