

Annual General Meeting

September 10, 2015

ANNUAL EVENTS REPORT 2014-2015

This year has been a busy one and we have hosted several successful events.

Starting off in November of 2014, we held our first" Kickin" It Country" Fundraiser which raised over \$13,000.00. This event was supported by the Cactus Club, Kaydance Dance Studios and Tony Prophet. A fun time was had by all attending and I am sure we are all better dancers thanks to the instructors from Kaydance. This event will be held again this year on November 14,2015 at the Centennial Room on Poirier Avenue in Coquitlam.

We also hosted a" Not Just a Beer and Burger" at the Cactus Club, raising over \$3500.00. The Cactus Club Staff did a great job on the food and a fun time was had by all attending.

The big event of the year is our "Annual Awards evening" which was held in June this year at the Evergreen Cultural Centre. On this evening we honour our Grant Recipients, and the recipients of our Bursaries and Scholarships.

This year we distributed a record amount of \$141,773.00 in grants, bursaries and Scholarships. Thanks to Thrifty Foods for their generous donation of food for the evening. A great time was had by all attending and the Evergreen Cultural Centre Staff again provided a welcoming and warm atmosphere for the event.

As the chairperson of the Events Committee, I thank all of the directors, community sponsors and volunteers who assist throughout the year to enhance and grow our Foundation.

Sincerely Linda Meneghello Events Chairperson.