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We would like to thank all the sponsors for their contributions to the Race to the Sea.

With contributions from the community, businesses & organizations, it makes this event easier to coordinate and makes for a safe, fun event for the runners.

Sponsors from the Port aux Basques / Cape Ray Area

Alma's Family Restaurant (695-3813), Grand Bay Mall Specializing in traditional Newfoundland cuisine.

Bruce II Sports Complex (695-3592), Hardy's Arterial

Provides the residents of the Southwest Coast with sports and recreation opportunities. The complex consists of an arena, swimming pool, bowling alley, curling rink, fitness center, walking track and two conference rooms. They offer a wide range of activities throughout the different departments within the Bruce II Sports Complex. These activities are designed for, and attended by, people from infant age to mature adults. The management and staff feel the Race to the Sea is a great event that not only promotes a healthy active lifestyle, but is also associated with the local culture and heritage.

CBDC Gateway (695-7406), 52 Main St.

We are part of a network of autonomous, not-for-profit organizations that work with all levels of government and the private sector to meet the needs of small business. Programs include: Youth Ventures, Self Employment Benefit, Financial Assistance, and Business Counseling.

C&C Enterprises (695-3313), 25 Grand Bay West Rd.

Various services offered such as: trucking, towing, automotive repair, heavy equipment repair, liquid air dealer, u-haul rentals, and so much more.

Cape Ray Lighthouse (695-2426)

This historic lighthouse area contains a museum with Dorset artifacts and much historical data, and a craft shop with quality, affordable local crafts.

Channel-Port aux Basques Volunteer Fire Department, 18 Marine Dr.

The Channel-Port aux Basques Volunteer Fire Department consists of 35 members, has two fire pumper trucks, a rescue truck, a support unit, and a hazmatt trailer with a pickup. This Volunteer Fire Department is responsible for providing fire protection to the Town of Channel-Port aux Basques & area and also provides mutual aid assistance to the surrounding communities if requested. This Fire Department also responds to motor vehicle accidents on the TCH between Codroy Pond and Rose Blanche with their rescue truck. With regards to the Race, the Channel-Port aux Basques Volunteer Fire Department provides a vehicle to carry race personnel to each checkpoint along with bottled water and various other supplies. Their vehicle PA system is used by the Race to the Sea committee at each checkpoint for announcements. As volunteer firefighters they like to support community events whenever possible.

Coleman's Grocery Store 50 Main Street

Our customers are integral to the success of the company. Through their loyalty we are able to employ over 800 team members across the island. Colemans believe in giving back to the community wherever we can. We put a lot of resources against the wellbeing of our customers and our staff; we understand this starts at a very young age and have created programs to aid in our communities called "Kids Get Active" and "Kids Eat Healthy" which goes to supporting children at community schools across Newfoundland. We support other non-profit organizations and get involved wherever we can.

College of the North Atlantic (695-3343), Grand Bay Road

We are Newfoundland and Labrador's public college – one of the largest post-secondary educational and skills training centres in Atlantic Canada, with a history dating back more than 40 years. College of the North Atlantic (CNA) continues to have the lowest tuition fees of any post-secondary institution in Atlantic Canada. We offer an impressive world-class, nationally accredited range of programming that meets the highest demands of industry; transferability opportunities that promote continuing education at home and abroad; research and development leadership in community and regional innovation; and precedent-setting international partnerships.

Eclipse (695-3919), Grand Bay Mall Clothing store.

Edgar's Barber Shop Main St.

No appointment needed.

First Choice Convenience (695-7474), 12-14 Main St.

Convenience store which offers a large variety of products, including soft serve ice cream, ice cream cakes, movie rentals and also offers a coin operated laundry mat service.

Grant Motors (695-7168), Grand Bay West Industrial Park

Auto body Repair Center. Windshield repair/replacement, Action truck cap and accessory sales, buffing and polishing.

Gulf News (695-3671), 17 Grand Bay Rd.

The Gulf News is a weekly community newspaper serving Newfoundland's southwest coast with a circulation of approximately 3,000 households. The Gulf News is proud to support Race to the Sea as an important event showcasing what the Southwest Coast has to offer to it's own residents and those visiting.

Hairs to You Salon (695-2800), 28 Citadel Street

Land & Sea Outfitting (695-7391), 13 Marine Dr.

Check us out for marine supplies, custom lobster pots, hunting and fishing supplies, safety work gear, footwear and outerwear. We also carry industrial cleaning supplies, catering supplies and much more. Drop by and see us!

Leading Edge Credit Union

(695-7000), Port aux Basques / (955-2402), Doyles

Voted one of the Best Places to Work in Atlantic Canada for the fourth consecutive year, Leading Edge Credit Union is owned by its members and is a proud community supporter. As a full-service financial institution, Leading Edge Credit Union has over 5,860 members and \$85,700,000 in assets. We offer specialized services such as income tax preparation and wealth management, and operate out of six locations on the west and southwest coast. We understand you better because, at Leading Edge Credit Union, you're a customer and an owner and we're focused on you! Visit our website for more information at www leau ca

Main Street Convenience (695-3800), 78 Main St.

Convenience store that offers groceries, beer, lotto, ice cream, homemade waffle cones, movie rentals, and second hand books.

Manual's Construction (695-7294), Grand Bay West Rd.

Marine Atlantic (1-800-341-7981)

Daily service is provided year-round between Port aux Basques, NL and North Sydney, NS. A summer season route provides tri-weekly crossings from North Sydney, NS to Argentia, NL – 131 km from the city of St. Johns. Marine Atlantic's fleet is made up of four modern, comfortable vessels – all of which are designed specifically to meet the needs of our travelling public and commercial passengers. That's why you'll see a wide range of cabins and contemporary shared spaces to relax in, plus plenty of meal options – everything from light snacks to full buffets.

Mary Browns (695-3030), 20 High St.

Famous chicken and taters. Mary Brown's makes great fresh chicken and offers very fast and convenient service.

North Atlantic / Orange Store (695-3492), High St.

Gas station and convenience store.

Notre Dame Agencies (695-7552), Grand Bay West Rd.

Trust Notre Dame Castle stores to supply quality lumber, building materials and hardware. We're a locally owned and operated family business, committed to helping you build it better.

Paint Shop (695-7880), 42 Main St.

Whether you're decorating just one room or your entire home, whether your project budget is big or small, we've got the products and the people you need.

Pitcher Plant Flower Shop (695-3611), Grand Bay Mall

A flower and gift store dealing in fresh flower arrangements and a unique assortment of gifts, collectables and scented products.

Pizza Delight (695-9797), 56 High St, Port aux Basques

Locally owned and operated franchise, specializing in pizza and pasta dishes.

Port aux Basques & Area Chamber of Commerce

(695-3688), Railway Heritage Museum

When your business becomes a member of the Port aux Basques & Area Chamber of Commerce, you have a stronger voice. We can offer effective marketing and visibility opportunities including the annual Gateway Business Expo, business advocacy and invitations to attend educational seminars and networking events.

Scotiabank (695-5630), 176 Caribou Rd

Our qualified staff-help customers become financially better off by providing relevant solutions to their financial needs. Office hours are Monday to Friday 10am to 5pm. We also offer 24-hour access to ATM at 2 locations, 176 Caribou Road and the Grand Bay Mall.

Shark Cove Restaurant & Suites (695-3831), Currie Ave.

Fully Licensed. Open Sunday to Thursday from 9:00 am to 11:00 pm, later on Friday and Saturday night. Delicious home cooked meals, GREAT PRICES! All-day breakfast available. 1, 2 and 3 bedroom suites available nightly, weekly and monthly. Clean, comfortable units with satellite television and internet.

St. Christopher's Hotel (695-3500), 146 Caribou Rd.

Visible from the Marine Atlantic Ferry Terminal, with a panoramic view of the ocean, marine boardwalk and Scott's Cove Park. The hotel consists of 83 quiet, air conditioned rooms, suites and housekeeping units. Smoking and non-smoking rooms available and pets are welcome. The rooms are equipped with high-speed internet access, a private bath, and cable television. There is also banquet and meeting facilities, a lounge, and a dining room complete with a taste of Newfoundland and Labrador menu. Other services include a business centre with high speed internet, a fitness room, and a guest laundry room. Located close to the hotel are amenities such as a swimming pool, shopping mall, museums and lighthouse tours

Shoppers Drug Mart (695-7051), Main St.

Canada's leading player in the retail drugstore marketplace. Number one provider of pharmacy products and services.

Spencer's Auto (695-2661), LeGallais Street

For all your automotive repair needs, check us out.

The Hair Hut (695-7700), Pleasant St.

Unisex services including cuts, colours, waxing, tanning, pedicure and manicures.

Total Image Beauty Salon (695-2011), Main St.

Services available consists of colours, cuts, waxings and tanning beds. Total Image offers something for the whole family.

Town of Channel-Port aux Basques (695-2214), Main St.

The scenic Town of Channel-Port aux Basques is always growing and ever changing to better serve its residents. Keep visiting our website for frequent updates surrounding events, advisories and news updates.

Woodward Motors (695-7363), Grand Bay West Rd.

New Buick, GM & Chevrolet dealer. Wide selection of quality pre-owned vehicles. Fully equipped parts and service center.

Sponsors from the Codroy Valley Area

AuCoin's Store (955-2840), South Branch

Convenience store

Belanger Memorial Upper Ferry

E.W. Gale (955-2440). Millville

"All Kinds of Everything" We offer Grocery and drygoods, including musical instruments and accessories, appliances, Stihl chainsaws, Sico paints.

Gales Septic Systems (955-2642), South Branch

Portable toilet rentals and septic pumping.

Gillis Brothers Inc (955-3030), Great Codroy

Groceries, Movies, Cold Beer, Souvenirs, Giftware & cards

Grand Codroy R.V. Park (955-2520), Station Rd, Doyles

"To serve people and protect nature." Offering fully serviced lots, "big rig" sites to tenting sites, shower facilities and laundry mat. Be sure to visit the Craft Store, which offers a huge variety of locally made crafts.

St. Kevin's Centre St. Andrew's

West Valley Farm Ltd. (955-2140), St. Andrews

West Valley Farm Ltd. is a locally owned and operated dairy farm that proudly chooses to support community related activities.

Sponsors from the Granite Coast

Elsie's Cleaning Services (694-0334) Margaree

Grandy's River Collegiate Burnt Islands

Isle aux Morts Lodge

Rose Blanche Lighthouse (956-2052), Rose Blanche

Come visit the fully restored Rose Blanche Lighthouse, just a 45km drive along Route 470 from Port aux Basques. Built in 1871 from a nearby granite quarry, this lighthouse stands as a proud sentinel of our shores. D & T Stevenson, lighthouse engineers from Edinburgh, Scotland, designed the original apparatus. This is the family of noted author Robert Louis Stevenson. The light currently on display is a sixth-order Fresnel lens that is one of the few remaining lenses of this type. Restored in 1999 and furnished with 19th century reproduced furniture and local antiques, this lighthouse is a must-see for all lighthouse enthusiasts. The lighthouse is open to the public on a seasonal basis.

Seashore Restaurant (698-3751), Margaree

We offer fresh local fish and great meals in our fully licensed restaurant. Drop by our wheelchair accessible location for very friendly service. Our summer hours: Mon-Thurs 3pm-9pm, Fri-Sun 11am-9pm. Operated by Pauline Billard.

Town of Rose Blanche – Harbour LeCou (698-3751)

Rose Blanche - Harbour LeCou is a small community located on the southwest coast of Newfoundland. It is approximately 35km east of channel Port aux Basques, the largest community on the Southwest Coast. The community is connected by route 470 to the Trans Canada Highway at Port aux Basques.

Sponsors from Out of Town

Atlantic Central / League Savings and Mortgage

Atlantic Central is an umbrella organization that supports credit unions in becoming the financial institution of choice. Atlantic Central provides credit unions with leadership, advocacy and a range of support services, such as liquidity management, payments processing and trade association services. League Savings and Mortgage Company partners with member credit unions to provide mortgages and other financial solutions.

Cape Breton Trailer Sales (902-544-0157), Bras d'Or, Nova Scotia

Cape Breton Trailer Sales, is a family owned and community minded business. Bruce and Maureen Marsh take great pride in both customer service and satisfaction. In 2004, Cape Breton Trailer Sales expanded to offer more brands and options than ever before. They offer new and used park models, travel trailers, 5th wheel, hybrid trailers, tent trailers, toy haulers, as well as cargo trailers in many sizes and floor plans. With so many changes and advances in RVs, Cape Breton Trailer Sales knows the importance of keeping up-to-date on the industry. The sales team regularly attends RV tradeshows and information seminars so that we are ready to answer all your questions. Their goal is to make your camping adventures some of your best family memories!

Emera Newfoundland and Labrador www.EmeraNL.com

Emera Newfoundland & Labrador was established in 2010 as the business entity responsible for the company's strategic investments in Newfoundland and Labrador. Key Project offices are located in St. John's and Halifax. NSP Maritime Link Inc., an indirect subsidiary of Emera, is responsible

for designing, engineering, constructing, operating and maintaining the 500megawatt Maritime Link Project for 35 years. The Maritime Link will transmit energy from the island of Newfoundland to Nova Scotia for the first time in history. With teams based in those provinces, NSPML is committed to ensuring that the Maritime Link transmits clean, renewable energy for Nova Scotia and beyond.

James Pike, CA (639-7775), 98 Broadway, Corner Brook



James Pike C.A. is a Corner Brook based accounting firm that provides a broad range of services to small businesses.

Genworth



Genworth MI Canada Inc. (TSX: MIC) through its subsidiary, Genworth Financial Mortgage Insurance Company Canada (Genworth Canada), is the largest private residential mortgage insurer in Canada. The Company provides mortgage default insurance to Canadian residential mortgage lenders, making homeownership more accessible to first-time homebuyers. Genworth Canada differentiates itself through customer service excellence, innovative processing technology, and a robust risk management framework. For almost two decades, Genworth Canada has supported the housing market by providing thought leadership and a focus on the safety and soundness of the mortgage finance system.







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