



Wolfville Community Fund

2010 Community Grants Program

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About this Program

In the Summer of 2009, the Wolfville Community Fund completed a **Vital Signs**[®] report to give local residents a better understanding of the needs in our community using data from Statistics Canada and other reputable sources. The report indicated that Wolfville's higher than average poverty rates should be a key concern of our community, especially as it relates to our children and youth. As a result, the Wolfville Community Fund is directing its 2010 Community Grants Program to local programs and initiatives which are focussed on creating long term solutions for those living in poverty.

Grants Available

Two \$500 grants and one \$1,000 grant are available

Eligibility Criteria

In order to be eligible for a grant, an organization must:

- Provide programming or services to those living in poverty in the Wolfville area, **and either**
- Be registered as a charity with Canada Revenue Agency, **or**
- Create a partnership with a local charity or the municipality to carry out the work supported by this grant

Assessment Criteria

All submissions will be evaluated against the following criteria:

- Nature of the project in terms of its longer term impact on poverty reduction
- Scope of the project in terms of who and how many people will be affected by the project over what period of time
- The clarity of objectives over the life time of the project

All selected projects must submit a final report outlining outcomes against proposed objectives.

How to Apply

Please contact a member of the Wolfville Community Fund to obtain an application form, or download one from www.cfns.ca

Application Deadline

Applications are due by 30 June 2010. Successful applicants will be notified by end of July 2010.

About the Wolfville Community Fund

The Wolfville Community Fund is a permanent endowment fund created by and for the people of Wolfville to support local causes and initiatives that are in need of our collective support and investment. The Wolfville Community Fund is part of the Community Foundation of Nova Scotia, a public foundation and registered charity. For more information please visit www.cfns.ca



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Application Form

Please note: if we have not provided enough space, please feel free to attach additional information. Bullet points are welcome.

Part A: General Information

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| Organization: | | | |
| Contact Person & Role: | | | |
| Mailing Address: | | | |
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| Telephone Number: | | | |
| Fax Number: | | | |
| Email Address: | | | |
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| Number of Staff: | Full-Time: | Part-Time: | Volunteers: |

Is this organization a registered charity?

- Yes (please include number below)
 No

Name of partnering organization:¹

Part B: Grant Specifics

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| 1. Amount you are seeking: | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$500 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$1,000 |
| 2. How will this amount help your organization to help those living in poverty in the Wolfville area over the longer term? | |
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¹ Don't know what this means? Give Allison at the Community Foundation of NS a call at 1-877-999-5907.

3. *Please help us to gain a better understanding of “who” will be impacted by this grant by answering the following questions:*

(A) Approximately how many people do you think will be impacted by this grant and how did you arrive at that figure?

(B) In terms of time, how long do you anticipate that your project will impact those living in poverty?

(C) Does your work impact a specific group of people who are living in poverty (e.g., children, adults living with mental illness, those who are generally unemployed) more than another? If yes, please explain.

4. Is this a new or existing project?

New

Existing

5. Project Start Date:

Project End Date:

6. Without this funding, will you be able to do the desired work? Is there anything else which might prevent this work from going ahead?

Submit your application by June 30, 2010 and any supporting documentation to:

**Mr. Dick Groot, Chair
Wolfville Community Fund
210 Main Street, Wolfville, NS B4P 1C4
tel: 1 902 542 6125**

GRANT DECISION MAKING TIMELINE

Successful applicants will be notified by July 30, 2010.

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