

Stronger together.

Your donations are advancing precision medicine for cancer patients by closing the gap between research in the lab and patients' care in the Cancer Centres.

See pages 6-7.



Donald E. Kramer, 1926-2018

Thanks to a gift made in honour of Donald E. Kramer, the NextSeq 550 Next Generation Sequencer System is helping to lead a paradigm shift in ovarian cancer care.

Messages from Our Board Chair & CEO

Cancer Foundation of Saskatchewan



I am pleased to present the 2022-2023 Annual Donor Report for the Cancer Foundation of Saskatchewan.

Thankfully, despite the strains and restrictions

caused by the Covid pandemic, we have continued to receive incredible support from you, our loyal donors. Every donation goes towards benefitting cancer patients in Saskatchewan.

I am extremely proud of the work that the Board and staff have done since 2019 to create the Cancer Foundation of Saskatchewan. It has been a goal for some time to have a Foundation in our province where donors have an option to support cancer patient care and treatment right here at home.

As the Founding Board Chair, it has been my privilege to serve and to volunteer my time; however, it is time to pass the torch. This will be my last report as Chair of the Foundation.

I would like to express my gratitude to the people of Saskatchewan who have put their trust in the Foundation and who have been so generous. To my Board colleagues, past and present, thank you for your commitment to build the foundation for the Foundation! And last, but not least, thank you to the Foundation staff for the tremendous work they do day in and day out.

Respectfully submitted,

Dr. J Stewart McMillan | Chair



As I look back on this past year, I am inspired and humbled by your generosity. As you know, every dollar counts, and this year, your donations in support of cancer care in Saskatchewan exceeded \$4 million. Thank you!

I hope that as you read the stories in this report, you are proud of your support for cancer patients! Thanks to you, we were able to support precision medicine research, purchase equipment for our two Cancer Centres, provide funding for screening programs, and support patients on their journey.

Advancements in treatment and research are critical. But so is the care and comfort of each cancer patient. Your donations fund wigs, nutrition, parking, taxi services, food and fuel, supportive care programs, and so much more. Cancer comes at a cost, and your support eases the burden for cancer patients.

The Cancer Foundation of Saskatchewan continues to evolve, and this year we say farewell to three of our inaugural Board members as their term ends: Corey Miller, Don Ravis, and John Scarfe. After years of advocating and volunteering, our inaugural Board Chair, Dr. McMillan, will move to past chair this year. These visionary community leaders have built a strong foundation, and as we step into our fifth year, we thank them, and we thank you.

Your loyalty, trust, and support are changing what is possible for cancer care in Saskatchewan. We are so very grateful to you.

With gratitude,

Nora Yeates, CFRE | CEO

A Message from President & CEO

Saskatchewan Cancer Agency



Looking back on the past year, I continue to be grateful for the hard work of the Cancer Foundation of Saskatchewan and the generosity of donors across the province. Your combined efforts are making

a difference for each patient who comes through our doors.

We are all aware of the financial realities faced by many households in recent times. We understand that times are tough. This is why we are grateful for your donations and value your trust in our work at the Cancer Agency.

When Saskatchewan residents face a cancer diagnosis, they also face a multitude of challenges and uncertainties that come with it.

Your support gives hope to our patients when they need it most. Knowing that there are people just like them who want to ease the burden for cancer patients can create feelings of hope in the darkest times.

Your support also gives hope to our staff. Your confidence in our programs, treatments and research inspires us to move forward every day toward our vision of a healthy population, free from cancer.

On behalf of everyone at the Saskatchewan Cancer Agency, thank you for supporting our work to make a difference for people living with cancer.

Deb Bulych | President and CEO



Shelley Gregg, founding Board member for the Cancer Foundation of Saskatchewan

Shelley Gregg, 1961-2023

This year we lost a member of our family. Shelley Gregg, founding Board member for the Cancer Foundation of Saskatchewan, passed away Feb. 28th after her final bout with cancer. She has left a distinct mark on cancer care in our province and on the Saskatoon community.

Every year since 2007, Shelley and her friends, with the help of Dutch Growers, turned the greenhouse into a wonderland of beauty! Always a sellout event, Choc'laCure raised over \$3.0 million for the Saskatoon Cancer Centre!

Shelley was a remarkable volunteer, and an even more exceptional wife, mother, grandmother, sister, aunt, and friend. She loved with her whole heart and she will be deeply missed by so many.

Your Impact by the numbers

Your donations are benefitting cancer care for patients in Saskatchewan. Whether they are used for the purchase of new equipment for cancer treatment, enabling leading-edge cancer research, or providing items to ease the financial burden for cancer patients, your support is providing the best possible outcomes for patients – right here at home.

Here are just some of the ways in which your donor dollars were used this year:

CANCER RESEARCH



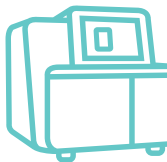
\$147,680

investment in clinical trials being done in Saskatchewan



\$316,611

in equipment to facilitate cancer research being done in the lab



\$519,313

NexGen Sequencer (see page 6)

PATIENT CARE & COMFORT

\$127,126

for supportive items and financial relief for Saskatchewan cancer patients, including:



\$8,146

for interpretive services for ESL, deaf and hard of hearing patients



\$23,350

for groceries and fuel for patients in financial need



\$17,710

for coffee and snacks for patients undergoing chemotherapy and radiation



\$17,861

for cable tv, internet and newspaper subscriptions for patients to pass the time while visiting cancer centres and patient lodges



\$14,651

for taxi services to assist patients without transportation to attend treatment



\$25,000

for Christmas Hampers to ease the burden for families with a loved one receiving treatment during the holidays

CANCER TREATMENT AND EQUIPMENT



\$273,562

to purchase equipment to enable compassionate cancer care; from defibrillators to blanket warmers, fiberscopes to positioning boards used in radiation therapy.

AGENCY ACHIEVEMENTS



As the fundraising partner of the Saskatchewan Cancer Agency, your donations to the Foundation support the work of the Agency, including:

New patient appointments 8,161	Total new and review cancer patient appointments 78,558	Radiation treatments delivered 37,435
Chemotherapy treatments delivered at the Allan Blair and Saskatoon Cancer Centres 26,080	Patients enrolled in clinical trials 136	Stem cell transplants performed 65
Number of guest nights at the Regina Cancer Patient Lodge 3,560	Number of guest nights at the Saskatoon Cancer Patient Lodge 3,549	
Mammograms performed 28,454	Mammograms performed on the Breast Screening Bus 6,412	



OUR MISSION

We raise funds to support the cancer care needs of the people of Saskatchewan.

OUR VISION

World-class cancer care and prevention for the people of Saskatchewan.

OUR CORE VALUES

Integrity

We are honest, transparent, and ethical in the pursuit of our mission.

Collaboration

We work together, in teamwork and collaboration – we are “Stronger Together”.

Innovation

We are creative and innovative – constantly exploring new and better ways to meet the needs of our stakeholders.

Passion

We are dedicated to raising funds to support a better future for Saskatchewan people impacted and affected by cancer.



New Equipment Leads a Paradigm Shift

A Generational Gift

As soon to be launched clinical trial will be the **first in the world** that aims to substantially improve quality of life for ovarian cancer patients. By combining multiple test methods together, patients will gain access to more accurate, personalized genomic information, allowing them to make informed choices about their own care.

The trial is made possible by a donor-funded NextSeq 550 Next Generation Sequencer System (Sequencer), the first in Saskatchewan. The Sequencer is leading-edge technology for genetic DNA testing of tumors and blood.

Thanks to a gift made in honour of Donald E. Kramer, the Sequencer was purchased to support work being done by Dr. Laura Hopkins, Provincial Lead for Gynecologic Oncology at the College of Medicine and the Saskatchewan Cancer Agency.



A donation in honour of Donald E. Kramer was made on behalf of his children, grandchildren and great grandchildren to purchase the NextSeq 550 Next Generation Sequencer System.

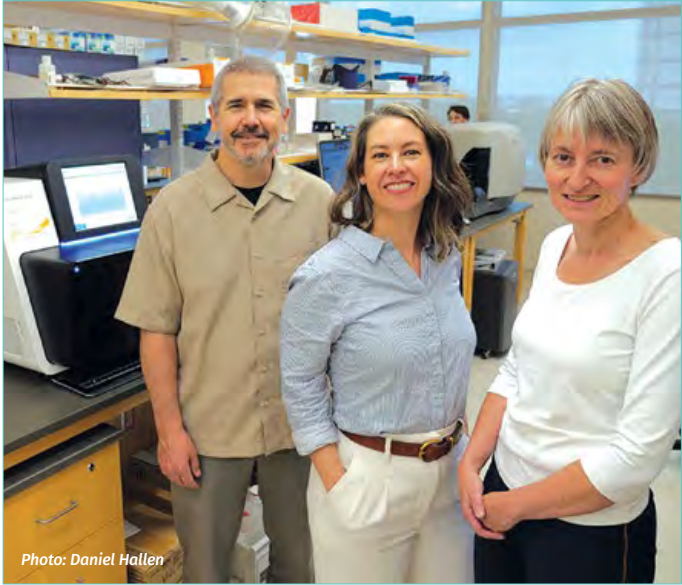
Dr. Hopkins is leading a study that will use the Sequencer to test ovarian cancer patients' tumours for genetic mutations. This personalized information predicts how individual patients will respond to drug treatments, resulting in less side effects and increased quality of life.

"We are leading a paradigm shift in ovarian cancer care with this trial," she said.

"We're working with gynecologic researchers in Saskatchewan, Manitoba, Alberta, and British Columbia to identify how to use the genomic sequencing data from this project to best benefit cancer patients," said Dr. Hopkins.

While the Sequencer was purchased to support work being done in ovarian cancer care, the most fatal gynecologic cancer, it is already being used to address prostate cancer. Dr. Hopkins says the Sequencer will also be useful in addressing pancreatic and breast cancer, as well as others.

Thank you to the Kramer family's children, grandchildren and great grandchildren for their vision to invest in the future of cancer care.



Researchers Dr. John DeCoteau, Dr. Mary Kinloch, and Dr. Laura Hopkins with the Sequencer (at left)

Research – Where Hope Lives

Saskatchewan Cancer Agency's Research Department

In May 1990, the Saskatchewan Cancer Agency (Agency) established a research group through funding awarded by the Terry Fox Regional Development Grant from the National Cancer Institute of Canada.

This grant allowed the Agency to recruit four research scientists, with cross appointments in the College of Medicine at the University of Saskatchewan (USask), to set up a dynamic Cancer Research Centre in our province.

Agency research scientists provide state-of-the-art laboratory experiences with a very active training environment for graduate students and Post-Doctoral Fellows. Each scientist holds an appointment in the Division of Oncology, College of Medicine at USask and is also an adjunct member in Biochemistry, Anatomy, Microbiology, Immunology, or Pathology.

Creating an interactive, collaborative research environment is critical to advancing discoveries in the field of cancer research.

"There are opportunities for real patient benefits when clinicians and scientists work together in the area of precision medicine; where the right patient gets the right treatment at the right time" said Dr. Deborah Anderson, Director of Research, Saskatchewan Cancer Agency.

The addition of a biobank just over a year ago has enabled the testing of live specimens and enhanced the ability to precisely inform clinical decision-making. Thanks to research, more and more treatments are tailored to the patient, providing the best outcome possible.

Thanks to your generosity, we have been able to provide more than \$460,000 to fund two clinical trials and leading-edge equipment for the lab.

Dr. Franco Vizeacoumar, Dr. M. Dean Chamberlain, Dr. Deborah Anderson, and Dr. Jim Xiang



Pink is the Colour, Football is the Game



Our Saskatchewan Roughriders are more than a professional football team. They are ambassadors for our community and our province. For over a decade, the Cameco Riders Touchdown for Dreams program, a partnership between the Saskatchewan Roughriders and Cameco, has granted more than 70 Dreams for women facing a life-threatening cancer diagnosis.

"It's just so humbling to see these ladies and how they approach life and their diagnosis," said Kevin Clive, who brought Cameco on board to support the program in its early years through his position as Senior Sales and Partner Relations Executive with the Club.

"Rider fans play a critical role in this program, and they have been incredibly supportive. Rider Nation really funds the Dreams through the sale of pink items at the special "Pink Game" each October. We have fans that make sure they always attend the Touchdown for Dreams game because they want to support and buy the pink item," he said.

Dream recipients are invited to the Pink Game and are often joined at a special dinner by Rider ambassadors the night before. Beyond making Dreams come true, Rider players, coaches and staff give recipients the star treatment which over the years has included being taken down to field level for the highly-anticipated 'Bring 'Em Out' entrance, and being involved in the coin toss.

Clive says the program means a lot to the team, with all game day staff participating and the players wearing pink spats, gloves, or other pink items during the Pink Game. He attributes the longevity of the program to the commitment of both Roughrider President and CEO Craig Reynolds and Cameco CEO Tim Gitzel.

"Our partnership with Cameco has been critical to the success of this program," he said. "It means a lot to so many people."

For more information or to attend the Pink Game, please visit cancerfoundationsask.ca/events/camecoridersdreams/

CFL Fans Tackle Cancer

Football fans flocked to Regina for the 109th Grey Cup, and although the Toronto Argonauts took home the Cup, the real champions were local cancer patients.

Established in 2005, CFL Fans Fight Cancer started as a result of Ron Lancaster's cancer diagnosis. In cities hosting the Grey Cup, a committee of local volunteers host fundraising events for local cancer charities.

Led by the folks at Piffle Podcast in 2022, CFL Fans Fight Cancer raised a whopping \$24,346 to support cancer patients at the Allan Blair Cancer Centre in Regina!



An Impressive Assist by the Regina Pats and 22Fresh

When the Regina Pats Hockey Club approached Kip Simon, owner of 22Fresh, to get involved in their 14th Annual Cancer Awareness Game, he agreed immediately. Over the last 13 years, the Pats focused on breast cancer awareness, but broadened the scope this year to include everyone impacted by the disease. For Kip, this game was an opportunity to support his wife Kelly, who had been diagnosed with breast cancer this year.

The Pats wore themed jerseys designed by 22Fresh, which were auctioned off online, and limited edition merchandise was available to purchase. Hockey fans bid high and all the merchandise sold out, resulting in an astonishing \$22,000 raised to support Saskatchewan cancer patients, just like Kelly.



Kip and Kelly Simon drop the puck with their two boys at the 14th Annual Cancer Awareness Game

Dream recipient performs the coin toss

Generosity Blooms

Dutch Growers has Strong Saskatchewan Roots

Arie Van Duyvendyk is the founder of Dutch Growers Garden Centre in Saskatoon. He is the proud father of 6 children he raised in the business alongside his beautiful wife, Adrie. This year the garden center celebrated their 70th anniversary!

Arie knows the burden of cancer and has always been an avid supporter of the Saskatoon Cancer Centre. In fact, for 13 years, Dutch Growers Saskatoon has been the gorgeous venue of many fashion shows and galas in support of Choc'laCure and the Saskatoon Cancer Centre. Since 2007, more than \$3 million has been raised through Choc'laCure with 100% of the money going towards purchasing equipment used in the treatment of men, women and children at the Saskatoon Cancer Centre.

This year, in honour of Choc'laCure, Arie has made a \$50,000 donation to help replace the Breast Screening Bus. A tremendous donation that will benefit thousands of patients going through care and treatment.



Adrie and Arie Van Duyvendyk



Fashion Show at Dutch Growers



Dutch Growers is family-owned



Dutch Growers hosts Choc'laCure

Fueling Cancer Care, One Litre at a Time

Sherwood Co-op and the Co-op Refinery Complex

More than \$250,000 has been donated to the Cancer Foundation of Saskatchewan over the past four years, courtesy of "Fuel Good Day", a partnership between Sherwood Co-op and the Co-op Refinery Complex.

"Giving back to our community is paramount for Sherwood Co-op and the Co-op Refinery Complex. We are very proud of our donations to the Cancer Foundation because we know how much good the money does for people in our community," said Troy Verboom, CEO of Sherwood Co-op.

Since 2019, Sherwood Co-op designates one day a year as "Fuel Good Day". On this day, 20 cents from every litre of fuel sold at a Sherwood Co-op gas station is donated by Sherwood Co-op and the Co-op Refinery Complex to support cancer patients.

"We have people who show up on fumes because they know that every single litre that they can put into their vehicle is an extra 20 cents for the Cancer Foundation," said Megan Dunn, Community Engagement Manager.

Funds raised through Fuel Good Day have supported various initiatives, including:

- the purchase of a \$1.5 million 4D CT simulator, which was installed in the Allan Blair Cancer Centre in 2019,
- the renewal of the Regina Cancer Patient Lodge in 2023, and
- new internal radiation equipment to strengthen the Allan Blair Cancer Centre's Provincial Prostate HDR Brachytherapy program.

And stay tuned this fall for ANOTHER Co-op Fuel Good Day in support of cancer patients in our community!



Erin fueling good for cancer patients

Fundraisers & Events: Our Community in Action

3 on 3 Basketball Tournament in celebration of Coach Trent Salmond	Hudson Bay
50 Cups of Coffee Winter Classic	Saskatoon
Aaron & Adriana Kelly Wedding Fundraiser, in Honour of Jack Senecal	Saskatoon
Access Communications Grey Cup Tailgate Party	Regina
Annual Ride for Breast Cancer Screening	Regina
Aurora Cinemas – Grease Movie Fundraiser	Meadow Lake
Barbara McKinnon – Fifth Avenue Collection Fundraiser	Moose Jaw/Online
Besties for Breasties’ Family Fun Day	Saskatoon
BHP– Paint Saskatchewan Pink	Leroy, BHP Jansen Mine
Bishop James Mahoney School Fundraiser	Saskatoon
Bodacious Blinds – Blinds for Boobies	Regina/Provincial
Brayden Ottenbreit Close Cuts for Cancer 25 th Anniversary	Yorkton/Online
C95 Radio Marathon for Breast Cancer Research	Saskatoon
Cameco Riders Touchdown for Dreams – Pink Game	Regina
Campbell Collegiate Fundraiser	Regina
Carol Wagner & Living Sky Casino – Donut Fundraiser	Swift Current
CFL Fans Fight Cancer – Celebrity Dunk Tank & Grey Cup Fan Night	Provincial
Choc’laCure Inspired Giving	Saskatoon
City Park School Business Fair	Saskatoon
CNH Industrial Canada Ltd. – CNH Idol	Saskatoon
Comet Predators – 50/50	Saskatoon
Consumers’ Co-operative Refineries Ltd. – Breast Cancer Fundraiser	Regina
Chelsey Hearty – Courage Cookies	Saskatoon/Online
Delisle Composite High School Pink Football Game	Delisle
Elite Hairstyling & Esthetics Training Center	Moose Jaw
Fantasy Football League Comedy Night Fundraiser	Riverside
Foam Lake Savings & Credit Union Jean Day	Foam Lake
Fundraver vs. Cancer	Saskatoon
Hanley Composite School Bake Sale	Hanley

IG Day of Caring	Regina
Kenaston School Cancer Research Fundraiser	Kenaston
Kendra Volk Fundraiser	Fox Valley
Kindersley High School – Flush Away Cancer	Kindersley
Kipling Royal Canadian Legion – Walk-a-thon	Kipling
Level 10 Fitness Fundraiser	Regina
Maidstone High School Pink Games	Maidstone
Martensville Fire Department – Movember	Martensville
Outback Spinshack – Bikes, Boobs & Bubbly	Carrot River
Pearl Brown Trek for Cancer	Corman Park
Pebble Baye Community Pancake Breakfast	Iroquois Lake
Pink Gala Ladies Night Out	Saskatoon
Queen City Marathon	Regina
RCMP Depot 2022 Turkey Shoot	Regina
Regina Motorcycle Association Inc. – Storm the Decks	Regina
Regina Pats Cancer Awareness Game	Regina
Regina Plumbing & Heating – Heating Up The Fight Against Breast Cancer	Regina
Richardson Pioneer Staff Fundraiser Friday	Richardson
Royal Regina Golf Fore Cancer	Regina
Ryde YXE Cycle Studio – Ryde for Change	Saskatoon
Sara’s on Centre – Ribbon Cookie Sales	Regina Beach
Saskatoon Community Corrections – Dress Down Days	Saskatoon
SaskGaming Casino Regina – HR Staff Cake Walk Fundraiser	Regina
SaskGaming Donation Boxes at Casinos Regina & Moose Jaw	Regina & Moose Jaw
SGI Canada – Christmas Basket Raffle	Regina
Sheldon Williams High School Football – Pink Month	Regina
Sherwood Co-op Fuel Good Day	Regina
Sno-Pitch Extravaganza	Hanley
South Shore Elementary School – Pink Month	Regina Beach
Southern Prairie Railway – Robbery Train Ride	Ogema
Spartan Leaders Charity Golf Tournament	Deer Valley
St. Volodymur Villa Fundraiser	Saskatoon
SugiSpin for Breast Cancer Research	Saskatoon
That Night On Broadway	Saskatoon
The Crescents School Fundraiser	Regina
Thom Collegiate Beat Cancer Week	Regina
U15 AA Regina Rebels Hockey – Lavender Game	Regina
USask Huskies – Hockey Fights Cancer	Saskatoon
Woytiuk’s Pledge Drive	Shell Lake



Besties for Breasties’ Family Fun Day,
Saskatoon



Annual Ride for Breast Cancer Screening,
Regina



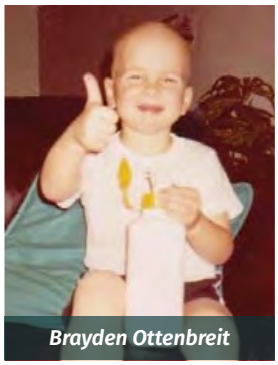
Pink Gala Ladies Night Out,
Saskatoon



Martensville Fire Department – Movember,
Martensville

Twenty-Five Years of Close Cuts

When Greg & Leone Ottenbreit’s son Brayden was diagnosed with a rare form of brain cancer at the age of three, they were heart-broken. Why Brayden? They immediately started the *Brayden Ottenbreit Close Cuts for Cancer*, a head-shaving fundraiser in Yorkton. Sadly, Brayden passed away at five years of age. Determined to keep his memory alive they decided not to be ‘bitter’, but to be ‘better’, and continued the head shave. 25 years later, *Brayden Ottenbreit Close Cuts for Cancer* has raised more than \$1 million for cancer research and local cancer initiatives in Saskatchewan.....making their community ‘better’.



Brayden Ottenbreit

The Brauns Pay It Forward

A Legacy Gift to the HDR Brachytherapy Campaign

Jacob and Jessie Braun built their home and long life together in Swift Current.

When Jessie developed a lump on her breast, she delayed getting a diagnosis for fear that it may be cancer. As the lump worsened, she finally stirred enough courage to see the doctor. Unfortunately by then, her breast cancer had progressed to stage 4.

Jessie received chemotherapy treatments at the Allan Blair Cancer Centre and a full mastectomy, and Jacob was right there with her. "The Allan Blair Cancer Centre was very important as it gave Jessie such good

treatment and extended her time with me" said Jacob.

Unfortunately, Jessie's cancer metastasized and Jacob lost the love of his life on June 14, 2015.

Jacob updated their Will to honour the incredible care Jessie received at the Allan Blair Cancer Centre by leaving their entire estate to help other patients on their cancer journey. Their legacy gift came at a crucial moment to support the High Dose Rate (HDR) Brachytherapy campaign to enhance targeted internal radiation for patients being treated at the Allan Blair Cancer Centre.



Jacob and Jessie Braun

Keeping Mom's Memory, Every Month



Leanne Rein



Caroline Hamm

Leanne Rein's mom, Caroline Hamm, was diagnosed with breast cancer in the fall of 2020. The Saskatoon Cancer Centre team made an impression with their compassion and support to Caroline and her family during treatments. Unfortunately, her cancer was very aggressive and she passed away on April 29, 2021.

After she passed, her family directed memorial gifts to the Foundation, and Leanne signed up for the Monthly Giving Program.

Leanne likes knowing that her monthly donations may help purchase new equipment or make patient stays more comfortable. She knows that Saskatchewan cancer patients will benefit and her mother's memory will live on.

SaskTel's Culture of Philanthropy

SaskTel has built a culture of giving back to the people and communities of Saskatchewan. Tim Jones, SaskTel Manager of Internal Communications, describes TelCare as one way that employees put their generosity into action.

"SaskTel TelCare was started in 1950 as a way for SaskTel employees to engage with their communities. Approximately 20% of employees donate regularly to the TelCare fund through payroll deductions, and SaskTel contributes \$0.50 for every employee dollar donated. Employees nominate charities each year and vote on where to invest their donations," Tim explained.

Since 1987, TelCare members have recognized the importance of supporting cancer care in Saskatchewan. Their annual donations have contributed nearly \$350,000 to the Allan Blair Cancer Centre in Regina.

With so many charities doing important work in our province, Tim says, "There's always at least one nomination for the Cancer Centre. It's a cause close to many people's hearts. Everyone is affected by cancer in some way."

SaskTel helps employees learn the joy of generosity and it becomes a habit. When employees retire from SaskTel, many continue to make meaningful

contributions to their communities through volunteerism with the SaskTel Pioneers.

The Pioneers are a network of over 4,000 current and former SaskTel employees from twelve clubs across Saskatchewan, including the Harry AD Allen Life Members in Regina.

Approximately 20% of employees donate regularly to the SaskTel TelCare fund through payroll deductions, and SaskTel contributes \$0.50 for every employee dollar donated.

For years, Harry AD Allen Life Members have worked hard at their fundraising to supply head scarves, turbans and lap quilts all made personally by hand and free for cancer patients. Since 2007, the Harry AD Allen Life Members have donated \$13,550 paying tribute to their lost members through memorial donations and with more recent donations supporting the Regina Cancer Patient Lodge and the Breast Screening Bus.

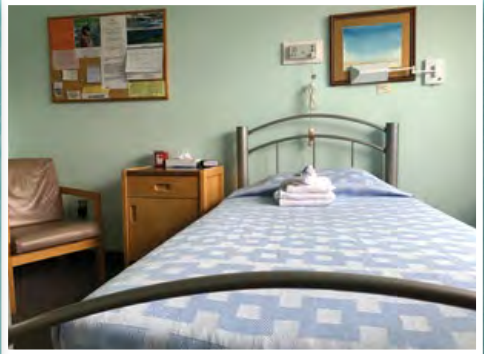
Thank you SaskTel TelCare and Pioneers for your incredible efforts dedicated to helping cancer patients every year.



Harry AD Allen Life Members present a donation in support of the Breast Screening Bus



Harry AD Allen Life Members sew quilted lap blankets to provide comfort to cancer patients



A patient room at the Regina Cancer Patient Lodge will be renovated thanks to SaskTel TelCare

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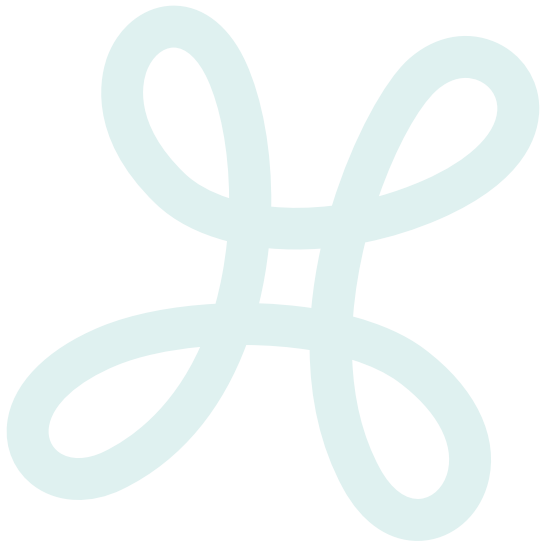
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Financial Highlights

Cancer Foundation of Saskatchewan

Summarized Statement of Financial Position

As at March 31, 2023

	2023	2022
ASSETS	\$	\$
Cash	2,608,044	2,439,618
Accounts receivable	5,210	16,265
Marketable securities	1,459,584	186,975
	4,072,838	2,642,858
Investments	2,828,295	2,708,436
Capital assets	20,103	24,408
Intangible assets	-	2,413
	6,921,236	5,378,115
LIABILITIES		
Accounts payable	72,371	73,169
	72,371	73,169
NET ASSETS		
Fund balances	6,848,865	5,304,946
	6,921,236	5,378,115

Summarized Statement of Operations

For the year ending March 31, 2023

	2023	2022
REVENUE	\$	\$
Restricted donations	3,693,953	2,985,307
Unrestricted donations	342,772	293,540
Other income (expense)	(44,635)	(54,670)
	3,992,090	3,224,177
EXPENSES		
Salaries and benefits	532,017	508,323
Fundraising, administration and marketing	257,269	267,252
	789,286	775,575
Excess of revenue over expenses before grants	3,202,804	2,448,602
Grants to the Saskatchewan Cancer Agency	(1,658,885)	(1,888,743)
Excess of revenue over expenses	1,543,919	559,859

The Foundation's financial statements have been audited by Virtus Group LLP.
The audited financial statements for the year ended March 31, 2023 are available at cancerfoundationsask.ca

Campaign Updates

Every year, your support funds improvements in cancer treatment, research and care. We see rapid advancements in cancer care, and your donations allow the Saskatchewan Cancer Agency to be poised to respond to the changing landscape. When the Foundation invites you to support new initiatives, you answer the call, proving that we are Stronger Together. Here are updates on just a few of the initiatives that your gifts are supporting.

Charity Charger: Resto Mod Raffle

Former Premier of Saskatchewan, Brad Wall and a team of Saskatchewan car enthusiasts and philanthropists partnered together to build a custom car and raise funds for charity. Together they built the 'Charity Charger', a 1970 Dodge Charger RT Resto Mod.

Donated to Brayden Ottenbreit Close Cuts for Cancer this car is now traveling the province, raising funds and awareness for cancer care in Saskatchewan!

Proceeds from the Charity Charger Car Raffle and 50/50 will help ensure that Saskatchewan cancer patients have access to the latest technology, innovative treatments and compassionate care to provide the best possible outcome through their cancer journey.

Purchase your tickets before August 20th!
cancerfoundationsask.ca/charitycharger



Saskatchewan's Breast Screening Bus

Early detection saves lives! And together we are on a mission to ensure that every woman over the age of 50 has equitable access to a breast screening mammogram. The Saskatchewan Cancer Agency's Breast Screening Bus travels throughout



Saskatchewan providing nearly 8,000 mammograms each year to women living in rural and remote areas.

Purchased in 2003, the Foundation jumped at the challenge to raise \$2 million to replace and outfit the bus with new technology – and you responded! We are 'that' close to meeting our goal and meetings have already started to discuss the design of a new build. Stay tuned for updates through our eNewsletter!

To learn more, please visit cancerfoundationsask.ca

HDR Brachytherapy: Targeted Internal Radiation Therapy

Thanks to you, more than \$1.25 million dollars has been donated since October 2021 to upgrade and replace the high dose rate (HDR) Brachytherapy equipment for both the Saskatoon Cancer Centre (SCC) and the Allan Blair Cancer Centre (ABCC) in Regina. This is a very precise and targeted form of internal radiation, used most often for prostate, cervical, and endometrial cancers.

The Provincial Prostate Brachytherapy program at ABCC began using its new equipment in May 2023! The suite itself is still undergoing a significant renovation to set the stage for the future of Brachytherapy programming.

The Provincial Gynecology Brachytherapy equipment for SCC has been ordered, including a complete set of treatment accessories. Timelines are in place to be operational this fall.



Renewing Your Home Away From Home – Update!

The Regina Cancer Patient Lodge (Lodge) is a home away from home for cancer patients from across southern and central Saskatchewan. Any patient can stay here for \$40 per night and receive three home-cooked meals each day.

The convenience and affordability are a welcome reprieve for those receiving treatments in Regina.

Your generosity is providing more than \$1.7 million in upgrades to the 38-year old Lodge. Pictured below is the new roof, replaced this spring.



Tiffany Hymers,
Lodge Manager
and Nora Yeates,
Foundation CEO



Roof after upgrade

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