

## TRUSTEE LIAISON COMMITTEE REPORT

**Trustee Lee**

**NLSF February 17**

### **Crystal - Executive Report**

- Scholarship applications are at 400 with 2 days until the deadline of Feb 19
- May 6-8 selection period for recipients
- LSS is having a separate awards evening from grad ceremonies

June 9<sup>th</sup> District Awards Night

As of January 31<sup>st</sup> 80000+ premade meals plus weekly grocery deliveries

There is a survey going out to request feedback from staff on the ground and admin with an April report back

\$50000 United Way grant was used to purchase 2 ovens

2<sup>nd</sup> delivery van has been purchased and is currently getting its wrap. 3<sup>rd</sup> vehicle for just shopping for general items is awaiting grant funding approval

Feb 25<sup>th</sup> Breakfast Clubs of Canada Speaker Series – Crystal is the speaker talking about community fundraising and mobilization

Student support closet is up and running at Woodlands – stocked with school supplies, runners and hygiene items for a more self-service model

Project Fresh initiative launched with London Drugs specifically for hygiene products

Dirt Cup March 28<sup>th</sup>

Appreciation Night April 9<sup>th</sup>

ICONICS – new community partner that is Vancouver Island wide. They encourage their partners to donate to the causes they support

RBC grants given out to John Barsby Football and Band

Rotary Club of Nanaimo supporting Learning Hubs and libraries at individual schools

Website redesign happening to make the site more user based and stakeholder specific

Anyone can donate on the website

Focusing on curating LinkedIn site for their business and corporate connections

Working on 26/27 Communication Plan

There have been a growing number of requests from secondary schools for food funding

Motion to send both Crystal and Kathy to the School Food For All Nourishing Futures Conference in Montreal  
Doodle Pool will be sent out to change meeting times

### **Follow Up for Trustees**

- How is the Feeding Futures Money used
- Everyone in the community has a role – how can we leverage these roles – it is a shared responsibility