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**Fall 2022**

## SUPPORTING CANADIANS

Canadians are feeling the rising cost of living, particularly through higher grocery bills, rent, and gas prices.

We are helping families weather inflation impacts by putting more money back in their pockets this year. We are:

- Putting up to an extra \$234 in the pockets of single Canadians without children and up to \$467 for couples with two children as well as an average of an extra \$255 for seniors this year by doubling the GST tax credit for six months.
- Providing up to \$1,300 over two years through a Canada Dental Benefit to children under 12, starting this year.
- Delivering \$500 to nearly 2 million low-income renters who are struggling with the cost of housing.

### DELIVERING RELIEF FOR CANADIANS WHO NEED IT MOST:

- Up to \$1,300 over the next two years for dental care for children under 12
- Up to \$234 for single Canadians and up to \$467 for families by doubling the GST Tax Credit
- \$500 for qualifying low-income renters this year



From cutting taxes for the middle class and raising them on the wealthiest 1%, to delivering a Canada Child Benefit, which puts more money back in the pockets of nine out of 10 families, to cutting child care fees in half by the end of this year for families across the country, we're focused on supporting Canadians.

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## CENTRE FLAVIE EXPANSION



Meeting with volunteers and guests at the official opening of the new Centre Flavie location on Archibald.

Centre Flavie has been a staple in our community for over 40 years. Their mission is to provide comfort and support to those in need by distributing no cost material goods.

On August 30, at the grand opening of the new Centre Flavie building, I announced a \$500,000 investment toward the expansion of the Centre.

With support from PrairiesCan, Centre Flavie renovated their new space at 301 Archibald St. The renovations will enhance accessibility and accommodate the needs of the Centre, allowing it to store its most needed items, and double its current capacity.

The Centre annually serves around 7,000 women, children, and families. Those who seek the services offered by the Centre receive items, such as clothing and furniture, at no cost.



# SUBMIT A DRAWING FOR MY CALENDAR

It's that time of year! Once again, I'd like to include local youth's artwork in my annual calendar!

I invite youth under 18 from Saint Boniface—Saint Vital to submit a drawing that can be showcased in my 2023 calendar that is sent to every household in the riding. As there is space for up to 28 photos, a small committee will select the pictures that will appear in the calendar.

Drawings can be sent by mail or email by November 14. Please provide the full name and age of the artist, as well as your contact info so I can be in touch!



Drawing by Olive Létourneau



On July 9, I joined in the celebrations for Cuthbert Grant Day at Grant's Old Mill. A Métis leader, Grant led the Métis in the Battle of Seven Oaks, a crucial event in Manitoba's early history.



During a visit with Prime Minister Justin Trudeau, faculty and students in the Nursing program at Université de Saint-Boniface provided a very informative tour of their facilities and programs.



The Government of Canada (PrairiesCan) and the City of Winnipeg are investing more than \$1.6 million to support the St. Vital Mustangs project to upgrade the football field and surrounding area.



On July 29, I welcomed His Holiness Pope Francis to Iqaluit, Nunavut, at the start of his tour of the Territory to meet with Inuit.



# NORTH END SEWAGE TREATMENT PLANT

On August 16, the Government of Canada, the Government of Manitoba and the City of Winnipeg announced a joint investment of over \$550 million for the second phase of upgrades to the North End Sewage Treatment Plant in Winnipeg. The federal portion of the funding is \$200 million.

The North End Sewage Treatment Plant is Winnipeg's oldest and largest sewage facility, processing 70 percent of the city's wastewater. Phase 2 of the North End Sewage Treatment Plant Upgrades project will see construction of new infrastructure and upgrades to the Biosolids Facilities, which will store and treat sludge produced from the treatment of wastewater to convert it into biosolids, a nutrient-rich product that can be safely re-used as fertilizer or soil.



Thanks to more than \$90,000 in funding from the Canada Community-Building Fund, Royalwood's Fountainview Park will be upgraded to better serve the community.



In Cambridge Bay, Nunavut, with NATO Secretary General, Jens Stoltenberg, Prime Minister Justin Trudeau and Foreign Affairs Minister Mélanie Joly.



With Manitoba Métis artist Jennine Krauchi, I helped unveil a new fine silver coin showcasing the tradition of Red River Métis beadwork.



Memorial Park in St. Vital will see major upgrades thanks to a federal and city investment of \$396,000. The basketball court and the Bonivital soccer clubhouse will both be improved to better serve the community.



The Canada Summer Jobs program supported more than 350 jobs in the riding this summer! Thanks to the summer students at the Winnipeg Rowing Club for the tour!



With Minister Carla Qualtrough and Executive Director of Le P'tit Bonheur daycare, Marie Rosset, to announce funding of \$69,857 for an accessible playground.

## I WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU!

Which of the following issues are most important to you:

- Child care
- Cost of living
- Health care and dental care
- Housing affordability
- Jobs and Growth
- Environment & Clean Technology
- Other:

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Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

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# YOUTH INITIATIVE AWARD RECIPIENTS

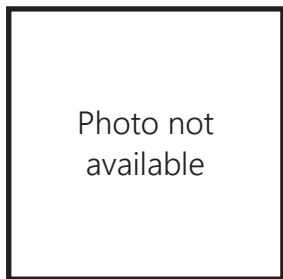
The Dan Vandal Youth Initiative Award was created to recognize students in our riding who have endeavoured, on a volunteer basis, to make a positive difference in their school and/or community.

A bursary is awarded to one student in each high school

in Saint Boniface—Saint Vital.

The school administration and staff choose the recipient they find the most deserving.

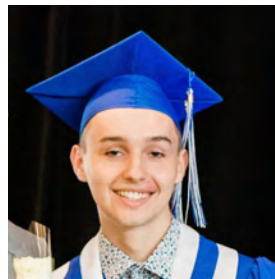
Congratulations and wishing you success!



Caleb Dorge  
Centre scolaire Léo-Rémillard



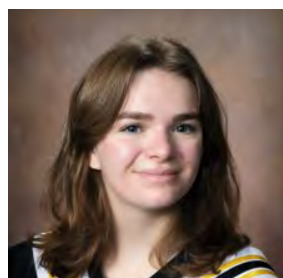
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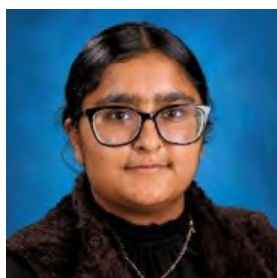
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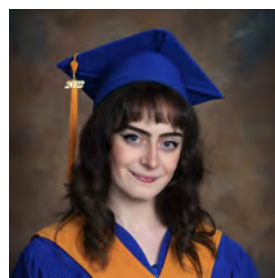
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Collège Louis-Riel



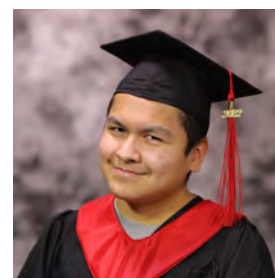
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Glenlawn Collegiate



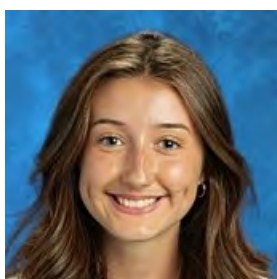
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J.H. Bruns Collegiate



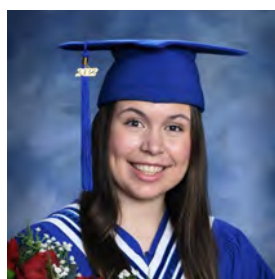
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Louis Riel Arts & Tech Centre



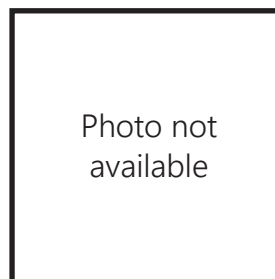
Edyn LeDrew  
Nelson McIntyre Collegiate



Alexis Lloyd  
St. Boniface Diocesan



Jayden Joy Beckman  
Springs Christian Academy



Michael Prokipchuk  
Windsor Park Collegiate

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