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# LEGACY GIVING

By leaving a legacy gift (most commonly through a bequest in your will) to the New Canadians Centre, you can help us build a more welcoming and diverse world. A world where newcomers are inspired, encouraged, supported and know they belong,

Legacy giving is also a powerful way to pass on your spirit of philanthropy to future generations and help communicate your values to the generations that will follow.

We welcome the chance to speak with you if you have questions about Legacy Giving and how your contribution can continue to transform the lives of newcomers in our community, now and in the future.

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Janet Honsberger believes the good work of the NCC is evident in the fabric of our community - from our schools to community organisations. It is just one of the many reasons Janet has made a gift in her will to the New Canadians Centre.

When Janet Honsberger looks at the Old Millbrook School, she sees more than a building she, along with many others, helped to preserve. "It's the people driving and supporting community initiatives that I'm most drawn to," Janet says.

A retired faculty member from Fleming College who worked for more than 29 years in education, Janet says the project's vision to save the building and restore it to the vibrant community centre it is today brought together a small group of volunteers who didn't know a great deal about fundraising.

We were guided by a collective spirit to build something for our community that would have a far-reaching impact. Every little bake and lawn sale we had moved us forward to create something that was bigger than the group of people involved. It's what kept us motivated and inspired to see the project through to fruition."

Janet's desire to work collaboratively to build and foster community aligns with her support of the New Canadians Centre.



*Inspired by the work of the New Canadians Centre, Janet Honsberger has made a gift to the NCC in her will*



*Newcomers to Peterborough and Northumberland participated in Maple tapping activities*

## **Janet believes the work of the New Canadians Centre has a ripple effect in our community.**

“I’ve always been impressed by the ingenuity of the staff (of the New Canadians Centre) and their commitment to providing compassionate care for the people they serve.

It’s evident in everything they do. From the organisation’s response to challenges associated with the delivery of programs and services during this difficult time, to collaborative efforts with other agencies to provide a level of support that goes far beyond meeting the basic needs of newcomers,” Janet explains

**“It’s the people driving and supporting community initiatives that I’m most drawn to,” says Janet.**

That is why Janet has made a gift in her will to the NCC. “If you look at the fabric of our community you can see the impact the NCC has had. It’s evident in our schools, social networks, and community organizations. Look at your circle of friends. Who has been or will be touched by the work of this organization? I’m always inspired by the possibility and the far-reaching impact of the good work of the NCC.”



*Childminding program for newcomer children*

***Have questions about how your legacy giving will transform newcomers' lives?***

*We'd love to talk to you! Please contact Paris Phuc Nguyen at  
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