

OUR GOAL IS TO REDUCE THE IMPACTS OF POVERTY AND PROMOTE EQUITY OF ACCESS TO RESOURCES, SERVICES, SUPPORTS, CARE AND CELEBRATION.

Donations 14% United Way 5% City of Guelph 58% Other Grants 23% 2022 INCOME • \$1,431,212

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2022 EXPENSE \$1,545,500



16% GNSC Administrative Salaries

Rent, office, insurance, financial admin

Programs (NEHM, Summer Camp...)











Supporting 15 Neighbourhood Groups to actively engage across Guelph

Brant Avenue NG • Grange Hill East NG • Hanlon Creek NG • June Avenue NG • Kortright Hills NG

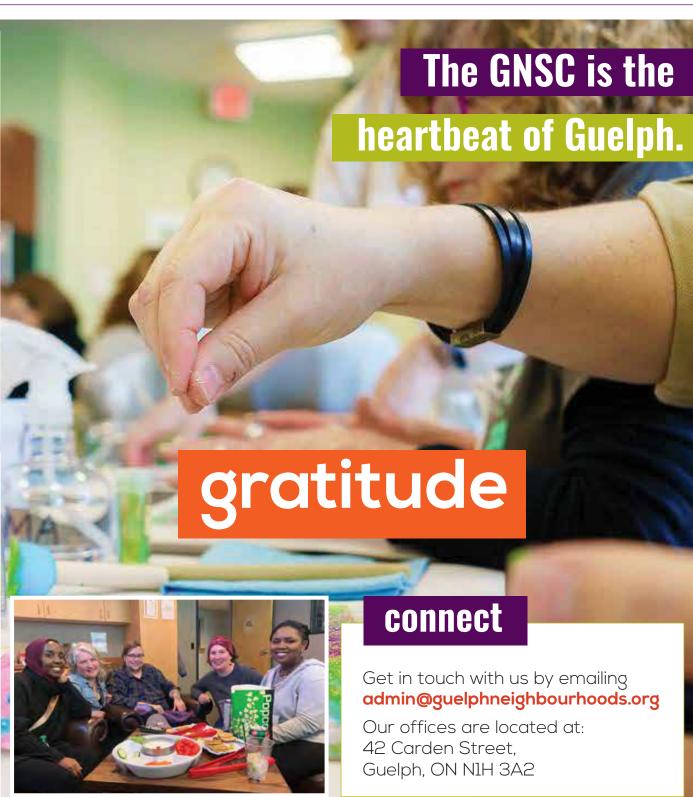
North Riverside NG · Onward Willow NG · Parkwood Gardens NG · Rickson Ridge NG · Saint George's Park NG

South End NGG • Sunny Acres NG • The Junction NG • Two Rivers NG • Your Downtown Guelph Friends











Neighbourhood Groups

Brant Avenue NG

Clairfields NG

Grange Hill East NG

Hanlon Creek NG

June Avenue NG

Kortright Hills NG

North Riverside (Waverley) NG

Onward Willow NG

Parkwood Gardens NG

Rickson Ridge NG

Saint George's Park NG

The Junction NG

Two Rivers NG

Your Downtown Guelph Friends

Program Partners

City of Guelph

Family & Children's Services

Guelph Community Health Centre

Guelph Police Service

WDG Public Health

Canadian Mental Health Association WW

Upper Grand District School Board

Wellington Catholic District School Board

Immigrant Services Guelph-Wellington

County of Wellington

Hello Friends,

2022 was a hard and inspiring year. There were still so many people suffering from structural oppression. The need for essential items, that rose during the peak of the pandemic, has remained high. The work of the coalition is to always find partners and friends to learn from and share resources and ideas with to meet the needs of the community. Nothing ever happens in isolation.

2022 saw use return to some of the programs and services that we used to deliver as spaces and rules opened. We also got to partner on some amazing new projects. Two of note are:

FEWD (Food Equity With Dignity). This program, dreamed up and led by Red Seal Chef Yasemin Zorlutuna, takes food that would spoil or be thrown out and turns it into delicious meals that go out weekly to 6 different Neighbourhood Groups. The program launched in May, through the support of the Our Food Future (City of Guelph) and served 10,000 meals and diverted 4 tons of food from landfill!

Art In a Just Recovery. This beautiful program led by our good friends at Art Not Shame brought community together through art, care and sharing to ultimately create a community mural (that was unveiled June 7th at the Guelph Farmers' Market in partnership with 10C). It is impossible to describe all the amazing parts of this program so please visit the website to learn more and be inspired:

https://artnotshame.org/art-in-a-just-recovery

Most importantly all the amazing and important things that happened in 2022 were because of the amazing volunteers and staff of the Neighbourhood Groups. Theirs is the daily work of building care,

connection and trust that allows powerful programs to flourish and to unleash the amazing gifts of our community members.

In Love and Kindness,

Brendan

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Thank you to outgoing Board members who served in 2022: Patti Holmes – EPNG, Ryan Waller – OWNG, Sheila Markle – F&CS, Valerie Walker - HCNG, Natalie Dixon-Judah - F&CS

LEVEL 1 \$100.000+



LEVEL 2

United Way Guelph Wellington Dufferin

Government of Canada \$5,000-99,000 Ontario Trillium Foundation

Canadian Mental Health Association Waterloo Wellington (CMHA WW)

David Suzuki Foundation Guelph Community Foundation

Second Chance Employment and Counselling Services

LEVEL 3 up to \$4,999 Guelph Police Service



THANK YOU to our fantastic volunteers!