



# BEREAVED FAMILIES OF ONTARIO-DURHAM REGION

## NEWSLETTER

*Bereaved helping the bereaved learn to live with grief*

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2017

### 2017 SUMMER FUNDRAISERS

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS



**"THE RIDE TO REMEMBER"** in support of Bereaved Families of Ontario - Durham was fortunate to have another beautiful day to ride the north Durham countryside and raise **\$16,500** as well as promote awareness for such a worthy program. This year's contribution takes us up to \$82,000 donated from the inception of the ride.

To begin the day we gather at Canadian Tire in Uxbridge to sign in and enjoy refreshments supplied by Tim Horton's. With 85 motorcycles rumbling along to our first stop at That Place in Fenelon Falls for lunch, the parade of orange t-shirts brings a visual presence to our cause. We were pleased to have the participation of Uxbridge Fire Department for an escort out of town as well as Durham Regional Police controlling the intersections. Our lunch stop is a chance to mingle and catch up with so many people that have been participating year after year. Along with the returning riders, we always have some new people joining us and quite often with a reason to be involved. After lunch we enjoy a scenic route back to Wixan's Bridge in Uxbridge. Food, entertainment and a chance to bid on some great silent auction items complete the day.

It is amazing that we have a group of sponsors that have been supporting our fundraiser annually. This year we were able to gain the support of some new sponsors that made this our most successful event to date. It is the dedicated work of Donna Sherrard and Lorne Johannessen which makes this possible - many thanks for the time and effort to make this a special day.

You don't have to ride to be a part of this event. Come on out and attend the after-ride for an enjoyable evening next year on July 31<sup>st</sup>, 2018. (see photo on page 8)

*"IF YOU LISTEN TO THE WIND YOU CAN STILL HEAR THEM PLAY!"*



On September 30, 2017 we held another **"BEACH DANCE"** at the Harmony Creek Community Centre. It was a fun-filled night where family and friends danced to the music of DJ Steve Meek. There were many winners of the numerous raffle gifts and silent auction gifts. We had a booze basket, joker poker and two Toonie Toss games.

This year we were fortunate to receive a very generous donation from Via Rail Canada. They donated a \$500.00 voucher and Chris Garvey was our auctioneer. He had several guests bidding for this donation and the final bid went for \$400.00 to Jamie Megit.

Thanks go out to our dedicated Dance Committee for all their hard work in selling tickets, obtaining prizes and helping out at the dance. Members involved were Debbie and Brad Brown, Beth Bryan, Chris and Suzanne Garvey, Rick and Sherry Mitchell, Wayne Wanamaker, Kirstie Sinclair, Janice Hick, Marlene Charewicz, Bev Campbell, Marlene Rose and Tammy Johnson.

This year we had MPP Lorne Coe and MPP Granville Anderson attend and speak.

We would like to thank all of our sponsors who generously donated prizes to make our Beach Dance a great success. **\$6,500** was raised for Bereaved Families of Ontario -Durham Region.

Please join us next year for our annual Beach Dance, Saturday, June 9th, 2018!!!

#### OCTOBER 2017

**Infant Loss Drop-In**  
Monday 2nd, 7-9 p.m.

**Evening Drop-In**  
Wednesday 11th, 7-9 p.m.

**Thanksgiving - office closed**  
Monday 9th

**Afternoon Drop-In**  
Monday 16th, 1-3 p.m.

**Fathers' Drop In**  
Thursday 19th, 7-9 p.m.

**Evening Drop-In**  
Thursday 25th, 7-9 p.m.

#### NOVEMBER 2017

**Infant Loss Drop-In**  
Monday 6th, 7-9 p.m.

**Evening Drop-In**  
Wednesday 8th, 7-9 p.m.

**Father's Drop-In**  
Thursday 16th, 7-9 p.m.

**Afternoon Drop-In**  
Monday 20th, 1-3 p.m.

**Evening Drop-In**  
Thursday 22nd, 7-9 p.m.

#### ANGEL TREE OF LIGHT

Thursday 23rd, 7:30-9 p.m.

#### DECEMBER 2017

**Brunch with Santa**  
**Harmony Creek Comm. Centre**  
Sunday 3rd, 10 a.m.

**Infant Loss Drop-In**  
Monday 4th, 7-9 p.m.

(SEE PAGE 4 FOR DECEMBER AND JANUARY CALENDAR DATES)

## A MESSAGE FROM YOUR EDITOR

**"SOME OF THE MOST COMFORTING WORDS IN THE UNIVERSE ARE "ME TOO". THAT MOMENT WHEN YOU FIND OUT THAT YOUR STRUGGLE IS ALSO SOMEONE ELSE'S STRUGGLE; THAT YOU ARE NOT ALONE, AND THAT OTHERS HAVE BEEN DOWN THE SAME ROAD."** ~ RITA GHATOUREY

That is what Bereaved Families of Ontario—Durham Chapter would like you to realize, that you are not alone and that we are only a phone call or drop-in away.

As the months or years go by since you have lost your child and you are feeling alone, remember us. We would like to help you through these hard times. We can't hurry you through this, or take away your pain, but we can help you understand more about what you are going through. Sometimes just knowing you are normal can be helpful. We encourage you to attend a drop-in. The dates for these drop-ins for the next 4 months are listed on pages 1 and 4.

Make sure to look after yourself; make it a priority to do this as you struggle to make sense of this all consuming journey of grief. Short walks, long baths, soothing music, regular meals, lots of water and as much rest as possible will help keep your energy stable.

On December 13th from 7-9 p.m., we will be having a drop-in focussing on "Getting Through the Holidays". Whether you are newly bereaved or not, this drop-in can help you through this difficult time.

This newsletter outlines our fundraising events which have taken place so far in 2017. The Walk to Remember, The Ride to Remember Brett, Bike, Blade or Board 4 Blake and the Beach Dance have all been successful this year, bringing our total in excess of \$38,500. BFO-D wishes to thank the organizers and all the volunteers who continue to make these fundraisers such a success.

Included with this newsletter is an order form for your angel for the Angel Tree of Lights Ceremony to be held on November 23rd. All angel orders must be received prior to this event. We hope to see you there!

In closing, I would like to wish everyone a safe fall and winter. Please take care of yourselves. ~ MICHELINE BALL

## YOU TOO CAN HELP!

### THE FOLLOWING VOLUNTEERS CONTINUE TO SUPPORT BFO-DURHAM ON A DAILY BASIS

ONE-ON-ONE AND GROUP SUPPORT FACILITATORS - Jane Carter, Charlotte McMorrow, Margaret Fortune, Magda Zoelman, Sharon Sears, Nichole Dickhoff, Denise Love, Jackie Foster, Denise Robinson, Angela White, Jan Mclean, Yvette Byrne-Menard, Colleen Timmins, Louise O'Donnell, Lisa Fogg, Rebecca Alley-Wilson, Donna Christie, Vicki Davis, Sherene Donovan, Gary Goswell, Chris Garvey, Wayne Wanamaker, Cara Tunney, Sherry Lancaster, Chantelle Gaudette, Sherry Mitchell, Penney-Claire Tilley, Joe Tilley, Andrea Onley, Jonathan Onley, Greg Wright, Brad Brown, Jennifer Carter, Kevin Goswell, Karen Beckett, Kelly Fitzpatrick, Rocco Granato, Kathie Hill, Lorraine Kingsley, Evelyn Rudd, Kirsty Sinclair, Linda Wiseman and Marjorie Whitehouse.

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OFFICE VOLUNTEERS - Denise Love, Marlene Charewicz, Bev Campbell, Angela White, Debbie Brown, Kelly Grieg, Beth Bryan

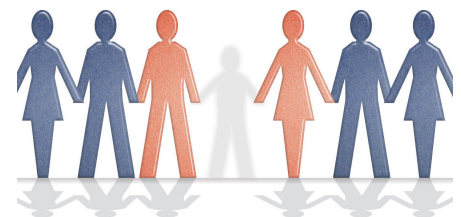
ANNIVERSARY LETTERS - Debbie Brown

WEB SITE - Ronda Evans

NEWSLETTER EDITOR - Micheline Ball

MOTHERS' RETREAT - Susan Hendricks and Joyce MacIntyre

BFO-DURHAM BOARD OF DIRECTORS - Gary Goswell, Louise O'Donnell, Marian Rehr, Margaret Fortune, Sharon Sears, Chris Garvey, Micheline Ball



## YOUR FEED-BACK IS VERY IMPORTANT!!

**THANK YOU TO THE MANY WHO CONTRIBUTED TO THIS ISSUE. PLEASE CONTINUE TO SUPPORT THIS NEWSLETTER, WHICH IS A VOICE FOR THE BEREAVED. WE ENDEAVOUR TO KEEP YOU AS UP TO DATE AS POSSIBLE WITH ALL ON-GOING INFORMATION AND WOULD LIKE YOUR HELP; SHARE YOUR THOUGHTS, IDEAS OR REQUESTS THROUGH THIS VENUE. RECOMMEND A BOOK AND WRITE WHAT YOU LIKE ABOUT IT. SHARE YOUR STORY, SUBMIT A POEM, OR TELL OF THINGS THAT HAVE HELPED YOU ALONG YOUR GRIEF JOURNEY. WE THANK YOU IN ADVANCE FOR GETTING INVOLVED!**

## FROM THE DESK OF YOUR EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

At this time of year, as days get colder and winter approaches, we must all endure the unrelenting reality of a holiday without our children. Even after all these years, I still immensely miss my children who have passed, at Christmas time.

I truly look forward once again to the Angel Tree of Lights, where I know I am not alone on this journey. Please join us on Thursday, November 23<sup>rd</sup> for this wonderful evening, now in its twenty-second year. This is another time where we have an opportunity to meet other bereaved parents and share stories of our children. The evening has become a very special night for many families.

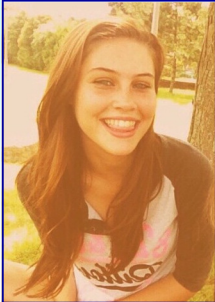
This fall we have a Mom's group which started in September and we are planning another one in January or February. We are also planning a Dad's group for January. If you would like to join these groups, please contact me at the BFO-Durham office, 905-579-4293. BFO-Durham is also hosting a Facilitator Training session starting October 23<sup>rd</sup> from 6:30 to 9:30 for four consecutive Mondays. If you would like to take this training, please call me as soon as possible.

Whether you are newly bereaved or have been bereaved for many years, please know we are here to support you through this difficult season. In December we will be holding our regular drop-ins as well as our unique "Getting through the Holidays" drop-in, which will be held Wednesday, December 13<sup>th</sup>, 2017. We also have an afternoon drop in on Monday December 18<sup>th</sup>, 2017.

Until next time, may the love in your hearts and the fond memories of those you have lost help you through those most difficult times.

~ JANE CARTER

## "A ROSE GIVEN TO HER"



On September 30<sup>th</sup>, 2017 we held our third annual fundraiser in honour of our daughter Racquel Granato who passed away suddenly, due to an unknown heart condition, at the age of 14. The dance took place at The Jubilee Pavilion in Oshawa and we have had a tremendous amount of positive feedback regarding the food, the prizes and the raffles.

As a very special honour to Racquel, 14 of her dance friends performed a beautiful dance to the song "Gone, Gone, Gone". We are so honoured to have raised funds for BFO-Durham with the support of our family and friends and look forward to continuing to keep Racquel's spirit alive while supporting BFO-D every year.

~ ROCCO, KELLY AND ROSS

## 2017 ANGEL TREE OF LIGHTS SNEAK PREVIEW

We are pleased to give you a preview of our Flying Angel, 2017 edition. The angels were made locally and each one was painted and decorated with love, by our volunteers.

Sibling to the 2016 Angel, The Flying Angel can be ordered on the enclosed form. If you do not have a form, please contact Jane at the office, 905-579-4293 or by email at [bfodurham@bell.net](mailto:bfodurham@bell.net)

If you did not order the 2016 angel and would like one, we still have some available to purchase. These angels will not have a ribbon attached unless requested.

~ MARIAN REHR, BOARD MEMBER



## UPCOMING EVENTS

## THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS' CORNER

**Evening Drop-In**  
Monday 13th, 7-9 p.m.  
**\*GETTING THROUGH THE HOLIDAYS\***

**Fathers' Drop In**  
Thursday 14th, 7-9 p.m.

**Afternoon Drop-In**  
Monday 18th, 1-3 p.m.

**Office Closed**  
December 19th—January 2nd

### JANUARY 2018

**Infant Loss Drop-In**  
Monday 8th, 7-9 p.m.

**Evening Drop-In**  
Wednesday 10th, 7-9 p.m.

**Afternoon Drop-In**  
Monday 15th, 1-3 p.m.

**Fathers' Drop-In**  
Thursday 18th, 7-9 p.m.

**Evening Drop-In**  
Wednesday 24th, 7-9 p.m.

### GIVING THANKS

*I cannot hold your hands today; I cannot see your smile.  
I cannot hear your voices now, my children who are gone.  
But I recall your faces still, the songs, the talks, the sighs.  
And story times and winter walks, and sharing secret things.  
I know you helped my mind to live beyond your time with me.  
You gave me clearer eyes to see, you gave me finer ears to hear,  
what living means, what dying means, my children who are gone.  
So here it is Thanksgiving Day, and you are not with me.  
And while I weep a mother's tears, I thank you for the gifts you were,  
and all the gifts you gave to me, my children, who are gone.*

~ SASCHA WAGNER

## 2017 BRUNCH WITH SANTA

Bereaved Families of Ontario-Durham Chapter invites you to attend our annual Brunch with Santa held this year on Sunday, December 3rd from 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Please join us at Harmony Creek Community Centre, 15 Harmony Road North, (north east corner of Highway 2 and Harmony Rd. N.) Oshawa for a Pancake Brunch, Games and activities, special entertainment, a visit with Santa and a gift for each child.

Please RSVP to the Facebook event page (*2017 Brunch with Santa* hosted by BFO-Durham) or send us an email at [bfodurham@bellnet.ca](mailto:bfodurham@bellnet.ca) - Cost is \$8/adult and \$5/child.

We look forward to seeing you again this year. Please note that this Brunch is open to all adults and children, and is not restricted to our members.

~ NICOLE DICKHOFF



Brunch  
with  
Santa

## MARK THESE DATES ON YOUR CALENDAR

COMPASSIONATE FRIENDS "WORLD WIDE  
CANDLE LIGHTING" — DECEMBER 10TH, 2017

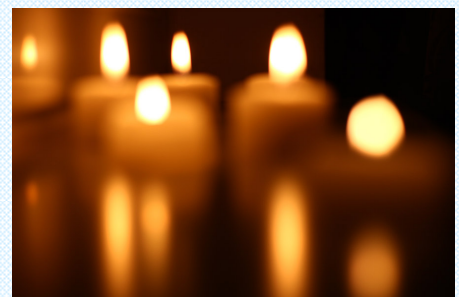
Wave of Light for October 15th

Everyone is invited to light a candle on October 15th at 7pm in ALL Time Zones, ALL Over The World

If everyone lights a candle at 7pm and keeps it burning for at least one hour, there will be a continuous WAVE OF LIGHT over the entire world on October 15th, Pregnancy and Infant Loss Remembrance Day

This Candle Burns  
In Loving Memory of  
Our Babies

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A decorative illustration featuring a lit candle, a blue teddy bear, and several butterflies.



## SOME DAYS ARE DIAMONDS BY JOHN DENVER

WHEN YOU ASKED HOW I'VE BEEN HERE WITHOUT YOU  
I'D LIKE TO SAY I'VE BEEN FINE AND I DO  
BUT WE BOTH KNOW THE TRUTH IS HARD TO COME BY  
AND IF I TOLD THE TRUTH, THAT'S NOT QUITE TRUE

SOME DAYS ARE DIAMONDS, SOME DAYS ARE STONES  
SOMETIMES THE HARD TIMES WON'T LEAVE ME ALONE  
SOMETIMES A COLD WIND BLOWS A CHILL IN MY BONES  
SOME DAYS ARE DIAMONDS, SOME DAYS ARE STONES

NOW THE FACE THAT I SEE IN MY MIRROR  
MORE AND MORE IS A STRANGER TO ME  
MORE AND MORE I CAN SEE THERE'S A DANGER  
IN BECOMING WHAT I NEVER THOUGHT I'D BE

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## "THE WALK TO REMEMBER"

**EXCITING NEWS:** As some of you are aware, 5 Points Mall has closed and is being torn down. We are presently looking at several venues to hold the 2018 Walk to Remember fundraising event and will confirm our new location in the January newsletter. This is both exciting and sad; exciting to move on to a new location and sad because we have always had a good turn-out and great co-operation from 5 Points Mall Management Staff.

Be sure to keep an eye out for the new location announcement in the January 2018 newsletter.

## "GIVING DAY AT THE BAY"

Thanks to Marcie Miles, we were again chosen as one of the charities of choice on "Giving Day at the Bay" on September 15, 2017.

Our volunteers for that day were Yvette Byrne-Menard, Bev Campbell and Deborah Nanton. Thank you so much, ladies!!

The Bay donated \$240 to Bereaved Families of Ontario—Durham Region for this day.

## BIKE, BLADE OR BOARD FOR BLAKE

In our second year Bike Blade Board 4 Blake was successful in raising over \$8,000! The event was intended to help raise awareness of mental health and addiction in our community and also an opportunity to raise awareness of the support and services available at BFO. The money raised was divided between Bereaved Families of Ontario, Durham and Durham Mental Health Services.

Bike Blade Board 4 Blake was held in memory of our eighteen year old son, Blake Garvey, who we lost on February 21<sup>st</sup> 2013 to the disease of addiction. He was a fun-loving young man who enjoyed skateboarding and often had a contagious smirk on his face. He was always happy and made others happy to be around him. We know he would be proud that so many friends and family supported this event in his honour and we know he was there with us.

The walk, run, bike, blade or board event was held on September 9<sup>th</sup>, 2017 at East Beach Park in Bowmanville. In addition to the walk/run, we had a BBQ, guest speakers, a silent auction, a raffle table, and door prizes. We had some great donated prizes that many participants were determined to win. We had a great day with fantastic turnout and many comments that the event was enjoyable and generated such positive energy. It was truly a memorable event that allows us to keep Blake's memory alive.

We are grateful to the many sponsors and event participants in helping to raise funds and awareness about mental health and addiction and also support services available for those of us on this never ending journey of child loss. Chris has a tattoo with a picture of Blake that says "No Blame, No Shame, Just Love," a message that perfectly captures the spirit of this event. Hopefully you can join us next year!

~ CHRIS AND SUZANNE GARVEY

## HOW LONG HAS IT BEEN?

**How does one measure how long it has been?  
By the number of sunsets or by the tears that have fallen?  
The sweet solitude of slumber gives way to morning teared memories of all  
that used to be when I had you safe inside of me.  
Our time together is no more. Only God knows why you went away.  
Sometimes I forget you are no longer here as I lovingly whisper your name.  
And then I remember ... and life is not the same.**

~DEBBIE DICKINSON

## LIBRARY BOOK DONATIONS



From the Hale Family in memory of their son Kevin

1. Chicken Soup for the Grieving Soul, Jack Canfield and Mark victor Hansen;
2. Taking Happiness Seriously, John F. Hunchak;
3. Understanding Your Grief, Alan D. Wolfelt;
4. Understanding Your Grief Support Group Guide, Alan D. Wolfelt.

From Mom, Dad and Todd, in memory of Heather Wilkinson

1. Leap of Faith, Danielle Steel.

# BFO-DURHAM PHOTO GALLERY

**THE RIDE TO REMEMBER—PRESENTATION OF \$16,500 TO BFO-D BY ORGANIZERS OF RIDE**



**VIA RAIL CANADA DONATED A \$500 VOUCHER AUCTIONED OFF AT THE BEACH DANCE WITH A \$400 BID WON BY JAMIE MEGIT**



**BIKE, BLADE, BOARD 4 BLAKE DONATED \$4,645 TO BFO-D**



**CHRIS BECKETT, WITH THE APPROVAL OF HIS EMPLOYER, AUTO WAREHOUSING COMPANY CANADA LTD, HELD A LUNCH TIME BBQ THIS SUMMER AND DONATED \$965 TO BFO-D**

## DANIELLE'S GIFT BAGS—A LITTLE SOMETHING FOR MOMS



My name is Karen Beckett and I lost my beautiful daughter, Danielle, suddenly and tragically August 24, 2014, exactly one week before her 25th birthday. In that instant my life as I knew it would never be the same. My heart shattered into a million pieces and I became a bereaved mother.

As any mom who has lost a child can tell you, a bereaved mother walks one of the hardest, most heartbreaking roads anyone will ever have to walk. It is one full of unimaginable loss and such an indescribable grief. A bereaved mother may sometimes find it difficult to take care of herself, especially in the early days when her grief is so raw. She can experience incredible anxiety, sleeplessness, and a lack of energy. This I know all too well.

Six months after I lost Danielle, I attended a "mothers' group" offered at BFO-D and it truly was a turning point for me in my grief. I made lifelong friends that are still a big support to me now and I know they always will be. There is a sisterhood among bereaved mothers and in some small way I wanted to try and help my sisters in grief.

*"Even as I rocked on my knees, howling I detected soft breathing behind the roaring. I leaned in, listened. It was the murmuring of ten million mothers, backward and forward in time and right now, who had lost children. They were lifting me, holding me. They had woven a net of their broken hearts, and they were keeping me safe there. I realized that one day I would take my rightful place as a link in this web, and I would hold my sister-mothers when their children died. For now my only task was to grieve and be cradled in their love."*

~ Excerpt from *CARAVAN OF NO DESPAIR*

In Danielle's memory, I will be donating gift bags full of various comfort and self-care items to moms who are attending a "mothers' group" for the very first time. The bags will contain calming essential oil, a homemade remembrance candle, as well as ingredients for a natural rejuvenating spa bath. These items are meant to help relax, calm, and bring some comfort to a grieving mother's soul. It will also feature the book **"YOU ARE THE MOTHER OF ALL MOTHERS"**, a beautiful gift book to uplift the hearts and souls of bereaved mothers, no matter the age or cause of death, no matter the story.

I have received incredibly positive feedback from my family and friends. I had so many people generously give money towards the costs of the bags. Together we raised enough money to cover the cost of 30 gift bags with enough left over to be able to make a donation to BFO-D as well. Everyone wanted to help, not only because they love Danielle and they wanted to support me, but because they have seen what I go through on a daily basis and they also wanted to do something to help the moms who are grieving so profoundly. I am so grateful to be able to give these gifts to the moms who need them the most. As I put each bag together, I thought of my beautiful daughter and I hoped she was smiling as she dances among the butterflies.

## ELECTRONIC NEWSLETTER

**This note is addressed to the receivers of a paper copy of our newsletter.**

**As you are all aware, the cost of printing and mailing has been rising. For each copy of the newsletter, the printing and mailing of each copy is now approximately \$3.30. If you have an email address, going forward we would like to send you an electronic copy.**

**Please advise the BFO-D office at 905-579-4293 or [bfodurham@bellnet.ca](mailto:bfodurham@bellnet.ca) if you are interested in providing us with your email address or if you would prefer to discontinue receiving our newsletter.**

**We appreciate your attention to this request. Thank you.**

~ MARIAN REHR, TREASURER



## DONATIONS



### IN LOVING MEMORY OF

**BRENT FOSTER**

Through the Ride to Remember

**RACQUEL GRANATO**

Through Racquel's Chair  
And "A Rose Given to Her"

**BLAKE GARVEY**

Through Bike, blade or Board for Blake

**EMPLOYEE RECOGNITION TO MARIAN REHR**

For her volunteer efforts, Toronto Dominion Bank

**DANIELLE THOMPSON**

From Chris Beckett at Auto Warehousing Company Canada Limited

**SARAH ONLEY**

David Spurgeon

**KRISTINA HENDRICKS**

Mary Gallelo

**JEAN CUNLIFFE**

Mary Gallelo

## HOUSEKEEPING MATTERS

1. We want to make sure that you are kept up to date with everything happening at BFO-D. If any of your personal information has changed or we have made any errors which you may have noticed, please let us know by contacting the office so that we can update our records.
2. If anyone is interested in donating to the Angels Tree of Lights Ceremony in memory of their child, whether for printing costs, refreshments or miscellaneous expenses, this would be very much appreciated and would be acknowledged in the Ceremony program.

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**OFFICE HOURS**

MONDAY TO THURSDAY — 10 A.M. TO 3 P.M. , CLOSED FRIDAY

## OUR CHILDREN REMEMBERED

*Loved, missed and never forgotten*

### OCTOBER

John Daniel Harvey	October 1, 1998	Curtis MacKinnon	October 16, 2009
Matthew Gregory Hickey	October 2, 1996	Shane Rodgers	October 16, 2014
Victoria Krol	October 2, 2014	Rebecca Rodriguez	October 17, 2013
Caitlin Taylor	October 2, 2016	Gary Bambrough	October 18, 2008
James Kingsley	October 3, 2015	David Cecil McNeil	October 20, 2013
Christopher Gilmore	October 5, 2014	Brock Cody Kelly	October 23, 2014
Philip Brown	October 6, 2002	Adam Strecke	October 24, 2016
Henry Vandergaast	October 7, 2012	Nicholas Storms	October 25, 2004
Journey Halupa	October 7, 2014	Sarah Zwolinski	October 25, 2007
Brent Heasman	October 8, 1996	Derek Lyall	October 26, 1996
Heather Joan Butcher	October 8, 2002	Calvin Burton	October 26, 2006
Amos Williams	October 8, 2006	Pat Gostlin	October 26, 2008
Cynthia Louise Amos	October 8, 2014	Bryan Frank	October 28, 2000
Rita Stone	October 8, 2014	Christopher Shannon	October 28, 2008
Spencer Tillapaugh	October 8, 2014	Logan Jeffrey Barkwell	October 29, 2001
Joseph Glode	October 9, 1994	Amber Young	October 29, 2008
Lori Webb	October 9, 2013	Journey Stickney	October 29, 2013
Gibson Maidansky	October 11, 2010	Isa Nilsson-Byberg	October 30, 2010
Joseph Trail	October 13, 2006	Nicholas ((Nick) King	October 30, 2012
Maria MacStravick	October 14, 2012	Tara Ross	October 30, 2012
Leonard Arp	October 15, 2009	Lee Mitchell Service	October 31, 1999
Lara Vandelangeryt	October 15, 2013	Patrick M. Beauregard	October 31, 2003
Dove Lancaster	October 16, 2002	Megan Grace Burchowycz	October 31, 2002
Nicole Wannamaker	October 16, 2009	Cameron Hicks	October 31, 2014

### NOVEMBER

Scot J. Mailer	November 1, 1986	Tyron Bracken	November 17, 2010
Messiah Jackson-MacDonald	November 1, 2009	Charlotte Hannon	November 17, 2002
Liam Alexander Jan Meerdink	November 2, 2008	Jailene Bonnick	November 18, 2005
David Michael McCluskey	November 3, 1995	Jackson Nimec	November 18, 2016
Megan Lynn Craig	November 4, 1996	Erin Gladwell	November 19, 2000
Grace Johnson	November 4, 1996	Pauline Larocque	November 19, 2010
Kali Johnson	November 4, 1996	Glen Allan Rowe	November 21, 1991
Amir Ghane	November 5, 2003	Kyle Sinclair	November 21, 2014
Brook Lynn Rankin	November 5, 2011	Austin Hill	November 22, 2015
Christine Lee Ouderkirck	November 7, 1998	Cody Ladd	November 22, 2015
Abigail Watts	November 7, 2005	Michael James Dunne	November 24, 1993
John Camilleri	November 7, 2012	Ricky Otter	November 24, 2003
Kenton Carnegie	November 8, 2005	Joel Fletcher	November 24, 2011
Raquel Granato	November 9, 2014	Robert Jones	November 24, 2012
Neil Brown	November 9, 2016	Kylie Mawby	November 24, 2012
Anthony Karson Grant	November 10, 1998	Jim Robbins	November 25, 2001
Justin Russell	November 10, 2016	Pierce LoveGordon	November 25, 2006
Nathan Michael Fohshow	November 11, 2004	Andrew Bond	November 27, 2006
Simon Maddocks	November 11, 2009	Brandon Michael Argante	November 27, 2013
Ricky Otter	November 12, 2003	Kyle Christopher Fair	November 28, 1993
Connie Nock	November 12, 2010	David Preston	November 28, 2004
Carter David Dickhoff	November 12, 2008	Marley Grace Silcox	November 28, 2008
Murray Charland	November 13, 2003	Leigh Anne Donovan	November 29, 2001
Nicole Oultram	November 13, 2012	Tanya Lynn Lebrun	November 29, 2010
Hannah Larocque	November 14, 2007	Sarah Lynn Hearn	November 29, 2012
Joshua Larocque	November 14, 2007	Kyle Sinclair	November 29, 2014
Jeffrey Moore	November 15, 2010	Vanessa Pritchard	November 29, 2014
Cody Gould	November 15, 1988	Roberta Eileen Campbell	November 30, 1952
Theresa Michelle North	November 16, 1995	Sylvia Ann Crowley	November 30, 1989

## OUR CHILDREN REMEMBERED

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### DECEMBER

Scotty Pennachio December 1, 1980  
Payton Joan Beaulieu December 1, 2005  
Trevor David Hunter December 1, 2009  
Grace Anne-Marie Beaulieu December 2, 2005  
Rachel Nicole Davidson December 2, 1998  
Andrew Joseph Weaver December 3, 1999  
Connor Campbell December 3, 2010  
Nolan Michael McNeil December 4, 2011  
Dan Phelan December 5, 1975  
Grace Frysztaki December 5, 2014  
Thomas Timothy Morrison December 6, 2013  
Derek Penny December 7, 2001  
Emma Skinner December 7, 2007  
Debbie Meyers December 7, 2012  
Johnny Bloye December 7, 2014  
Nicholas Beatty December 9, 2001  
Connor Fox December 10, 2010  
Mark Heggum December 12, 1987  
Frank Fillio December 12, 2012  
Mason Stamp December 13, 2014  
Michelle Lynn Andrey December 15, 1990  
Simon Mitchell December 15, 1992  
Johnny Pegg December 15, 2009  
David Michael Hannah December 15, 2000  
Luc Breau December 16, 2010

Ian Morton December 16, 2014  
Gavin Daley December 17, 2015  
Violet Davidson December 17, 2016  
Sarah Dorrian December 18, 1999  
Alleya Alley-Wilson December 18, 2009  
Rebecca Anne Leslie Sears December 19, 1995  
Brad R. Thomas December 19, 1996  
Jason Maxwell Normoyle December 19, 2002  
Dawn Lent December 19, 2007  
Daniel Frost December 19, 2015  
Amanda Maja Vidulich December 20, 2007  
Tanya Fellows-Karstulovich December 20, 2012  
Chantal Dupuis December 20, 2016  
Drake Farrell December 21, 2009  
Tristan Dixon December 21, 2014  
Kaiden Burroughs December 22, 2015  
Emily L. Mackie December 22, 1992  
Trevor Kereluk December 22, 2016  
Iain Stirling December 23, 2004  
Brenda Jo-Ann Perks December 24, 1990  
Thomas Donovan December 24, 2003  
Brittany Mabee-Wilson December 24, 2007  
Danny Kent December 24, 2012  
Colleen Garry December 28, 2008  
Kimberly Margaret Hryniw December 29, 1997  
Susan Josephine Nyland-Davey December 30, 1995

### JANUARY

Shelley Nadine Taylor January 1, 1994  
Ricky Van Den Oetelaar January 1, 2006  
Lisa Lebitka January 1, 2012  
Jacoub Favila January 1, 2013  
Jamie Woods January 1, 2014  
Christopher Thompson January 2, 1988  
Vanessa Larocque January 2, 2009  
Kyle Joseph Miller January 2, 2009  
Madison Sevana Boyd January 2, 2012  
Victoria Thompson January 4, 2005  
Jose Eduardo Navas January 4, 2011  
Tianna Vieira January 5, 2010  
Chantel Gauthier January 6, 1994  
Ashley Pittens January 6, 2001  
Michael Upshaw January 6, 2002  
Rayman Imran January 7, 2008  
Derek Spicher January 7, 2013  
Alastair Lahtinen January 8, 2010  
David Norrish January 9, 2015  
Stephen John Duthie January 10, 2010  
Duane MacIntyre January 11, 1992  
Ron Davis January 11, 2007  
Brandon Tyler Baron January 12, 1992  
Neil Warren Hembling January 12, 2000  
Eerik Percival January 13, 2002  
Owen Alexander Leaitch January 13, 2017  
Khristian Robinson January 14, 2008

Jonathan Domenic Volpe January 15, 1995  
Breanna Cousins January 15, 2002  
Daniel Torreblanca January 15, 2013  
Sara Ann Madore January 17, 2003  
Austin Blake Madore January 17, 2003  
Storm Gary Patrick Coad January 18, 1997  
Nathan Michael Pennington January 18, 2010  
Christopher Amos January 18, 2012  
Layla Giberson January 18, 2013  
Shanice Clark January 18, 2015  
Thomas King January 18, 2016  
Stephanie Joanna Coleman January 19, 1996  
Alexsandra Kellie-Ann Hewitt January 21, 1995  
Alexander Cade January 22, 2004  
Bill Robins January 22, 2016  
Antonio Thomas Cacciatore January 23, 2010  
Vanessa Robyn Rivard January 24, 2007  
Kelly Spencer January 25, 2012  
Graham Charles Clarke January 26, 2007  
Jeffrey Warne January 26, 2008  
David Matthew Gilbert January 27, 2008  
Eran Town January 28, 2005  
Branden Christopher Viarruel January 29, 2009  
Wayne Edwards January 29, 2009  
David Stacey January 29, 2015  
Angela Worona January 31, 1995