



# Way to go!



Jessica received employment skills that helped her find her dream job



Stephen regained his life, and his family, through support and counselling



Linda learned to read independently, as an adult



London found a mentor and friend in Nelson



Leota uses a closed circuit television for her vision loss, an assistive device to help her once again see photographs and read print

<b>Mental Health:</b> educational sessions and workshops for individuals and groups, including workplaces	100%
<b>Vision and Hearing</b> —blind and vision-impaired/deaf and hard of hearing: assistive devices for everyday living; job and life skills training; sign language/braille workshops and services	90%
<b>Mental and Physical disabilities:</b> social and recreational programs; adult daycare; job and life skills training	80%
<b>Domestic violence:</b> temporary shelter for women and their children fleeing physical/emotional abuse	70%
<b>Substance abuse:</b> awareness of risks; family support; referrals	60%
<b>Community information:</b> information and referral; community enhancement	50%
<b>Worker appeal services:</b> assistance for workers injured on the job	50%
<b>Volunteering:</b> skill enhancement, work experience and community support	40%
<b>Children and youth:</b> daily hot lunches for school children; mentoring; camps; adult literacy	40%
<b>Youth at risk:</b> prevention programs, family nurturing, guidance, support and referrals	30%
<b>Families:</b> financial planning, family issues, grief support; crisis intervention; camps/child daycare for single parent families	20%
<b>Seniors:</b> hot and frozen meal delivery and friendly visiting for isolated seniors; palliative care; home and personal care	20%
<b>All United Way funded programs and services are subsidized or no user fee</b>	10%

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**Please make your pledge today  
45% (\$599,529) in to date!**



Fleaburn, Sparky and the Scouts at the Firefighters' Breakfast

## Life's a Rat Race!



Showing some "ratty" behaviour



We can't afford to "drop the ball" on this one!

## Donate while you Doze

D.P. Murphy Inc. and United Way invite you to:

# Donate While You Doze...

**December 19, 2010—January 2, 2011**

Our properties will offer slashed room rates of \$69 (standard) & \$99 (suite), with \$12 from each room rented going to support local United Ways.

Call us today!

Super & Charlottetown: 1-877-842-7900  
 Holiday Inn Express & Suites Charlottetown: 1-866-377-7455  
 Hampton Inn & Suites Moncton: 1-877-855-4510  
 Holiday Inn Express & Suites Saint John: 1-800-475-4556

Our "Donate While You Doze" promotion is supported by:

United Way  
 Prince Edward Island  
 Greater Moncton & Southeast New Brunswick  
 Saint John, Kings & Charlotte Counties

## Firefighters' Breakfast



Patrons at Adelaide Fire Station



Draw prize winner—Saint John Firefighters' backpack



## \$18,000 in Program funding grants awarded to 15 community agencies

In addition to annual funding to 24 member agencies, 3 times each year community agencies are invited to submit an application to United Way for program funding. To date this year, \$18,000 has been granted to 15 community agencies for specific programs:

**ProKids** – Positive Recreation Opportunities for Kids

**Community Autism Centre** – Parent training after the diagnosis

**Quality Learning NB, West & Quality Learning NB, North** – Storytent

**AIDS Saint John** – Support group

**Charlotte County Boys & Girls Club** – Summer Camp

**Teen Resource Centre** – Teen Drop-in Zone

**Gentle Path Counselling** – Children’s Anger Management (6 – 12 years)

**Habitat for Humanity** - Community Education and Outreach

**Key Industries** – Assistive devices for everyday living for severely disabled individuals

**Saint John Learning Exchange** – Workforce Preparation and Community Kitchen

**Sussex Vale Transition House** – Computer System to help women research job opportunities and information to help them get back on their feet from abusive relationships

**First Steps Housing** – Day care for babies of young mothers going to the First Steps School

**Charlotte County Dial a Ride** – volunteer-run transportation services for individuals to attend medical appointments

**Elizabeth Fry Society** – Read-aloud program for incarcerated mothers to keep connected to their children and help encourage a love for reading





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**You've got a friend.**

**We're on the web!**

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Golf 2010



## By the Way!

### New Website, Facebook and Twitter!

Check out our new website [www.unitedwaysaintjohn.com](http://www.unitedwaysaintjohn.com) for the latest news, upcoming events, success stories etc. While there, why not join our Facebook Friends, and follow us on Twitter. Plus, click on Youtube for our Campaign video.

### New ways to give!

Honorariums and Tribute gifts—the perfect gift for the person who has everything. A special card acknowledging an Honorarium or Tribute gift (Holiday, Birthday, Wedding, Birth etc) will be sent at your request to the honouree.

Pre-authorized debits—can be set up with our office on a rotation that is convenient to you. Call us for details—658-1212.

### IBM Technology Service Grant

Thanks to IBM's Technology Service Grant—*Strategies for Social Media*, 12 United Way agencies that attended the one-day workshop on November 4, gained information to enhance agency promotion using a variety of readily available medium.



### On the Way!

- Donate while you Doze—December 19, 2010—January 2, 2011 (see page 2)