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## What do Community Foundations do?

- ◇ Pool the charitable gifts of many donors into permanent, income-earning endowment funds that benefit local communities.
- ◇ Make grants from the earnings of these funds to support a wide range of local initiatives- from health, education and social services to arts and culture and the environment.
- ◇ Provide leadership to their communities by bringing people together from all sectors to identify and address local issues.



## Who are We?

The foundation is governed by a board of dedicated volunteers from the R.M. of Ochre River, the L.U.D. of Ochre River and community representatives.

If you have any questions, please contact the R.M. of Ochre River at 733-2423 or the Dauphin & District Community Foundation at 638-4598.

## Vision Statement

“Enhancing quality of life in our community”

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## Types of Grants

The Ochre River Community Fund makes grants available that have meaning and make an impact in Ochre River and area through a grant making program that is diverse, flexible, creative and responsive to the needs of the community. Ochre River Community fund strives to use the income from the funds entrusted to it to serve the interests of the RM of Ochre River in the areas of:

- \* Healthy life-styles
- \* Recreation facilities
- \* Youth events and activities
- \* Seniors centre, events and activities
- \* Environment and parks
- \* Sustainable development initiatives
- \* Community service initiatives
- \* Fire department
- \* Arts and culture

Applicants will be required to complete an application form. Please contact the Ochre River Community Fund Committee for further details.

We value and respect your privacy. As a donor:

1. Your name may appear in our Annual Report.
2. On occasion you may receive mailings from us.

PLEASE CONTACT US IF YOU WISH OTHERWISE



# Ochre River Community Fund

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*Supporting  
community initiatives  
and leaving a  
permanent legacy for  
future generations*

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# Ochre River Community Fund

The Rural Municipality of Ochre River established the Community Fund in 2006 in partnership with the Dauphin and District Community Foundation.



*Leaving a legacy*

Leadership and administrative support provided through the Dauphin and District Community Foundation will ensure long-term sustainability of the Ochre River Community Fund.

The Ochre River Community Fund exists to help the community grow and to support community projects through charitable donations.

*The Ochre River Community Fund provides an opportunity for individuals to leave a permanent legacy to their community that will benefit future generations.*

## Reasons for Donating:

- ◆ The community fund is an opportunity for individuals to give back to their community that will benefit the community today and into the future.
- ◆ The foundation only funds projects that will enhance and improve the community.
- ◆ The funds that are raised are invested in perpetuity and only the interest earned on these funds are donated to local projects.
- ◆ Recognition of your level of donation is significant.
- ◆ Administration costs are virtually nil as the fund is managed by a Board and community volunteers.
- ◆ Charitable tax receipts are issued for all gifts.

## How to Donate

Anyone can give, and in any amount. Your contribution to the Ochre River Community Fund allows you to make an everlasting gift to support the community and area. Gifts may be made in the form of:

- ◆ A cash gift;
- ◆ A bequest in your will;
- ◆ A life insurance policy naming the fund as the beneficiary;
- ◆ A gift in memory of a loved one, friend, relative, or employee;
- ◆ A gift in honour of a special event or individual;
- ◆ A gift of stocks or bonds;
- ◆ A gift of real estate; or
- ◆ A gift of a multi-year pledge.

You may leave your gift to the general charitable purposes of the Foundation or designate it to a particular field of interest.

All gifts qualify as deductions for income tax purposes.

## Ochre River Community Fund

Enclosed is my/our gift of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to the Ochre River Community Fund c/o Dauphin & District Community Foundation Inc.

CHARITABLE REGISTRATION NO. BN 89808 1757 RR0001

It is my/our intent that this and all subsequent gifts be deposited to the capital of the foundation and held in perpetuity. Only the income that it generates is to be available for disbursement.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

DONOR NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

POSTAL CODE: \_\_\_\_\_

CREDIT  CARD  VISA MASTERCARD

Amount: \_\_\_\_\_

Acct #: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiry Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

CHEQUE ATTACHED

Please make cheques payable to; **Dauphin & District Community Foundation/ Ochre River Community Fund.**

Do you wish to  have  your name published in the

FOR IN MEMORIAM CONTRIBUTIONS:  
*In Memory of*

Please send acknowledgement to:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

A receipt for income tax purposes will be forwarded immediately. Please sign this pledge card and send it along with your donation to:

Dauphin & District Community Foundation  
Box 6

Dauphin, MB R7N 2T9

Mark that the gift is to be deposited in the Ochre River Community Fund.