



Embarking on a Paw-Awesome Journey

BY STEPHANIE TAYLOR

We have now been operating both Pet-Friendly Shelter spaces for just over a year, and we continue to learn and evolve our support to clients residing there.

It is clear that our original goal of 30 day stays needs to be longer for women and families trying to find long-term housing with pets, particularly those with dogs. Affordability and safety are an ever increasing challenge when most social housing units don't allow pets and only women with children in their care or who have significant mobility and age related challenges can access these spaces.



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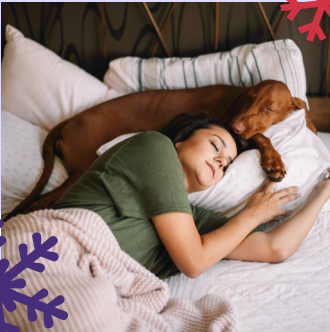
Bridges Of Hope Outreach Group

How You Can Help - Donation Requests

'TIS THE SEASON OF GIVING



Atlas-Apex Roofing has donated 20 sleeping bags, with 80 more available as needed. Their ongoing support brings warmth and comfort to those in our community. Thanks to Atlas Apex Roofing for making a positive impact!



Jack and Sylvia Vicq generously contributed \$25,000 to support our pet-friendly shelter. Their gracious commitment extends to a promise of an equivalent donation next year, furthering our mission to provide a welcoming space for our furry friends.



The Shoppers Drug Mart Giving Shelter™ Campaign in the fall successfully raised \$14,360 for our Regina Transition House!

2nd Annual Safe Paws Gala

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We recently held the 2nd Annual Safe Paws Gala in partnership with SOFIA House and the event was a wonderful time for the Gala Committee members and hopefully for sponsors and attendees of the evening. We had many volunteers engaged in a variety of ways to host the event, including RBC to set up with our decorating sponsor Exquisite Events and Weddings, along with Gala Committee members, staff of both SOFIA and Regina Transition House and entertainment and engagement opportunities during the evening (i.e. St. Johns Ambulance Therapy dogs, CCRezQ's Puppy Kissing booth, and Paw Loft YQR dog show).

This type of fundraising is crucial to support our Pet-Friendly program in order to keep what we have developed going and to adjust as we learn from clients what they need.



Committed to Culturally Supporting Our Clients and the Healing Process

BY JAMIE LEWIS

Regina Transition House acknowledges the significance of the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation and the need to recognize the impact of residential schools on Indigenous families and children.

This year our Bridges of Hope Outreach group demonstrated our commitment to reconciliation by engaging in a thoughtful discussion with the families our group supports on the significance of this day. Together, we created orange shirts to wear on September 30th.





SPREAD HOLIDAY CHEER!

Give your time or fulfil Christmas and Holiday Wishlist dreams!

Reach out to Allison to purchase some of these items to donate by phone (306) 337-2813 or email allison@reginatransitionhouse.ca or ed@reginatransitionhouse.ca.



CHRISTMAS + HOLIDAY *Wishlist*

- * Children's underwear
- * Women's and children's socks
- * Water resistant children's mittens
- * Colouring activity books and crayons
- * Dollar store craft kits
- * Full size shampoo, conditioner, body wash and deodorant
- * Wiped and functional cell phones with data capabilities
- * Prepaid phone cards
- * Air mattresses and pumps
- * Baby body wash and wipes
- * Baby monitors
- * Laundry detergent
- * Hairbrushes
- * Bath towels and face cloths
- * Twin fitted sets and blankets for single beds
- * Can openers, cutlery, dishes, crockpots, pots and pans
- * Gift certificates for grocery or department stores



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Regina Transition House is a recognized leader in responsive, effective human service. We create spaces for women and children where they can change their lives.