



# Sheep River HEALTH TRUST

## *Healthy Developments*

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*The past couple of months have flown by. We're just waiting for the weather to catch up and bring more spring-like temperatures.*

*The first quarter of this year has been busy arranging some third party community fundraisers while gearing up for our signature event, Radiothon, taking place in June.*

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### *Love is in the Air During the Hot Chocolate Festival*

For the second year in a row, Tribal Connections Market sponsored the Sheep River Health Trust by taking part in the 2025 Hot Chocolate Festival. They concocted an amazing drink called the Raspberry Bloom. A hot chocolate with raspberry syrup, marshmallows and a small bouquet of flowers on the side. Perfect for Valentine's Day.



*Thanks to Wendy and Jodi for continuing to support us. We are honoured to be part of their tribe!*

With the purchase of every hot chocolate, one dollar was donated back to the Sheep River Health Trust. From February 5 – 15 their staff sold over 200 hot chocolates.

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*Cobs Bread Centennial Village  
Raises Some Serious Dough  
for Sheep River Health Trust*



Warning: you will experience the urge to go to Cobs after reading about this fundraiser!

Starting on March 8 until April 4, customers can participate in a month long Till Campaign. With every purchase, you can add a donation to your total that will go to the Sheep River Health Trust.

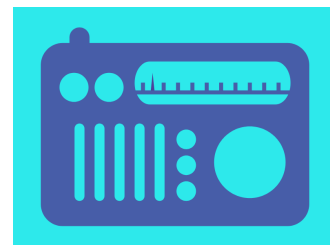
That just makes me want to buy more goodies from Cobs. That is not all! After fundraising for a month, Cobs is then throwing a party on April 5 to celebrate. It's called "Dough-Nation" Day and Cobs Centennial Village will be selling their delicious cross-buns. With the sale of every package, Cobs will donate \$2 towards to us. Staff will be onsite from 10am – 3pm to answer questions about the work that we do.

This is the second year in a row that Cobs Centennial Village is fundraising for the Sheep River Health Trust. Last year, Daisy Sangha and her staff raised over \$3,500. The funds were used to purchase a Slit Lamp for the Emergency Department at the Oilfields General Hospital.

This equipment is used in the ER to examine the eye's structures, allowing doctors to diagnose various eye conditions, remove foreign objects and assess eye injuries. Quick and accurate diagnosis is crucial for timely treatment in emergency situations involving the eye. The Slit Lamp's ability to provide a detailed examination of the eye is vital in managing eye-related emergencies for both patients and our local healthcare professionals. Don't forget to stop by Cobs Centennial Village during March to buy some goodies and donate, and then on April 5 to celebrate "Dough-Nation" Day.

## ***Assessing the Needs of the Community for Radiothon***

This year we celebrate the 12<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the "Together We Make a Difference" Radiothon. We are planning for a sunny day in June to broadcast in partnership with the Eagle 100.9FM.



This time of year, we are accepting and reviewing applications from various organizations that are looking for a grant to fund their health & wellness projects in the Foothills Community. Last year we were fortunate to be able to fund nine projects by raising over \$75,000.

Visit our website to access the application for a Community Organization

Radiothon Grant. The deadline for submission is March 10 at 12pm.

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