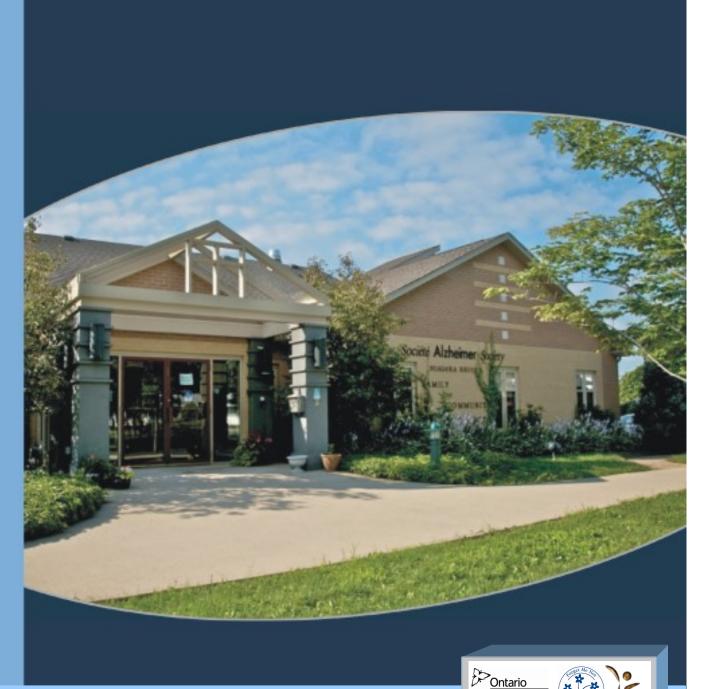
Alzheimer Society of Niagara Region & Alzheimer Society Niagara Foundation



Message From the President





It is with pleasure that I write the President's Message for the Annual Report of the Alzheimer Society of Niagara Region. I have been a part of this organization for many years, and it continues to amaze me how this team of staff and volunteers provides such a rich array of services to the people of Niagara. More specifically, with their skills, knowledge, passion and links with external partners, this organization has been able to weave a web of services for people with dementia that is one of the best in the province.

Over the past year, the Society has continued to deliver excellence in dementia care services and make improvements to its service delivery. Two major projects for the staff were to re-define the delivery of the case management services in the community and to implement the interRAI CHA, a LHIN mandated client assessment tool (Resident Assessment Instrument – Community Health Assessment (RAI-CHA)). Both these projects are expected to further enhance the services to our clients and to improve the continuity of care that is provided.

Another important initiative in our community has been the Behavioural Supports Ontario (BSO) Project. This Provincial initiative has resulted in the infusion of over four million dollars into our Region to enhance the care for individuals with dementia within Long Term Care and the community. Once again, the Niagara Chapter was a key player with the community sector piece by providing their expertise and input into the planning and implementation of the Project, and will continue to be one of the lead agencies in the full implementation and continuance of this initiative.

This is the final year as my term of President of the Alzheimer Society and I would like to take this opportunity to thank the members of the Board and Teena Kindt, CEO for their support and commitment. They have been unwavering in providing the necessary stewardship to chart the course for our organization. As well, each of them has been devoted to operating an efficient Society that is focused on optimizing the care of people with dementia in the community. This year, we will be saying good-bye to Jo O'Brien, Director of Education and I would like to thank Jo for her years of passion and caring to our clients. She is recognized as a leader and expert in the field of dementia care and she is going to be missed by her peers and the Society.

Tom Hunter, President

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Message From the CEO



Today, the Community Services Sector must contend with unprecedented challenges and a variety of factors confronting the industry from all sides. We are facing unsustainable operation costs with no increases in systemic funding, and the pressures of an ever increasing senior population and demand for services. The Niagara Region continues to have one of the largest senior populations per capita in Canada and yet we lack the available geriatric resources as compared to other communities.

In light of all of this, we continue to be optimistic about the future. Reflecting on this past busy and exciting year, I am very proud of our accomplishments as you will read in our Annual Report. It is undoubtedly a story of achievement and success, driven by our unwavering dedication to our mission. We saw program and service expansions despite the increase in referrals and no increase in government funding.

We are in the final year of our strategic plan and we will continue to evaluate and make changes. We recognize that change is never easy but it is an inevitable part of growth and our resiliency is part of our ongoing success. The LHIN implementation of the interRAI CHA, a new client assessment tool, led to a change in our service delivery and discharge policy. Nancy Rushford joined our team in June as the Director of Programs and had the major challenge of implementing this transformation. It is to the credit of Nancy and all our staff that we were able to push forward with the aggressive training and implementation schedule and still maintain vital support to people affected by dementia.

Innovation, vision and collaboration are the keys to growth and success. Our Chapter embraced the establishment of the Behavioural Supports Ontario (BSO) project to enhance service for Ontarians with complex behaviours associated with mental health, dementia or other neurological conditions, wherever they live. Our Society is an Integrated Community Lead which is an identified service provider that coordinates and plans community services which ensure that an individual will never be "discharged to nothing."

We committed our dementia expertise and resources to Dr. Lee, Pfizer and various Family Health Teams with the establishment of four screening clinics in Niagara. This collaborative approach uses family doctors, nurses, social workers, pharmacists, and other specialists to offer a sustainable solution for the long wait times for specialist referrals. Early care and support make a significant difference for people with dementia and their families.

Uncertainty over the structure of health and social care has meant our influencing of the system has never been more important, and we continue to ensure dementia is kept in the spotlight. The Alzheimer Society of Ontario, along with the Chapters, have been advocating for an Alzheimer Advisory Council Act (Bill 48), a Family Caregiver Leave (Bill 30) and a Health Renovation Tax Credit (Bill 2).

The commitment and energy of our dedicated and hardworking Board of Directors, staff, volunteers and partners is what drives this organization to truly be a voice for this special population. I would especially like to express my appreciation to Tom Hunter, whose compassion and expertise has led the Board of Directors as President over the past two years and to fellow Directors, Nancy Rushford, Terry McDougall, and Jo O'Brien, who is preparing to retire at the end of June.

The Alzheimer Society of Niagara Region will continue to provide valuable programs and services that have a positive impact in making our community a strong and vibrant place to live, work and play. The next, even more important chapter has yet to be written. Together, we can and will achieve our mission.



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Welcome

2012-2013 New Staff

Laura Macklem, Family Support Counsellor Terry McDougall, Director of Fund Development Gail MacKenzie-High, Psychogeriatric Resource Consultant

Staff of the Alzheimer Society of Niagara Region and **Alzheimer Society Niagara Foundation**



Staff Service Awards 2011—2012

15 Years

- Trisha Haight, Education Assistant



10 Years

- Michele Bliss, Psychogeriatric Resource Consultant

5 Years

- Erin Cunningham, Database Coordinator
- Charlotte Zwierschke, Family Support Counsellor

Chapter Accomplishments



"Thank you for giving me a place to belong... a purpose, I thought I had lost..."

The Alzheimer Society of Niagara Region (ASNR) has been committed to working in partnership with people with dementia, caregivers, and the broader community for the past 28 years. Our efforts have been aimed at improving the quality of life for people with dementia through education, support and advocacy along a continuum of integrated care.

Over the past year, we have had to come up with creative solutions for meeting the increased demand for our services while utilizing existing resources. This has led to greater cross-sectoral collaboration and capacity-building which has further strengthened our relationships with community stakeholders. Our active involvement with Behavioural Supports Ontario (BSO) as well as the implementation of the InterRAI CHA common assessment tool has also facilitated greater collaboration and opportunities for capacity building, particularly around complex issues involving elderly persons with cognitive impairments within the community. Through our involvement in these initiatives and growing partnerships, we are helping to ensure that people with dementia and caregivers 'get the right support at the right time and in the right place.'



Our programs continue to provide people with a variety of options for accessing information about dementia and support that is relevant to their lives. First Link is the gateway to all of our services and promotes access to early diagnosis and intervention. First Link has achieved success in terms of a steady increase in referrals, particularly from Primary Care. Our Family Support and Intensive Case Counsellors are in steady demand and continue to focus their efforts on providing one-to-one support to people in the various communities across Niagara. They are also facilitating monthly caregiver support groups throughout the Region. In St. Catharines we have had to double our support groups to meet the demand this year.

Memory Clinics:

The Garden City Family Health Team, St. Catharines; Portage Family Health Team, Niagara Falls; Niagara Medical Group Family Health Team, Niagara Falls; The McMaster Welland Family Health Team, Welland.



Back row:

Dr. D. Rosa, Physician Medhat Ibrahim, Pharmacist Dr. D. Dec, Physician

Front row:

Vicki Bragagnolo, ASNR RN Audrey Wall, RN Alison Balind, Social Worker

The First Link Program has been involved with the Memory Clinic Initiative involving Family Health Teams in the Niagara Region within the past year. The Memory Clinic Model was the 'brainchild' of Dr. Linda Lee. This model seeks to build the capacity at a primary level of health care that would ensure quality assessment, diagnosis and management of dementia. Our involvement has provided invaluable opportunities for learning and collaboration toward improving care within the community.

Chapter Accomplishments



Interest in our Early Stage Programs continues to grow. These programs offer opportunities for people with dementia and their partners in care to nurture their strength and resilience by engaging in fun and health promoting activities with others who share a similar experience. Recently, we have added a 'shared reflections' group to the services we provide where people in the moderate stages of dementia can share their stories and connect in a relaxed and comfortable environment.

Our Early Stage Programs continue to be well received by the community, including the Learning Series (for people with dementia and care-partners), Coffee Club, REBEL group and the Wellness Program. In particular, participants of the wellness program have been participating in art and cooking classes, deep breathing, meditation, and gentle exercise.







Our education department has also had a very busy year providing the Caregiver Education Series, The Virtual Dementia Tour, presentations throughout the region, and Friendly Visitor Training. Seventy-four friendly volunteers were trained this year. We are very appreciative of the hard work and dedication of all our volunteers throughout the organization. We also continue to support the involvement of people with dementia as volunteers, such as peer facilitators or helping us with other administrative tasks within our organization.

- Two Hundred and sixty-five education sessions serving 4781 people
- 10 public forums with 406 attendees
- 111 presentations to facilities, academic institutions and community-based agencies throughout the region, reaching 2265 people
- 339 staff trained through the New Regional Employee's Orientation, GPA and U-First programs
- Six (8 week) Caregiver Education Series sessions were offered in Niagara Falls and St. Catharines with 169 caregivers attending



• 40 Virtual Dementia Tours (VDT) involving professional caregivers, university, college, PSW and high school students as well as our volunteers, totaling 1012 participants

Chapter Accomplishments



Our Volunteers proved this year that they truly are an essential piece of our organization. Together they dedicated over 3600 hours sharing their hard work and skills in programs such as; friendly visiting, early stage programs, Caregiver Café, office support, Virtual Dementia Tour, education, special events, data entry, gardening, fundraising and the Board of Directors. We would never be able to provide the programs and services that we do without our volunteers.







We are excited to continue our partnerships with Ridley College, Extendicare, Linhaven and students of the District School Board of Niagara for our High School student volunteer program. These students were able to provide a total of 120 hours as friendly visitors in these long term care facilities.



The volunteer program is also proud to have gained a new partnership this past year with Therapy Tails, dog therapy group. This group has generously provided pet visits to our Early Stage Wellness Program and hopes to be able to expand their involvement in the upcoming year in our Friendly Visiting Program. Therapy Tails was also a huge hit at the

Walk for Memories 2012, with many walk participants ending their walk with a friendly visit from one of the 15 dogs on hand that day.

A number of our volunteers were recognized for their outstanding volunteer work from the City of St. Catharines and Niagara Falls. Cindy Wood and Arlinda Deng were recognized by the City of St. Catharines and the Niagara Falls Professional Fire Fighters Association and Murray Etherington were recognized by the City of Niagara Falls. It is wonderful to have our dedicated volunteers appreciated by others.





Ann Tassonyi, RN, BScN

Our two Psychogeriatric Resource Consultants have worked hard over the past year to provide education and consultation around complex issues within Long Term Care. They are also an important resource within the community, offering links to best practice guidelines and building the capacity of formal caregivers. They facilitate workshops such as Dementia, Delirium, Depression (The 3 D's), P.I.E.C.E.S., U-First, and Gentle Persuasive Approaches.



Michele Bliss, BSc, Reg N.

Help for Today.

Hope for Tomorrow...

Chapter Finance



Revenue 2011 73% Base Funding 20% Alzheimer Foundation 7% Fund Development			Expenditures 2011 78% Programs & Services 15% Administration 4% Facility Costs 3% Depreciation
Deficiency of Revenues Over Expenditures	\$	(20,362)	
	\$	1,754,956	100%
Depreciation	\$	50,964	3%
Facility Costs	\$	63,203	4%
Administration	\$	279,797	15%
Expenditures Programs and Services	\$	1,360,992	78%
	\$	1,734,594	100%
Fund Development	\$	114,027	7%
Alzheimer Foundation	\$	350,000	20%
Base Funding	\$	1,270,567	73%
Revenue			refeelinges
for the year ended march 51, 2012			Percentages
Condensed Statement of Operations for the year ended March 31, 2012			
	\$	1,230,550	
Reserves	\$	1,159,184	
Liabilities & Reserves Current Liabilities	\$	71,366	
	\$	1,230,550	
Fixed Assets	\$	1,119,538	
Assets Current Assets	\$	111,012	
as at March 31, 2012			

This report is based on the financial statements audited by Wormald Masse Keen Lopinski Chartered Accountants. The audited financial statements are available at the office of the Alzheimer Society of Niagara Region.

Commitment to Accountability

In addition to its responsibility in reviewing the chapter's financial statements, the Alzheimer Society of Niagara Region Management Committee looks at other areas of the chapter's business. From the government and general public's perspective, this would include: programs and services to the community, receipted donations and charitable status, public documents, revenue and expenditure allocation for programs and services. The aforementioned is performed in accordance with the Generally Accepted Accounting Principles and the Canadian Institute for Chartered Accountants Standards.

Code of Ethics

The Alzheimer Society of Niagara Region complies with the Ethical Fundraising and Financial Accountability Code. Its primary purpose is to assure donors of the integrity and accountability of charities that solicit and receive financial support.





As I often remind those whose support we seek, the Foundation has two primary goals in its role as the revenue generating partner of the Alzheimer Society of Niagara Region. The first is to raise the over half a million dollars that the Society needs every year to cover operating costs not funded by the government. The second is to protect and grow our investment portfolio in case the day arises when capital for expenses may be required or when our financial needs may exceed either in the short or long term, what the government is able to give or our fundraising is able to yield. To quote our mission statement, we have a commitment to the financial sustainability of the service needs of the Society in ways that are positive, meaningful and engaging. We take that role seriously.

The 2011 – 2012 fiscal year was one of challenges and successes. We embarked on a Planned Giving initiative that saw a strong start last spring with the development of promotional materials and the establishment of "Partners in Philanthropy", a specialized group of advisors. Due to staff changes and the completion of the grant that funded this initiative, the program's progress diminished over the winter months. However, with the recent hiring of Terry McDougall as our Director of Fund Development, I am confident that we will be back on track to a solid planned giving and major gift program through donor contact, Partners in Philanthropy seminars, and getting the message of our needs out to potential donors through literature and appreciation events. Terry brings to us a wealth of experience in fund development from her long time similar role with the Niagara Peninsula Conservation Foundation.

We had a number of successes in the past year. Our investment portfolio grew by more than 5%, a reflection of the revised investment strategy we developed with our broker. We exceeded our fundraising goals for several of our events including the Walk for Memories, Curl for Memories, the Peter Saracino Alzheimer Golf Classic and Third Party Events. Major gifts and Community Foundation funding exceeded our budgeted goals and memorial donations remained a strong component of our revenue generation. We were very fortunate to receive a very generous multi-year program sponsorship from the Freeland Foundation. Unfortunately, we did suffer one significant setback in relation to the Coffee Break Campaign. We lost a major corporate sponsor which accredited for most of the \$25,000 shortfall in reaching our goal of raising \$100,000.

Looking to this year, in addition to actively re-engaging in our long term plan to enhance our financial portfolio through bequests, gifts and donations as I have referred to, we intend to increase the intensity of our approaches to local community groups and foundations whose goals are to fund health-related agencies such as ours. We will be working to finalize a revised strategic plan and establish strong relationships with our donors. We will continue to interact with our fellow Board members of the Society so that we have one defined message regarding all the good work the latter does in our Niagara community.

I continue to appreciate all of the dedicated staff and Board members who contribute greatly to the successful work of our Foundation. A special note of thanks must go to our CEO, Teena Kindt, who once again stepped in to do extra work in fund development and special events because of staff reorganization. Teena is a bundle of positive energy, hard work and strong leadership. Her service to the Society and Foundation is remarkable in the eyes of her staff and the members of both the Society and Foundation Board. I also want to recognize the contributions of our Foundation staff. Shelley Schaubel stepped right into the position of Special Events Coordinator in the middle of our biggest campaign, Coffee Break, and did admirable work to help us raise the significant funds we did. A special thank you to Cynthia Krawczuk, for her wizardry and creativity with the website and all of the material we generate to publicize our efforts. Also, Erin Cunningham for her talented assistance in maintaining and analyzing our data, an area she loves.

Finally, I want to recognize my fellow Board members. Aside from finally defeating our fellow Society Board Members in our fundraising challenge at the Walk for Memories, a not insignificant accomplishment, it is more important to recognize the commitment of these people to the continuing success of an agency which is more and more in demand for service as our population ages and the government fails to respond. In particular, I would like to thank Debbie Drew, who is resigning this year, after her term of three years of hard work as our Treasurer.

I am confident that with our mission and combined dedication and expertise, another successful year is on the horizon.





Today's philanthropists, whether they are elderly or young, think differently—the donor landscape has changed permanently. They are less influenced by the flood of marketing messages and are thinking more strategically about the impact their gift can have. It goes beyond infrastructure and living in the moment. They want to ensure that their contribution affects positive change, so that we don't have to deal with the same issues 50 years from now.

The Alzheimer Society Niagara Foundation is strongly committed to financially sustaining the service needs of the Alzheimer Society of Niagara Region in ways that are positive, meaningful and engaging.

Each and every gift has made a real difference in the lives of people in our community. This year, an incredible \$468,000 was raised exclusively through our events and donations. Since our Early Stage programs do not receive funding, we have been focusing our fundraising efforts on this emerging population. Individuals living in the early stages of dementia are unable to function at optimum levels so they are uncomfortable in the typical seniors centre type environment. They require exposure to strategies which promote memory and life skills, as well as the understanding of their own peers.

We continued with our strategic direction to formalize a Planned Giving Program, a process dependent on building and strengthening relationships with those who share a belief in our organization's mission. We developed various materials and had a focus group of supporters offer feedback at a special breakfast last May. An invitation was extended to area financial advisors to learn more about our organization and become involved in our "Partners in Philanthropy" group to provide our Foundation with their expert guidance and direction. Although still in its infancy, we have great expectations for this program's future success. We can provide various giving opportunities that will make the most of a donation in regards to tax benefits, as well as represent an investment in a cause that is cherished by the donor.

We are extremely fortunate to have the endorsement and generosity of so many. The Freeland Foundation made a three year program pledge to ensure the continued success of our Early Stage Wellness programs. We received several transfers of stock and benefited from a number of third party events. Some of the past year's top events included: Anastasia's Walk hosted by the Blak family raised \$7,925; The Flora Broley Memorial Ball Hockey Tournament hosted by the Brock Leaders Citizenship Society raised \$7,361; The Niagara Hospitality Hotels Golf Tournament raised \$7,330; we received \$6,830 from The Nitsopoulos Family Golf Tournament; and the OANHSS Golf Tournament raised \$4,500. Our Celebration Program continues to grow, raising \$4,230 through weddings alone.

As I look back over the year, I am very proud of all our accomplishments, the stewardship of existing relationships and newly formed affiliations. I would like to formally recognize the enormous contribution made by all our Board Members, staff, volunteers, and partners. I would like to extend a special thanks to Bob Miller whose commitment as the Chair of the Foundation has always gone over and above our expectations and to my fellow Directors, Nancy Rushford, Terry McDougall, and Jo O'Brien, who is preparing to retire at the end of June.

In order to continue to provide quality specialized dementia care in the Niagara Region, we must ensure that our organization remains a sustainable, dependable resource. The Alzheimer Society Niagara Foundation is dedicated to being good stewards of the contributions others entrust to us through their generous philanthropic donations. I look forward to continuing to build on the success we have achieved thus far.

Teena Kindt, CEO

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Peter Saracino Golf Classic 2011

The Annual Peter Saracino Golf Classic took place on June 1, 2011 at Peninsula Lakes Golf & Country Club. It was a beautiful sunny day for this all-inclusive tournament that successfully raised \$40,350 in net revenue! A big thank you is extended to all of our supporters whose generosity makes the day possible including our title sponsor, Wormald Masse Keen Lopinski LLP, for their continued support. Thanks also to our Golf Committee and volunteers for their efforts on our behalf.



Coffee Break 2011

Honourary Chair Cindy Cameron, Vice President of Operations for Sobeys Ontario kicked off National Coffee Break Day on Thursday, September 16, 2011 with a barbecue at the FreshCo store location on Bunting Road. This year's Coffee Break was made up of approximately 200 hosts and raised \$72,025 in revenue! Every Coffee Break makes a difference, large or small and is an easy and fun way to participate in raising funds to support the Alzheimer Society of Niagara Region.



Walk for Memories 2012

The 2012 Walk for Memories was held at the Pen Centre on Sunday, January 29th. More than 250 walkers joined in the event, raising a record-breaking \$62,620 in revenue! The walk route featured exhibits stressing the importance of maintaining a healthy brain through diet, physical activity and the environment. Entertainment for the event included tap dance sensation David Cox, dancers from Dance Place in Welland and local singer Lindsay Alward. Some of the top teams from this year's event were CAW Local 199 raising \$5,824, The J Walkers with \$2,042 and Seasons to Remember with \$2,024. Our top individual was Karen Gillespie who raised \$4,584!



Curl for Memories 2012

The 13th annual Curl for Memories Bonspiel on Saturday, March 10th was a great event, raising nearly \$20,000 in revenue. Special thanks to our title sponsor, Seasons Retirement Communities and Gloria Campbell, our Honourary Chair. The top pledged team was Mona's Moaners, raising \$1,775.



Third Party Events

A third party event occurs when an external group plans and organizes their own event in the community, with proceeds directed to the Foundation. We have been very fortunate to receive tremendous support from the community with over \$45,500 in revenue generated this past year through events such as Anastasia's Walk, Harvey's Restaurants Niagara Falls Burger Day, Niagara Hospitality Hotels Golf Tournament, the Nitsopoulos Golf Tournament, Northland Pointe Walk for Memories, OANHSS Region 2 Golf Tournament, Kristen Oudman and Owen Grabell Walkathon, Teresa Windjack Memorial Golf Tournament and The Running Room New Years' Eve Resolution Run.



Anastasia's Walk raised \$7,925

Special Occasion Celebration Program

In lieu of favours for a wedding or gifts for other important occasions like birthdays or anniversaries, the occasion can be made even more memorable by encouraging donations to the Alzheimer Society Niagara Foundation. This innovative idea is quickly gaining popularity, as it provides the opportunity to mark a special milestone and at the same time, support a cause close to your heart. We will personally work with you to develop a customized place card, table sign or donation card that is suitable for your event.



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