



BC Chapter Update



At the recent 22nd annual WICC BC Golf Tournament, the WICC board was proud to present a \$115,000 donation to the Canadian Cancer Society. This contribution supports WICC BC's ongoing five-year, \$1 million pledge in the fight against cancer.

Putting the Fundraising Dollars to Work

All money raised by WICC BC through annual donors, events and gifting by people and companies like you, goes directly to Canadian Cancer Society. For the next five years, WICC BC has pledged to **raise \$ 1 million** that will be allocated to the following programs:

Dr Simon Wisnovsky – UBC | Developing novel immunotherapy drugs for people with cancer

Amber Bourgeois – UVic | Developing programs to improve access to treatment for people with cancer experiencing homelessness and/or poverty

Francis Rodier- CHUM | Understanding and targeting dormancy in ovarian cancer

Southern Interior Rotary Lodge- Kelowna | providing accommodations to patients undergoing treatment

Camp Goodtimes -Has celebrated an incredible 40th anniversary this past summer! WICC BC has been a supporter of Camp Goodtimes for 20 of those years. We invite you to take a few moments to watch the video and celebrate just a glimpse of the magic of Camp.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rEYloJstg5k&feature=youtu.be>





Appreciation to Donors Like You!

Over the years, it's thanks to the incredible support of individuals and companies across BC that WICC has been able to make a meaningful impact in the fight against cancer. Dollars raised in BC are allocated to BC programs.

We would like to take a moment to recognize a few of our **annual donors** who have stood with us along the way. This list is by no means complete — every contribution and every supporter truly makes a difference, and we are deeply grateful for each one.



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Spotlight Recognition



The Insurance Institute of BC leads the industry by advancing the profession and fostering the development of future leaders through education, professional development, and personal growth.

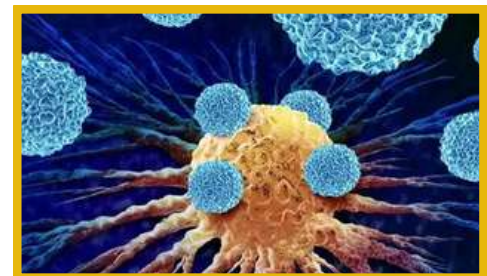
Throughout the year, and across various locations in British Columbia, the Institute hosts events that are open to all industry affiliates. WICC BC is consistently invited to participate and provided the opportunity to fundraise at these events. In addition, the Insurance Institute proudly supports WICC BC as a Platinum-level financial and in kind donor



Annual Donors make the greatest impact in supporting WICC's mission.

To learn more about the annual donor program and how you or your organization can contribute, please contact:

sherry@hscr.com or bcinfo@wicc.ca.





Volunteers!!

On September 7, at the WICC BC Golf Tournament, the annual **Janice Domingo Volunteer of the Year Award** was presented to **Erin Campbell** of On Side Restoration.

Erin has been an enthusiastic supporter of WICC, regularly attending industry events over the past several years and eagerly assisting with fundraising initiatives such as 50/50 sales and WICC promotions. This award serves as a token of gratitude for her outstanding energy, commitment, and contributions to WICC's mission.

All positions on the WICC BC Board are held by dedicated volunteers. We extend our sincere gratitude to outgoing board members, **Farzina Coladon** and **Kim Killick** for their service and valuable contributions to WICC and the Canadian Cancer Society.

The Board is pleased to welcome **Anna-Lisa Sippola** of First Insurance Funding of Canada as a new board member.

Anna-Lisa shared:

"I've been involved with WICC over the years, beginning in Ontario and continuing in BC in 2023. I'm a strong supporter of the BC Cancer Society, and having seen those close to me affected by cancer, this cause holds a very special place in my heart. I'm grateful for the opportunity to contribute more actively by joining the WICC team and helping drive awareness, support, and meaningful impact within our industry."



Erin Campbell receiving
volunteer award

*Volunteers
do not necessarily
have the time;
they just have the heart.*



Interested in volunteering with WICC?

Whether you'd like to assist at industry events, join an event committee, or organize a community fundraiser in support of WICC, we'd love to hear from you.

Please contact:

Darlene at dfmeducation@outlook.com

or

BCInfo@WICC.ca





Out and About In the Industry

The below listed events contributed over \$70,000.00 in fundraising efforts.

July and August - Insurance Institute of BC events: Golf Tournaments in Surrey, Kamloops, & Victoria. Boat Cruises in Kelowna and Victoria

September- WICC Golf Tournament at Green Tee golf course, IBABC Trade Show

October - Oktoberfest and with Blue Goose BC Pond at CIBC Run for the Cure

22nd ANNUAL WICC CHARITY GOLF FUNDRAISER



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Special thanks to Darin Nessel of Mutual Fire for his additional \$5000.00 donation at the WICC Golf tournament

Oktoberfest



IBABC Annual
P&C Insurance Trade Show
& Networking Forum



CIBC RUN FOR THE CURE



Upcoming Events 2026

WICC Valentine Lunch- February

Casino Gala - Mid April

Canadian Cancer Society Daffodil Ball with WICC- May 30th

WICC 23rd Annual Golf Tournament - Sept. 4

Details to be posted at www.wicc.ca/bc and Linked in
OR

Sign up for our newsletter here: <https://wicc.ca/bc/enewsletter/>

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Canadian Cancer Society Impact Report 2024/2025

A snapshot of our impact

Together, we are helping the 2 in 5 people in Canada who will be diagnosed with cancer in their lifetime. In 2024/25, an incredible 563,000 donors, 22,000 volunteers, and 141,000 event participants and organizations helped us to invest \$124.2 million in our mission.



\$50.8M
INVESTED IN CANCER RESEARCH AND INNOVATION



470
RESEARCH PROJECTS SUPPORTED ACROSS THE CANCER CONTINUUM



18.3M
INDIVIDUALS SUPPORTED WITH CANCER INFORMATION



76,000
NIGHT STAYS AT CCS LODGES



67
SIGNIFICANT HEALTH POLICY WINS



5.7M
KILOMETRES DRIVEN BY WHEELS OF HOPE VOLUNTEERS



700
CAMP PARTICIPANTS AT CAMP GOODTIMES



3,300
WIGS AND BREAST ACCESSORIES DISTRIBUTED



334,000
ASSISTED VIA SMOKERS' HELPLINE AND TALK TOBACCO



3,937
PEOPLE RECEIVED ACCESS TO CLINICAL TRIALS



\$31.4M
TO ENHANCE TREATMENT AND QUALITY OF LIFE



\$3.8M
TO ADVANCE EQUITABLE AND TIMELY ACCESS TO CARE



\$6.7M
TO IMPROVE EARLY DIAGNOSIS



\$3.2M
IN RESEARCH TO PREVENT CANCER

Our impact through strategic corporate partnerships

We are grateful for corporate partners who stand with us to take on cancer's biggest issues. These valued partnerships contributed an outstanding \$15.3 million through employee matching programs, sponsorships, cause marketing campaigns and in-kind donations. Your commitment has fuelled progress and continues to bring hope to the people we serve.



Taking on cancer together

THANK YOU WICC National Sponsors

