



Newsletter

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On February 25th Youth Impact celebrated its ten-year anniversary of hosting the Coldest Night of the Year where participants took to the streets of Greater Moncton to complete a 2- or 5-kilometer walk. This was an opportunity for citizens to stand in solidarity with the many individuals who are experiencing degrees of homelessness. Youth Impact dedicates all funds raised towards powering solutions for young people ages 16-24 who are accessing the organization's Transitional Housing program and its resource centre, Youth QUEST Central.



Coldest Night of the Year happened in 182 locations across Canada, in combination with national partner Blue Sea Foundation, and raised a total of over 12.3 million dollars to assist some of Canada's most vulnerable citizens. In Moncton the collective efforts of many raised an amazing \$148,679 and counting as donations can still be made up until the end of March.

On behalf of the Board of Directors I want express heartfelt appreciation to our 64 team captains for your leadership, to our 365 walkers for their commitment and passion, to our 1,189 donors for your generosity, and to our 77 volunteers for your kindness and compassion. Thank you to all our contributors for making Coldest Night of the Year 2023 the most successful in the agency's history. This superb team effort illustrates the strength and determination of our city in this big country of ours.

Sincerely,

Mel Kennah, Executive Director



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YOUTH QUEST IMPACT REPORT

2022-2023 FOURTH 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.

114
UNIQUE YOUTH
SERVED

2499
INDIVIDUAL
INTERVENTIONS

♂ **60**
♀ **43**
♂ **11**



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.

13
ACTIVE CLIENTS

2
SUCCESSFULLY
COMPLETED THE
PROGRAM

♂ **6**
♀ **7**



DRUG INTERVENTION PROGRAM

a voluntary program that provides youth who struggle with drug use and may have had, or are at high risk of coming into conflict with the justice system with information, support and strategies that will assist them in alleviating their drug use and alter their criminal behaviour.

34
ACTIVE CLIENTS

22
NEW REFERRALS

♂ **21**
♀ **13**
♂ **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.

11
ACTIVE LEARNERS

3
WROTE GED

♂ **6**
♀ **5**

Happening this Month

at Youth QUEST Central

Book Club

@ Youth QUEST Central

**Interested?
See a staff to sign up !**

Happening every
Wednesday @ 4 pm



FREE HAIRCUTS WITH HOUSE OF FADE

Happening First
Sunday of every
month

Max of 8 youth per month

Meet @ YQC
9:45 am

Sexual Health Game Night

Hosted by our UNB Nursing Students

Learn about Sexual Orientation vs Gender
Identity, Consent, Sexually Transmitted
Blood Borne Infections, and Pregnancy

***** Prizes to be won *****

Happening March 22, 2023
4:00 - 6:00 pm
@ Youth QUEST Central

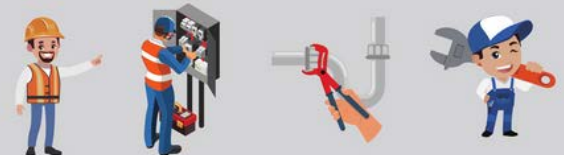


CANNELLONI DREAM!



Let's munch and chat with
real local entrepreneurs from
the construction industry:

- What employers expect
- How to get work in the construction industry
- Personal stories from inspiring leaders



WEDNESDAY, 29 MARCH 2023
4:00 PM - 7:00 PM
199 St George Street, E1C 1V6
(506) 869-6188



Student Practicum Opportunities



Youth QUEST Central provides a space for post-secondary students to complete practicum hours and break down barriers and/or stereotypes in working with youth homelessness they may have before completing their desired program.

QUEST Case Management

Annual General Meeting

 **DID YOU KNOW?**

Did you know that our QUEST Case Management program provides case management, client assessments, and pre-employment and employment preparation services to at-risk youth 16 to 24 years old?

Call 869-6327 to make an appointment.

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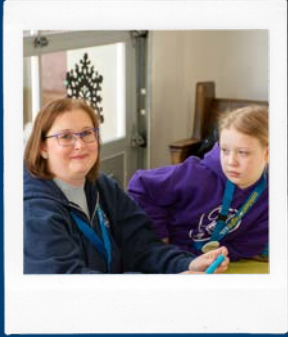
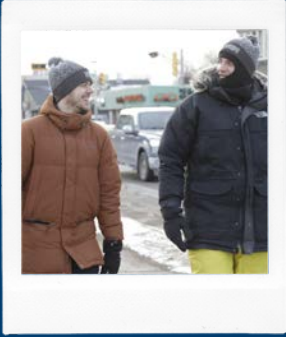
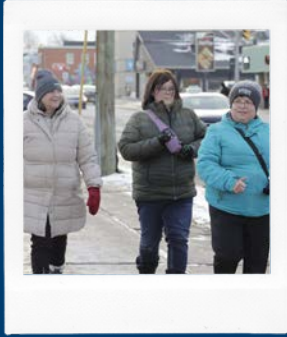
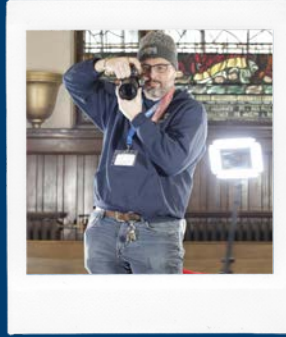
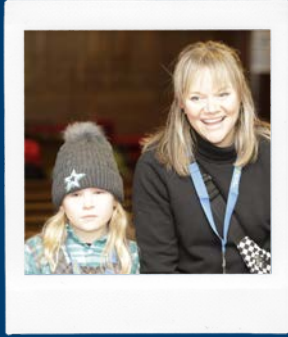
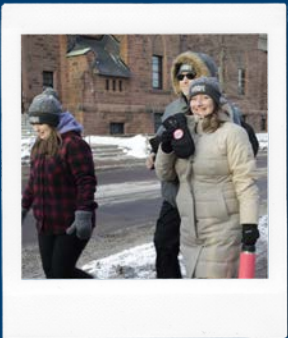
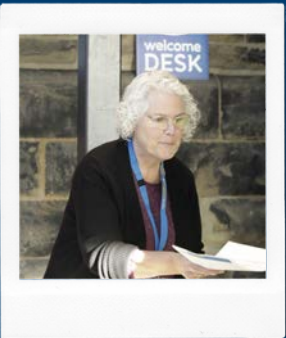
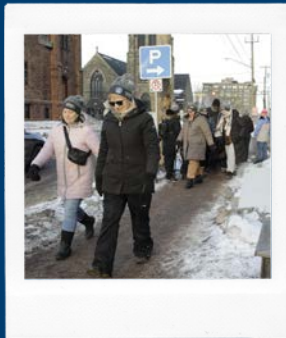
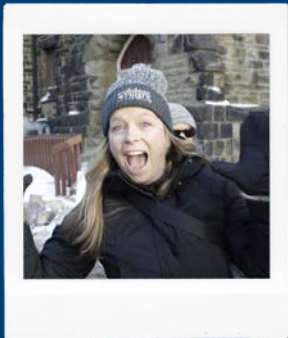
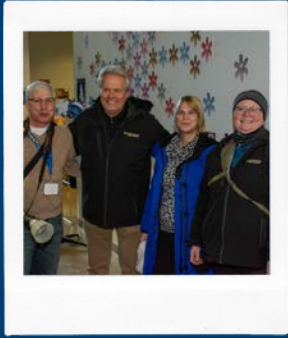
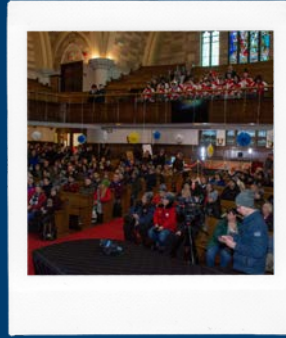
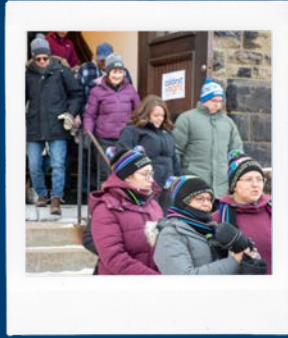
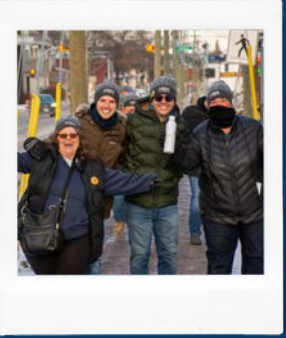
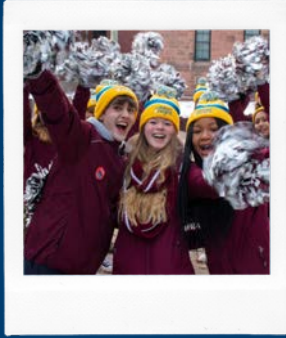
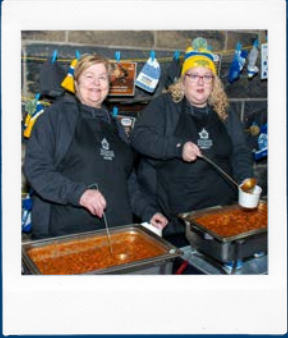
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SAVE THE DATE

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ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING




VOLUNTEER
touch a life
and make an
impact



DONATE
your contribution
will change a
future



CONNECT
learn more about
our mission and
work

