



The Andrew Dunn Organization (ADO) is a not-for-profit organization seeking to raise awareness of the emotional and economic impact of depression and the tragic losses in the wake of suicide. To further our work we have one major fundraiser during the year. ADO has raised over \$425,000 since its inception in 2007. Here are some examples of areas and initiatives that we fund.

Community Service Support:

- Springfield Connections – Establishment of and ongoing support to a Weekly Mental Health & Wellness Group hosted at the Springfield Library
- Compassionate Friends Network – Donation of \$500 Annually
- Establish and maintain www.andrewdunn.org website containing information about mental health and wellness and providing links to other important resources
- Annual \$1,000 to a Springfield Collegiate Institute graduate who has shown initiative in mental wellness
- Annual \$500 Bursary to the Springfield Middle School Peer Support Program
- Annual \$100 Bursary to Royal Elementary School to support Mental Health Resources
- Mood Disorders Assoc. of MB (MDAM) Head Office - Annual Support Contributions of \$25,000
- Sponsor of the SPACE (Sunrise Performing Arts Centre of Excellence) 10-12 spots for Summer Camp 2017, kids ages 5 to 12- \$1500-\$2000
- Anola School's "Buddy Benches" - \$1723

Awareness and Education:

- Mental health related initiatives in schools
 - Robb Nash presentations on suicide awareness
 - Training of community social workers
 - safe TALK Training for the Trainer (Suicide Awareness in Schools)
 - safe TALK Workbooks for ALL grade 11 students in the Sunrise School Division - \$2000
 - Safe Grad donation
 - Mind Up program on stress management and mindfulness in Dugald
- Mindfulness Based Stress Reduction workshops – Dugald & Oakbank
- Mental health conferences
 - Mood Disorders Association of Manitoba
 - Health Sciences Centre Foundation - "Putting a Face to Suicide"
 - Canadian Association for Suicide Prevention (CASP)- \$5,000
- Starburst Productions' Mental Health Anti-Stigma presentations (St. Malo) - \$600
- The SPACE – support of \$250
- Expressions Art Exhibition (Steinbach) - support of \$200 annually
- Voices of Angels Parkland support of \$150
- Mental Health Education Resource Centre (MHERC) Library-\$1,000 donation
- Media awareness campaigns
 - CASP/Klinik Joint Educational Video- \$1,000
 - After a Suicide Documentary - \$5,000
 - CTV Mental Health & Suicide Awareness Commercials (National) - \$65,000
- Mental Wellness Resource Centre at Springfield Library- purchase of books (on-going)