



Summer Street Foundation
Annual Report of the President June 2013

The Summer Street Foundation continues its support of the Society and its goals of providing the programs and services to its clients and the community.

The 18th annual Summer Street Scramble was once again a tremendous success, raising in excess of \$245,000. Dave Wallace and his committee continue to produce an experience that exceeds all expectations. This years event will no doubt continue that tradition.

The Planned Giving Program, under the leadership of Roger Swarbrick continues to grow, and his efforts in sourcing funding via various levels of government, foundations, and contacts within the community continue to support the aims and goals of the organizations.

The Investment committee, under the guidance of Stewart Mahoney and John Morrow, continues to provide positive returns for our investment portfolio.

The Foundation contributed approximately \$450,000 to the activities and capital needs of the Society over the past year. The Society has undertaken several large capital projects to upgrade the facility and provide a safe and welcoming environment to both the clients and community. Additional funding has been provided to increase employment training and opportunities.

I would like to thank all the members of our Board for their time and commitment to Summer Street. This year, several of our members are stepping aside to pursue other activities. I wish to acknowledge the efforts of Barry Work, Bradley Jardine, Dennis Stavrou, and Cindy Stevens, all of whom have helped guide the Foundation to where it is today.

A special thank you to our Executive Director Bob Bennett, whose leadership and guidance has helped maintain Summer Street as one of the premier facilities in Atlantic Canada.

David Whittemore
President