



# Newsletter

## September 2022

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ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING



## what moves you?

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Join us on October 1, 2022 for the Ride for Refuge, a family-friendly bike and walk fundraiser supporting local charities who help people seeking refuge from danger, hardship, and abuse.



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## Distance



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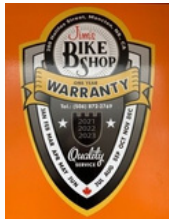
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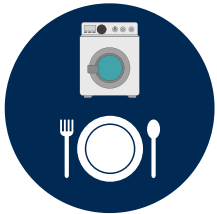
## Media

## In-kind



# YOUTH QUEST IMPACT REPORT

## 2022 SECOND QUARTER IMPACT



### YOUTH QUEST CENTRAL

a non-judgmental, safe multi-resource and drop-in centre that serves as a one-stop shop for youth who are struggling with degrees of homelessness.

**102**

UNIQUE YOUTH SERVED

**989**

INDIVIDUAL INTERVENTIONS

♂ **53**  
♀ **36**  
♀♂ **13**



### TRANSITIONAL HOUSING

a residence where a young person can stay while they rebuild their life and move it in a positive direction. They receive coaching and supervision to achieve program requirements and learn life skills and independence.

**11**

ACTIVE CLIENTS

**0**

SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED THE PROGRAM

♂ **5**  
♀ **6**



### DRUG INTERVENTION PROGRAM

a voluntary program that provides youth with information, support, and strategies to assist them in alleviating drug use and/or criminal behavior.

**34**

ACTIVE CLIENTS

**13**

NEW REFERRALS

♂ **23**  
♀ **11**  
♀♂ **0**



### IMPACT LEARNING CENTRE

an academic upgrading program for youth 18 to 24 years of age who have not experienced success in a typical classroom setting. Youth progress at their own pace, with the goal of successfully completing the General Education Development (GED) exam.

**12**

ACTIVE LEARNERS

**10**

WROTE GED

♂ **4**  
♀ **8**



# PRIDE PARADE 2022

Youth and staff from Youth QUEST Central participated in the Greater Moncton RIVER OF PRIDE Parade on August 27, 2022. Their theme was from The Wizard of Oz, "There is no place like home".

Lots of fun, color, music, and community!



# Youth Success Story

## William's Story



William was referred to the Drug Intervention Program by his school counsellor as he was using marijuana, missing a lot of school and failing some of his classes. William had a difficult childhood and has a history of mental health concerns. He was using drugs to cope and ease his anxiety. The focus of the program was not on the drugs but rather looking at problematic situations through a different lens. William began thinking things through rather than reacting to situations, which led to better decision making and less drug use. After 6 months in the program, William started seeing his family relationships grow healthier, he gained and maintained employment, started playing organized sports, and successfully passed grade 10. When asked what he learned from the program, he said, "I learned to stay focused on my goals and think things through before acting."

## Did you miss our AGM in June?

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