

# DO YOU WANT TO GET CENTRE'D?

We did!



LEADER

community

dance

SUPPORT

art

entertain

network

music

THEATRE

Confederation Centre of the Arts  
is a registered charity which  
strives to enrich the cultural lives  
of all Canadians. Built as a  
living memorial to the Founders  
of Confederation, Confederation  
Centre is a national arts  
organization that celebrates  
the best in Canadian visual  
and performing arts.

GIVE

We need your help. Revenues from theatre ticket sales, Mavor's Restaurant and The Showcase Gift Shop are not enough to cover the cost of operating Confederation Centre of the Arts to the standards that it is internationally known for.

Your support enables the creation of new visual art, new theatrical productions and expanded education programs for our youth.

We believe there is no such thing as a free lunch, which is why we have created a membership program that is designed to enhance the experience of those that give. We put your money to work for the Centre and then ensure that you are the first to enjoy its benefits.

#### 2011/2012 EARNED REVENUES

Since 2001, our earned revenues have increased from \$3.4 million to \$7.4 million.



Of that amount, 14% is generated from the generosity of donors and sponsors!

#### 2011/2012 FUNDRAISING REVENUES

75% of our fundraising revenues was generated from Corporate Sponsorships.



The other 25% comes from YOU, through membership and special events.

...fostering of those things that enrich  
the mind and delight the heart...

—Prime Minister LESTER B. PEARSON  
1964, Confederation Centre of the Arts Opening Ceremony

Confederation Centre of the Arts is an organization that is devoted to enriching the lives of all Canadians. Situated in the smallest province in Canada, we take pride in being one of the finest art centres in the country. Whether you are interested in visual arts, performing arts or arts education, you will find yourself privy to them all when you walk through our halls. Confederation Centre offers these programs and many more:

Youth Visual and Performing Art Camps

Community Open Houses

Seven Art Gallery Exhibition spaces

Largest Soft-seat Theatre in Atlantic Canada

Education Lectures by Artists and Academics

Youth and Adult Choirs

Professional Dance Training

Assessible Theatre Programming

Heritage Murals

Adult Art Classes

**enrich**

" I was here when the Centre opened its doors in 1964. The Centre has enriched the lives of my family for three generations."

LUCILLE HOGG  
CENTRE'D since 1998



# entertainment

Culture relates to objects and is a phenomenon of the world; entertainment relates to people and is a phenomenon of life.

HANNAH ARENDT

Confederation Centre of the Arts is home to the largest soft-seat theatre in Atlantic Canada, and as a member you have access to exclusive benefits that will enhance your entertainment experiences.\*

Advance Purchase Ticket Notice

Waiver of Service Charges on Purchases and Exchanges

Members Priority Phone Line

Cast Meet and Greet

Access to Premium Row A Seating

Members-only Live Performances

Invitation to The Charlottetown Festival Opening Night Gala

Back-stage Tours

\*BENEFITS ARE SUBJECT TO MEMBERSHIP LEVEL.

"Those that can perform do—those that can't, find our own way to contribute."

DARCY CAMPBELL

CENTRE'D since 2002

Jim Cuddy, Blue Rodeo, 2010, photo: pixbyline



As a member, you will have opportunities to network with a group of like-minded individuals who understand the importance of arts and culture. You'll encounter other professionals who support the Centre, meet new friends and expand your social circle.

Art Gallery Openings

VIP Holiday Reception

Members-only Reception

Members/cast Meet and Greet

Board of Directors Summer Reception

Summer Social Hosted by the Board Chair

# social

"I regard the theatre as the greatest of all art forms, the most immediate way in which a human being can share with another the sense of what it is to be a human being."

OSCAR WILDE

" We appreciate the socializing opportunities both personally and professionally."

DAVID & STACY SMITH  
CENTRE'D since 2009  
(the twins, Campbell and Olivia, since birth!)



Art is much less important than life,  
but what a poor life without it.

—ROBERT MOTHERWELL

Arts education is a key directive at Confederation Centre, we are dedicated to the education of Canada's next generation of visual and performing artists. Our arts education program encourages children to explore creative expression in a variety of ways, from drawing and sculpting, to acting and singing. Through school collaborations, summer camps, and year-round classes and activities, the Centre's arts education program introduces children and adults alike to the arts in a fun and professional setting.

Arts Discovery Days

dance umbrella

Visual Arts Camps

Performing Arts Camps

Confederation Centre Brass

Confederation Centre Youth Choir

Backstage Tours

Art Gallery Tours

Art Gallery Workshops

education

" From a young age,  
our kids have enjoyed  
participating in the  
Confederation Centre's  
arts programs, and now  
as teenagers, they still  
enjoy all the Centre has  
to offer."

PAULETTE SOLOMAN  
CENTRE'D since 2010



dance umbrella, photo: Louise Vessey

# create

As a national arts institution, the Confederation Centre Art Gallery is intent on fostering an appreciation, understanding, and enjoyment of the visual arts. It works hard to encourage open and ongoing conversations about Canadian culture. When you visit the gallery you will experience firsthand the diverse and compelling stories so richly told by artists.

The Confederation Centre Art Gallery is committed to connecting you to the best in Canadian visual arts. Through innovative programming the Gallery has created an environment which is welcoming to the first time visitor and complex enough for the most seasoned art lover.

Touring Exhibitions

Emerging Artists Series

Discussions with Exhibition Artists

Youth and Adult Art Classes

Guided Gallery Tours

Art Talks Lecture Series

New Theatre Workshops

Local, Regional and National Representation

More than 15,000 pieces in our private collection

If art is to nourish the roots of our culture,  
society must set the artist free to follow his  
vision wherever it takes him.

JOHN F. KENNEDY

" Since its opening,  
Confederation Centre of the  
Arts has been a marvelous  
resource and inspiration."

HENRY PURDY  
CENTRE'D since 1985



Henry Purdy, *Centennial Dimension*, 1972, photo: Louise Vessey

# membership has its benefits

## **ADVOCATE** (\$10 – \$149)

- Tax receipt for the full amount of your gift
- Priority purchase ticket notice for Confederation Centre presented performances
- Invitation to Art Gallery openings
- Recognition in The Charlottetown Festival House Program

## **SUPPORTER** (\$150 – \$249)

- All of the above
- + Invitation to VIP Holiday Reception
- + Invitation to The Charlottetown Festival season launch

## **CONTRIBUTOR** (\$250 – \$374)

- All of the above
- + Waiver of service charges on theatre ticket purchases and exchanges
- + Invitation to Members-only reception
- + Access to Members priority phone line (ext.145) for booking theatre tickets

## **SUSTAINER** (\$375 – \$499)

- All of the above
- + Access to two seats in Row A (subject to availability, held up to 48 hours prior to performance)
- + Invitation for two to a Charlottetown Festival cast meet and greet

## **BENEFACTOR** (\$500 – \$999)

- All of the above
- + Invitation to the Board of Directors' summer reception
- + Members-only live performance in the Homburg Theatre

## **DIRECTOR'S CIRCLE** (\$1000 – \$1,499)

- All of the above
- + Invitation for two to The Charlottetown Festival's Opening Night gala
- + Invitation for two to the summer social hosted by the Board Chairman
- + Recognition on our plasma screens throughout the building

## **PRODUCER'S CIRCLE** (\$1,500 – \$2,499)

- All of the above
- + Access to Members-only priority waiting list for sold-out performances
- + Invitation for you and 9 guests to attend a backstage tour
- + Special recognition in The Charlottetown Festival house program

## **EXECUTIVE'S CIRCLE** (\$2,500 – \$4,999)

- All of the above
- + Access to four seats in Row A (subject to availability, held up to 48 hours prior to performance)
- + One additional invitation for two people to a Charlottetown Festival cast meet and greet
- + Two additional tickets to The Charlottetown Festival's Opening Night gala

## **FOUNDER'S CIRCLE** (\$5,000 +)

- All of the above
- + Access to six seats in Row A (subject to availability, held up to 48 hours prior to performance)
- + A plaque bearing your name will be displayed in a designated area for the duration of your membership

# Yes! I want to GET CENTRE'D!

I want to give \$

every month  every year  one-time gift

## PAYMENT OPTIONS

I have enclosed a cheque for the full amount of my gift made payable to the Fathers of Confederation Buildings Trust.

Please charge my credit card:

VISA  MASTERCARD  AMERICAN EXPRESS

CREDIT CARD NUMBER   
EXP. DATE

SIGNATURE   
DATE

## YOUR INFORMATION

MR.  MRS.  MR. & MRS.  MS.  MISS  DR.  OTHER

FULL NAME

COMPANY

MAILING ADDRESS

CITY   
POSTAL CODE

TELEPHONE   
TELEPHONE (OTHER)

EMAIL ADDRESS

**Whenever appropriate, please publish my name as:**

I wish to remain anonymous

## THE DETAILS

Gifts of \$10 or more will receive an official tax receipt. All donations to Confederation Centre of the Arts are tax deductible.

Charitable registration number: 12180 7929 RR0001

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get  
creative

get  
inspired

get  
connected

get  
rewarded



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