

FOOTNOTES

MS SOCIETY OF CANADA - MANITOBA DIVISION FALL 2018



**YOU CAME,
YOU WALKED,
YOU CELEBRATED
OUR HOPE FOR
A WORLD WITHOUT
MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS.**





Step
up!

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You raised
\$465,000
from seven
Manitoba Liquor & Lotteries
MS Walks across Manitoba!



THANK YOU MANITOBA!

You came, you walked, you celebrated our hope for a world without multiple sclerosis. Over 1800 people came together to show Manitobans living with MS that they are not alone. Funds raised will be dedicated toward ground-breaking MS research, some of which is happening right here in Manitoba, as well as programs and services to enhance the quality of life of Manitobans living with MS.



**THANK YOU
INDIVIDUAL
WALKERS!**



2018 TOP 25 FUNDRAISERS

Colin Findlay	Winnipeg	\$20,220.00	Amanda Beatty	Winnipeg	\$3,495.00
Barbara Van Walleggem	Winnipeg	\$12,865.00	Michelle Mialkowski	Selkirk	\$3,150.00
Paul Chapman	Selkirk	\$10,815.00	Ashton Freund	Winnipeg	\$3,150.00
Grace Engbrecht	Winnipeg	\$8,686.00	Shirley Atkins	Winnipeg	\$2,975.00
Robert Jackson	The Pas	\$7,010.00	Debbie Nolan	Winnipeg	\$2,860.79
Stacey Napoleone	Winnipeg	\$6,250.00	Chantal Vielfaure	Winnipeg	\$2,760.00
Kristina Manness	Westman	\$5,844.00	Melody Johnson	Winnipeg	2,750.00
Signy Hansen	Winnipeg	\$5,193.18	Lisa Mcphee	Winnipeg	\$2,600.00
Anita Willis	Winnipeg	\$5,150.00	Jennifer Young	Winnipeg	\$2,375.00
Larry Mcgaw	Winnipeg	\$4,500.00	Greg Hastmann	Winnipeg	\$2,235.00
Shane Storie	Winnipeg	\$4,285.00	Dane DeLeeuw	Winnipeg	\$2,230.00
Kailey Ramlal	Winnipeg	\$4,019.00	Charis Parago	Morden	\$2,160.00
Tracey Loewen	Winnipeg	\$3,795.00			



THANK YOU MANITOBA TEAMS!

2018 TOP 25 TEAMS

Friends of Jo-Anne	Winnipeg	\$ 24,980.00	Walkin for MOM	Winnipeg	\$ 6,295.00
MASS SYNERGY	Winnipeg	\$ 14,469.00	Manness Stompeters	Westman	\$ 6,284.00
Barb's Buddies	Winnipeg	\$ 13,190.00	Forever Wendy	Winnipeg	\$ 6,273.18
Movers and Shakers	Winnipeg	\$ 11,015.00	Don't stop believin	Winnipeg	\$ 5,900.00
Marina's Somebunnies	Winnipeg	\$ 10,860.79	SCRAMBLED LEGS	Winnipeg	\$ 5,390.00
Intrepid Walkers	Winnipeg	\$ 10,626.00	Grace	Morden	\$ 5,345.00
MS is BS	Winnipeg	\$ 8,455.00	We've Got Nerve	Portage	\$ 4,925.00
Steps for MS	Winnipeg	\$ 8,094.00	Kickin' Kylie's M-Ass	Portage	\$ 4,889.00
Jenny and the MSfits	Winnipeg	\$ 8,031.00	Karlas Krew	Sealkirk	\$ 4,594.00
Walk the Walk	Winnipeg	\$ 7,732.00	Walk it out	Winnipeg	\$ 4,065.00
Keep S'Myelin	Winnipeg	\$ 7,295.00	Coubies Cougars	Portage	\$ 4,045.00
No MS-ing Around	Winnipeg	\$ 7,185.00	YAS PlaP	Portage	\$ 3,940.00
Symcor in Motion	Winnipeg	\$ 6,905.00			

THANK YOU MANITOBA LIQUOR AND LOTTERIES



The MS Walk would not be possible without the support of our title sponsor, Manitoba Liquor & Lotteries. We are very fortunate to have such an amazing partner that supports the MS Walk program province-wide.



We appreciate the support of Manitoba Liquor & Lotteries, their collaboration on the MS Walk, and their dedication to people living with MS in Manitoba. Thank you!"

*Erin Kuan
President at MS Society of
Canada - MB & SK Divisions*



2018 EVENTS



MS Connect

MS Connect Conference 2018
Saturday, September 22

[BUY TICKETS](#)

Join us for a day of discovery and learning! Learn how to build your strengths for living well with MS and learn about the latest advances in MS research. Come and enjoy the sessions, the food and the company of others wanting to enhance their quality of life with MS.



WAMS *Women Against Multiple Sclerosis*

Women Against MS (WAMS)
Thursday, October 11th

[BUY TICKETS](#)

On October 11, the Manitoba Division will hold its inaugural Women Against MS (WAMS) gala luncheon in Winnipeg. WAMS is a collective of professional women committed to raising research funds to end MS while participating in meaningful networking opportunities. Through MS research-focused fundraising, WAMS strives to enable professional and personal growth for Canadian women.



Night of Champions
Tuesday, November 6th

Join us as we celebrate your accomplishments! All top fundraisers will receive an invite to our annual Night of Champions where we celebrate the incredible achievements of our MS Walk fundraisers, MS Bike fundraisers and our amazing volunteers. Save the date and keep an eye on your inbox!



THANK YOU VOLUNTEERS!

Every single Manitoba Liquor & Lotteries MS Walk is made possible because of our dedicated, hard-working and amazing volunteers. From the check-in volunteers handing out t-shirts, to the volunteer walk coordinators in our smaller communities, every job is essential to each MS Walk's success.

A very special thank you to our amazing volunteer walk coordinators from the following communities:

Morden: Clare Agnew

Portage La Prairie: Ron & Wendy Decaire, Gladys Green, Josh Black, Melissa Kuhn and Bev Coubrough

Selkirk: James & Laura Allardice, Lisa Sigurdson, and Karla Wasylik

The Pas: Lorna-Lee Breemersch

Manitoba Liquor & Lotteries MS Walk Champions

This year we had six amazing and inspiring MS Walk Champions from across the province share their stories and reasons why they walk. Thank you for stepping up and reminding us why the Manitoba Liquor & Lotteries MS Walk is so important!

Brandon: Kristina Manness

Dauphin: Jeff Hockridge

Portage La Prairie: Melissa Kuhn

Selkirk: Karla Wasylik

The Pas: Melanie Young

Winnipeg: Colin Findlay



WHY WALK?

Last year we contributed to an incredible investment of \$10 million toward ground-breaking MS research. Funds raised helped launch the Knowledge Network, which further expands our ability to provide information and help people affected by MS. For all the latest research news, go to mssociety.ca.

Your fundraising dollars will help to:

- Deliver 153 support group sessions
- Offer 60 wellness programs
- Host 12 educational sessions
- Provide \$20,000 in grants to help people with MS purchase needed medical equipment
- Host a one-day conference designed for all Manitobans living with MS and their caregivers
- Host a one-day conference designed for young adults living with MS
- Contribute to an overall investment of \$10 million toward ground-breaking MS research



“The MS Walk is really an amazing experience. Everyone is there for a common goal, helping each other with what they’re going through,” says Colin Findlay whose mother Jo-Anne lives with MS. “When we first started doing the walk, there was very little information on the cause and cure for MS. Over the years, we’ve seen many breakthroughs in research, which gives us hope—we can see the money being raised is helping.”

BECOME A MEMBER



When you join us, the fight to end MS gets stronger.

Join the MS Society community and become a member. In doing so, you will:

- Participate in shaping the future of the MS Society.
- Add to our powerful voice in advocating for Canadians living with MS
- Receive communications from the MS Society of Canada and your local chapter from time-to-time, where available. In some instances, communications may only be available by e-mail.

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THANK YOU, THANK YOU, THANK YOU!

Together we **WILL** end MS!

Registration for 2019 is now open.

[REGISTER NOW](#)