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A Year End Message to our BCC Friends!

Happy Holidays and Happy New Year Everyone!

It is a time to celebrate, a time to reflect on a year of challenges and achievement, a time to spend a minute to appreciate each other and what we've accomplished together this year, and a time to look forward with promise to an even better 2022!

2021 hasn't been an easy year. COVID continues to strain our most valued staff and volunteers, our friends and neighbours, and even our families. It's important that the BCC prioritize everyone's safety and be a model organization for the community. We want you all to know that this year the Board authorized a "COVID Supplement" bonus for Judy and Bill to recognize the added difficulties the changing landscape of regulation and compliance brought to their roles. In addition we want to extend a heartfelt "Thank You" to all of you who have stepped up to support the BCC when we needed you.

Despite these difficulties the BCC has done well. We took advantage of every government relief program available to us. We applied for and received significant grants from the Province and Canada. We conducted our own fundraising efforts that, thanks to you all, were successful beyond our goals. We received generous contributions from family and individual donors. We are financially stable and positioned to re-emerge stronger and better. Thank You everyone!

You people, you are the ones who really make the difference for the BCC. You are the ones who make us successful.

Our main priority for the coming year is going to be communication. To get started there will be a separate, more detailed look at the year in retrospect coming soon!

Most journeys will encounter a little turbulence and the more we work together the easier it is to weather any challenge. The BCC is better positioned now than it ever has been to build on its traditional strengths and grow with the community.

We wish everyone a safe and happy holiday season with family and friends and we look forward to starting the coming year with enthusiasm and renewed commitment to the community spirit that defines the BCC!

From your Board of Directors,
Bill Kent - President, Margaret Roberts - Vice President, Teri McIntosh - Treasurer, Gwen McCallum - Secretary, and Directors: Steve Connolly, Dan Greene, Lee Harding, Molly Kriksic, Peter Raymond, Susan Torrance, Jeff Voyer, Lynn Woodcroft.

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