

CN Employees' and Pensioners' Community Fund

(Although we had previously put a link about this program to their website in our Spring and Summer 2014 editions of our newsletter, we had not placed an adequate description about this program to coincide with the link. Following is a note from David Simpson, President of the National Council of CN Pensioners to address the concerns recently expressed by some pensioners. Thank you for your attention – Janet Lewis Anderson).

Note From David Simpson, President, National Council

Recently every CN Pensioner and Active Employee received an application from the "CN EMPLOYEES' AND PENSIONERS' 2015 COMMUNITY FUND" charity drive with postage being paid for by CN. Several Pensioners have expressed concern that their information has been used to mail it out.

This a wholly CN sponsored program run from CN Headquarters by Management employees, Active employees and CN Pensioners combined. All personal Pensioner information being used for the mail out is used by CN only and received back by CN only. No one else sees or receives it. Receipts for the donations are received by the Donators on their CN issued T4 slips.

For many years now CN has mailed out a payroll deduction Charity application to all employees and Pensioners each fall, under the United Way banner. Several years ago they changed the name to the "Community Fund" in Quebec only and then a few years ago changed it to cover Ontario as well. They recently changed it to cover all of Canada. CN collects the donations from each member who designates the charity of their choice where they want their money to go and CN then collects and sends it to the named charity. This saves the high costs associated with "United Way" doling out the money and the charities in turn having to mail out a tax receipt. Basically, it is an old program with a "new name!"

This is to assure the CN Pensioners that any mailouts from the CNPA will always be on our own letterhead.

For more information about this program, please visit their website at:
www.caissedebienfaisancecn.com/en/index.sn?igl=en.

Remembrance Day 2014

With the recent tragic events that occurred in Quebec as well as our Nation's Capital, we would like to express our Deepest Sympathies to the families of Warrant Officer Patrice Vincent and Cpl Nathan Cirillo. As we bow our heads in Remembrance this November 11th, may we be reminded of the sacrifices so many have made to ensure and protect our freedom. God Bless them all!

May we also take this time to be extra vigilant in our own daily lives against possible terrorism. If we happen to notice anything suspect whether on or near CN property or in general, please contact the CN Police and / or the local authorities.

Membership Application Form

Please accept my application for membership in the CN Pensioners' Association of Manitoba. I understand that the annual fee is \$12 per calendar year (January to December), which I can pay through a pension cheque monthly deduction of \$1 or by cheque for \$12 made to the order of the CN Pensioners' Association of Manitoba.

Name: _____

LAST NAME

FIRST NAME

Pension cheque deduction

Address: _____

City: _____ Prov. _____

Enclosed is my cheque for \$12

Postal Code _____

PIN: _____

Phone Number: _____

Date of Application _____

Signature _____

Email address _____

Mail application to:

CN Pensioners' Association of Manitoba
301 – 270 Fairhaven Road
Winnipeg, MB
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