

ANNUAL REPORT 2006 –2007

HIGHLIGHTS

The Executive Committee of the Foundation held eight (8) meetings during 2006-07, as well as the Board of Trustees Annual Meeting and the Foundation's 26th Annual Meeting and Donor Recognition, held during the Atlantic Region Home Economics Conference held in South Rustico, PEI in the fall, 2006.

A report on the Annual Meeting and Donor Recognition was held at the Manitoba Home Economics Conference in October 2006.

During the past year, the following were approved by the Board: funding of 19 grants and awards to a total level of \$23,195; over 1370 CHEF commemorative steel bookmarks were distributed to recognize the 25th Anniversary of CHEF; the Gwenyth Bailey Simpson Award was changed to the Gwenyth Bailey Simpson Communication Award and the criteria were revised; by-law amendments

were approved at the Board of Trustees meeting in PEI, and have been approved by Industry Canada; the Home Economics – A Resource for Youth grant was extended for an additional five years to 2012; CHEF travel policy was revised; two awards were made from the Engberg-Fewster International Development Fund, one to Malawi, Africa, and one to Kenya, Africa.

Foundation information was provided to meetings of the Canadian Association for Research in Home Economics, the Association of Canadian Human Ecology Students, several university alumni reunions and home economics and home economics / family studies teachers associations.

The Foundation is pleased to recognize Lois M. Hurst of Ottawa in the Benefactor donor category for cumulative donations of \$10,000 or more.



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RESEARCH:

Support to **Trudy Smit Quosai**, a doctoral candidate in the University of Guelph Department of Family Relations and Applied Nutrition, for her research *Understanding Access to Post-Secondary Education from the Perspective of Student Parents*.

PUBLIC SERVICE:

Support to **Dr. Mary Leah de Zwart**, BC, partnering with Dr. Emma Kishindo, Malawi, Africa, for a project in Malawi on food preservation: *HIV and AIDS and Proper Nutrition. Engberg-Fewster International Development Grant*.

Support to the **Gagetown (NB) Rotary Club** and partners for a series of nutrition sessions to teach and apply healthy eating choices and to coach how to stretch a budget; **Maggie's Place**, NS, for a collective kitchen operation for families with young children; **The Saint John (NB) School Milk Fund**, in operation since 1961; and to the **PEI Healthy Eating Alliance**, for production of their *School Healthy Eating Toolkit* manual for schools. *Atlantic Canada Community Project Fund*.

Support to Alberta non-profit society **Healthy Families Healthy Futures**, to expand their *Learn & Save* program of financial literacy workshops for low-income clients. *Margaret Speechly Stansfield Memorial Fund*.

Ongoing support for the www.homefamily.net consumer information website: average monthly visits increased by more than 17,300 over 2005-2006. *Emmie Oddie Website Fund*.

Support to the **PEI Home Economics Association** to sponsor speaker Bonnie Lacroix, PHEc, RD, PhD candidate, at a public lecture in Charlottetown, PEI, on the topic *Beyond Botulism: What you need to know about food borne illness in today's world*. *Gwen E. Leslie Memorial Fund*.

Support to **Regina Home Economics for Living Project Inc. (HELP)**, to deliver a *Budget Intervention* program to low-income individuals and families using one-to-one money management sessions.

EDUCATION:

Awards to **Michelle Boudreau**, Mount Saint Vincent University Department of Family Studies and Gerontology, NS, for *An Exploration of Intimate Partner Violence against Older Women* [graduate category]; to **Rebekah Lord**, Acadia University School of Nutrition & Dietetics, NS/Memorial University NL, for *Nutritional and Medical Management of Phenylketonuria and Its Implications on Childhood Nutritional Status, Growth and Development*, [undergraduate category]; and to **Jennifer Pope**, Acadia University School of Nutrition & Dietetics NS/Memorial University NL for *Omega-3 Fatty Acids and Crohn's Disease* [undergraduate category]. *Dr. Elizabeth Feniak Awards for Excellence in Technical Writing*.

Support to **Canadian Symposium IX: Issues and Directions for Home Economics / Family Studies Education**, Toronto, ON, towards the keynote speaker, proceedings, and student registrations.

Support to **Doreen Gardner Brown**, BC, **Dr. Phyllis Johnson**, BC, and **Dr. Ruth Berry**, MB, towards *Financial Forum 2*, a meeting for financial counselors and educators in Western Canada. *Edith Rowles Simpson Recognition Fund*.

Support continues to **Dr. Sue McGregor**, NS; **Elaine Seniuk**, NS; and **Jeanne Godin**, NB, for their project to establish a depository of selected CANADIAN HOME ECONOMICS JOURNAL articles at a new CHE Foundation website.

Support to **Dr. Linda Peterat**, **Dr. Jolie Mayer-Smith**, and **Dr. Gale Smith**, University of British Columbia Faculty of Education, for writing and publishing teaching and activity guides related to the *Intergenerational Landed Learning Project on the Farm for the Environment*, to integrate food production and farming activities into the classroom.

POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION AND TRAINING:

Support to **Margarida Demarchi**, MB, towards her participation in the 2006 Association of Financial Counseling and Planning Education (AFCPE) conference. *Edith Rowles Simpson Recognition Fund*.

Support to the **University of Saskatchewan College of Education** for equipment to enhance its home economics teacher education program. *University of Saskatchewan Home Economics Teacher Education Fund*.

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FINANCIAL REPORT, Year ended April 30

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

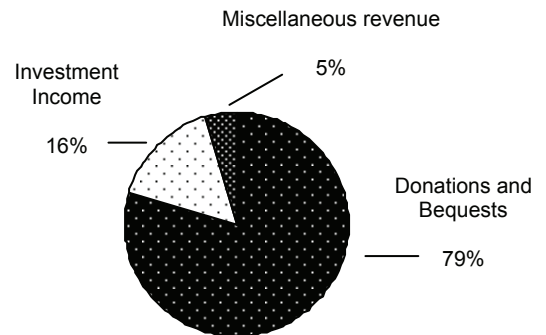
Assets

	2007	2006
Cash	\$7,820	\$477
Capital Fund	\$132,901	\$127,125
Gwen E. Leslie Memorial Fund	\$47,659	\$47,374
Gwenyth Bailey Simpson Memorial Fund	\$22,377	\$21,722
Edith Rowles Simpson Recognition Fund	\$27,012	\$27,203
Margaret Speechly Stansfield Memorial Fund	\$19,816	\$17,582
Engberg/Fewster International Development Fund	\$37,288	\$37,811
Emmie Oddie Website Fund	\$16,294	\$15,407
University of Saskatchewan Home Economics Teacher Education Fund	\$14,504	\$17,100
Atlantic Canada Community Project Fund	\$15,913	\$10,415

Net Worth

\$341,584 \$322,216

REVENUE 2007



STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS

Revenue

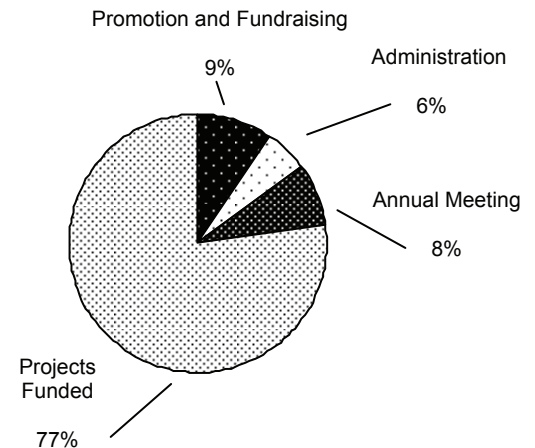
	2007	2006
Donations and Bequests	\$41,944	\$28,280*
Investment Income	\$8,540	\$8,776
Miscellaneous Revenue	\$2,391	\$5,977
Total Revenue	\$52,875	\$43,033*

Expenditures

	2007	2006
Promotion and Fundraising	\$3,051	\$4,498
Administration	\$1,864	\$1,493
Annual Meeting	\$2,546	\$143
Projects Funded	\$25,195	\$24,759
Total Expenditures	\$32,656	\$30,892
Revenue Less Expenditures	\$20,219	\$12,141*

* Includes \$852.11 life insurance policy premium not held in cash by CHEF

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