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Cover image: True Patriot Love's Nahanni Expedition brought together nine military participants and eight civilian business leaders for a 240km paddle on the Nahanni River in the Northwest Territories. Turn to [page 16](#) to learn more.

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Leadership Message

The 2025–2026 fiscal year has been a period of positive momentum for True Patriot Love. Thanks to the unwavering commitment of our partners, donors, Board of Directors, and dedicated staff, we have made significant strides in our advocacy work, announced new program funding, and are proud to report another year of meaningful impact for military members, Veterans, and their families across the country.

Investment in community programs

Thanks to the generosity of our donors, this past year was exceptional for our grant-making. We invested **\$5.67 million** in our mission-based activities including nearly **\$2.5 million** in direct disbursements, funding **56 vital programs** across **37 organizations** throughout Canada. Each program we fund is carefully selected to ensure we are addressing the most pressing needs of the military community.

Deepening government partnerships

Our relationships with government stakeholders remain strong. We continue to be a trusted partner at both the federal and provincial levels, working closely with the Canadian Armed Forces, Veterans Affairs Canada, the Government of Ontario and Soldier On. Building on this established trust, we are expanding our partnerships with other provinces to build networks of support nationwide.

The Invictus Legacy

Following the historic Invictus Games Vancouver Whistler 2025, we launched the first ever, dedicated Legacy Fund from an Invictus Games.

Through the Fund, we supported our Veteran Volunteerism Initiative and announced our first-ever Adaptive Sports Fund. We also invested in programming in British Columbia, across Canada, and internationally through the Invictus Games Foundation. We finalized key learnings and led a comprehensive knowledge transfer to support the organizers of the 2027 Birmingham Games. Our deepest thanks to the 2025 Games' Board of Directors for their commitment and dedication.

Global leadership and collaboration

This year also highlighted True Patriot Love's strong international reputation. In response to Australia's recent Royal Commission into Defence and Veteran Suicide, Australia's Department of Veterans' Affairs invited True Patriot Love CEO Nick Booth for a six-month secondment beginning in February 2026.

Nick was tasked with developing a new national peak body to represent Australia's Veteran community. During his assignment, we welcomed Major-General (Ret'd) Craig Aitchison as Interim CEO from February 1 through August 31, 2026. Craig provided exceptional leadership and oversight, working closely with our Board of Directors, supporting our staff team, and representing the Foundation with key stakeholders.

Strengthening connections

Building connections between the military and civilian worlds remains a cornerstone of our work. This year, our Nahanni Expedition brought together an all-women team of military members and business leaders for a 240 km paddle on the Nahanni River in the Northwest Territories. It was a journey of healing, resilience and renewed purpose.

We also hosted an educational tour to mark the 80th anniversary of the liberation of the Netherlands. We were honoured to stand alongside Canadian WWII Veterans, acknowledging the sacrifices of those who served in the past and those who serve today. We were also privileged to lay wreaths and participate in commemorative ceremonies, including the Silent March in Nijmegen. The appreciation still shown by the Dutch people to Canada is truly humbling.

Back at home, our National Tribute Dinners were a resounding success, raising an incredible \$2 million. At the Toronto event, we recognized General (Ret'd) Rick Hillier with our Patriot Award. We were also honoured to have Prince Harry, The Duke of Sussex, attend after visiting Naval and Army Reservists and Sunnybrook Veterans Centre.

Turning national gratitude into lasting impact

We recently completed a comprehensive strategic review, charting a new strategic direction that positions the Foundation for a productive and positive future. Our 2026-29 strategic plan will ensure that, with the support of our partners, more service members, Veterans and their families will have what they need for healthy, connected, and purposeful lives.

At the heart of our mission is a simple but profound commitment: to stand with those who serve. As we look ahead, we are determined to build on our impact and carry forward the incredible momentum of this past year.

Thank you for standing strong with those who serve Canada.



Shaun Francis Chair
True Patriot Love Foundation



Nick Booth, MVO | CEO
True Patriot Love Foundation

The Need

THE INDIVIDUAL COSTS OF SERVICE CAN BE HIGH

SERVICE HAS AN IMPACT ON FAMILIES

NUMBER OF SERVING MILITARY FAMILIES → **53,510**

In children aged 3–8 during a parent's deployment:

11% Increase in mental & behavioural health visits

19% Increase in behavioural disorders

18% Increase in stress disorders



1 in 4 military families experience issues with personal well-being and mental health.



MILITARY FAMILIES MOVE **3x** MORE OFTEN THAN CIVILIAN FAMILIES

Military members are 2x more likely to report depression or anxiety than the civilian population.

1.4x

Male Veterans overall had a 1.4 times higher risk of dying by suicide.

1.9x

Female Veterans overall had a 1.9 times higher risk of dying by suicide.

LIFE OUT OF UNIFORM

461,240

TOTAL NUMBER OF VETERANS IN CANADA



1 in 5 Veterans rate their mental health as fair or poor



4 in 10 Veterans report difficulty adjusting to civilian life

31
YEARS

In 2024, the average age of Veterans at the time of their release from service was 31 years.

Our Four Pillars of Support

Service comes with sacrifice, and support should never be uncertain.



The men and women in Canada's military take on significant risks when they put on the uniform to serve their country. Their families, their spouses, and their children also bear that weight. We owe them our gratitude.

We recognize the physical, mental, and emotional toll of service, so True Patriot Love focuses on four pillars of support for the military community.

PILLAR 1



STRONGER MILITARY FAMILIES

We support military families as spouses, caregivers, children and youth are called upon to make profound sacrifices along with their loved ones.

PILLAR 2



MENTAL HEALTH & WELL-BEING

We prioritize programs that support well-being by investing in mental health and transition programs, among others.

PILLAR 3



RECOVERY & REHABILITATION

We help improve the recovery and rehabilitation journey through both research and community-based programming.

PILLAR 4



CONNECTION WITH COMMUNITIES

We provide resources to organizations that foster connection with communities through volunteerism, mentorship or advocacy.

Stronger Military Families

STRONGEST FAMILIES INSTITUTE

Military families face unique challenges: deployments, the absence of the serving parent and concerns for their safety can all disrupt home life.

To support military families with children living with anxiety, depression and other behavioural concerns, Strongest Families Institute (SFI) offers an innovative distance coaching program. Coaching takes place over the phone at flexible hours in the privacy and comfort of home: there's no travel, no missed time from work or school, and no cost incurred by the family.

True Patriot Love has proudly invested in SFI since its start in 2016, enabling its military programming to grow from a Halifax-based start-up to a national program.

ESQUIMALT MFRC

Summer camps can be a vital respite for the whole family. That's why the Forces' Personnel Support Programs offer summer camps at bases across Canada, tailored to the needs of military families. At CFB Esquimalt, True Patriot Love's funding helped provide increased staff support for children with diverse needs, including neurodivergent children and kids going through stress and behavioural challenges during parental deployments and disrupted summer routines.

The need is pressing: military families start asking in December about Esquimalt's summer camp program.



Summer camp at CFB Esquimalt

HOMES FOR HEROES FOUNDATION

"I was working on rebuilding my life and after being in treatment, I was accepted into Kingston Village. The grocery gift cards allowed me to do big cook-ups in the common area and feed many of the other villagers. This gave us good time to socialize and bond over healthy, very good-tasting meals. We have also explored diabetic options, as another Veteran has to check his sugars regularly. We as a whole village are very grateful for the mental stability of food security."

— John, Veteran resident, Homes for Heroes Foundation

Thanks to donors like you, True Patriot Love funding provided grocery gift cards and other food support to Homes for Heroes Foundation's Kingston Village.

Mental Health & Well-Being

LE SENTIER AND QUATRE-CHEMINS

Le Sentier and Quatre-Chemins work together to offer transition programs for people from the Forces who are reaching the end of their military career. Funding from True Patriot Love enabled 48 Veterans to participate in Ensemble pour la population vétérane du Québec, an end-to-end

transition pathway for Canadian Armed Forces members and Veterans.

The nature-based Bivouac program helps build emotional readiness, followed by the 12-month Parcours program which focuses on identity, well-being, purpose, and transition to civilian life.

Follow-up from Le Sentier before, during, and after participation ensures continuity of care, stabilizes participants facing challenges, prevents service gaps, and extends support to families.

STRONGER, CLOSER, TOGETHER

"The Stronger, Closer, Together program helped me better understand my life partner, myself, and the challenges a Veteran may face in daily life, particularly within a relationship. The two clinicians were extraordinary — highly sensitive, attentive and incredibly experienced. They created a safe space from the very first day. I would recommend this program to all Veteran couples."

— Participant in Veteran Transition Network's Stronger, Closer, Together program

True Patriot Love walks shoulder to shoulder with Veteran couples through its investment in Veteran Transition Network's Stronger, Closer, Together program in Ontario.



OPERATION BRAIN HEALTH

With investment from True Patriot Love, Concussion Legacy Foundation Canada's Operation Brain Health program has evolved into a whole-family wellness model for the interconnected needs of Veterans, caregivers, spouses, and children. Caregivers often carry a significant emotional and practical burden yet are frequently underserved. In response, CLFC launched a dedicated caregiver peer support space. CLFC has also grown their digital delivery model so Veterans living with brain injuries can find supports through video resources and virtual programming.

CANADIAN INSTITUTE FOR MILITARY AND VETERAN HEALTH RESEARCH (CIMVHR)

There is a critical need for Canadian research that addresses health protection and care across the life course of those who serve Canada, their transition from military to civilian life, and the needs of their families.

That is why True Patriot Love proudly supports research projects at the Institute, including the inaugural study on winter adaptive sports, a peer-reviewed research initiative examining the mental health and well-being impacts of participation in the 2025 Invictus Games and how the Games contribute to Veteran recovery.

Since 2015, True Patriot Love has helped fund 23 research projects addressing issues like moral injury, mental health, sexual trauma, PTSD and caregiving. True Patriot Love also sponsors CIMVHR's annual Banting Award for research excellence.

CIMVHR's research helps inform policy and best practice across the sector, and provides an evidence base for True Patriot Love's program investments and advocacy for our military members and Veterans.

SISTEMA NB OROMOCTO

"Sistema NB has been an incredible support. As a military family, we are so grateful for the band program and the talented instructors who make such a positive difference for our family. Our daughter looks forward to every session, enjoys the parent concerts, and comes home more focused and engaged. Instead of spending time in after-school care, she is developing new skills in a fun, healthy environment."

— Parent of a Sistema NB Oromocto participant

Community-based arts programs can play a vital role in both individual and family wellness. Funding from True Patriot Love enabled Sistema NB Oromocto to shorten its waiting list so 50 children from military families can access this unique, free, after-school music education program.

CANADIAN ADAPTIVE SNOWSPORTS

With funding from True Patriot Love, Canadian Adaptive Snowsports (CADS) led Shoulder 2 Shoulder camps at Sun Peaks, BC (left), providing 32 Veterans from across Canada with the opportunity to participate at no cost, removing financial barriers to healing, connection and recovery. Throughout the week-long program Richard, a Veteran and CADS volunteer, worked alongside Charlene, a 25-year Veteran, helping her rebuild her confidence on skis. Charlene is now looking forward to sharing this rediscovered sport with her grandchildren.



CENTRAL SASKATCHEWAN MFRC

"The major takeaway was my child taking so much interest in the scrapbooking session. The kids had actual family photos to use for the session, and he was so excited. It was such a great evening out and being able to connect with other families that we do not see very often was so wonderful! Thank you to the MFRC staff and True Patriot Love for this opportunity!"

— Central Saskatchewan MFRC Artful Paths to Wellness therapeutic arts program participant

True Patriot Love is proud to support Central Saskatchewan MFRC as they bridge the gap between military families in rural Saskatchewan and the services and community connections they need.

TEAM RUBICON CANADA

Team Rubicon Canada is a Veteran-led humanitarian organization that serves communities before, during, and after disasters and crises. True Patriot Love has invested in Team Rubicon Canada since its inception in 2016.

Most recently, we provided funding for Operation Continued Service, a pilot project to provide 200 Team Rubicon Veteran volunteers in Ontario with year-round opportunities for service. The goal is to strengthen Veterans' connection to their peers, other service-minded volunteers and communities while developing skills in leadership, emergency response, and mental health first aid. These skills will not only increase disaster response capacity but also enhance Veterans' future employability.

QUÉBEC VETERANS FOUNDATION

During his service with the Royal Canadian Air Force, Georges Jewell worked as an instrument technician on fighter jets. Today, this Veteran is in long-term care at Ste. Anne's Hospital in Québec and takes on projects in the hospital's woodshop program, which is supported by funding from True Patriot Love through the Québec Veterans Foundation. Creative arts projects like woodworking can support well-being and vital social connections that can be lost with age and illness.



2025–26 Programs Funded

OUR PARTNER ORGANIZATIONS

4 Wing Military Family
Resource Centre Society

Aftermath Association Corporation

Bagotville Military Family
Resource Centre

Calgary Military Family
Resource Centre

The Camp Tanamakoon
Charitable Foundation
*(Received direct funding and
a separate partnered grant with
the Veterans Artist Collective)*

Canadian Adaptive Snowsports —
National Capital Division

Canadian Adaptive Snowsports —
British Columbia

Canadian Forces Morale and
Welfare Service

Canadian Institute for Military and
Veteran Health Research

CAN PRAXIS

Central Saskatchewan Military
Family Resource Centre

Comox Military Family
Resource Centre

Concussion Legacy
Foundation Canada

Esquimalt Military Family Resource
Centre *(Received direct funding
and a separate partnered grant
with the Veterans Artist Collective)*

Homes for Heroes Foundation

Honour House Society
*(Partnered grant with
Veterans Artist Collective)*

Institut du Savoir Montfort

Mainland BC Military Family
Resource Centre

Mental Health Commission
of Canada

Montreal Military Family
Resource Centre

Hope and Me — Mood Disorders
Association of Ontario

The Mood Disorders Society of
Canada

New Brunswick
Youth Orchestra, Inc.

Nova Seven Arts Council

PEI Military Family Resource Centre

Fondation Québec Philanthrope
*(Partnered grant with
The Pepper Pod)*

Perley Health Foundation

Petawawa Military Family
Resource Centre

Québec Veterans Foundation

Le Sentier — The Trail *(Partnered
grant with Quatre Chemins)*

Strongest Families Institute

Team Rubicon Canada

Trenton Military Family
Resource Centre

Veterans Transition Network

Veterans Emergency
Transition Services

Wounded Warriors Canada

Writers Collective of Canada

True Patriot Love
funds programs from
coast to coast, from
established initiatives to
promising community
programs supported
by our seed funding
and team guidance.

A Disbursement Advisory
Committee of experts
from various sectors
guides our rigorous
funding application
process, helping ensure
our investments deliver
the most immediate
and significant impact.

OUR IMPACT

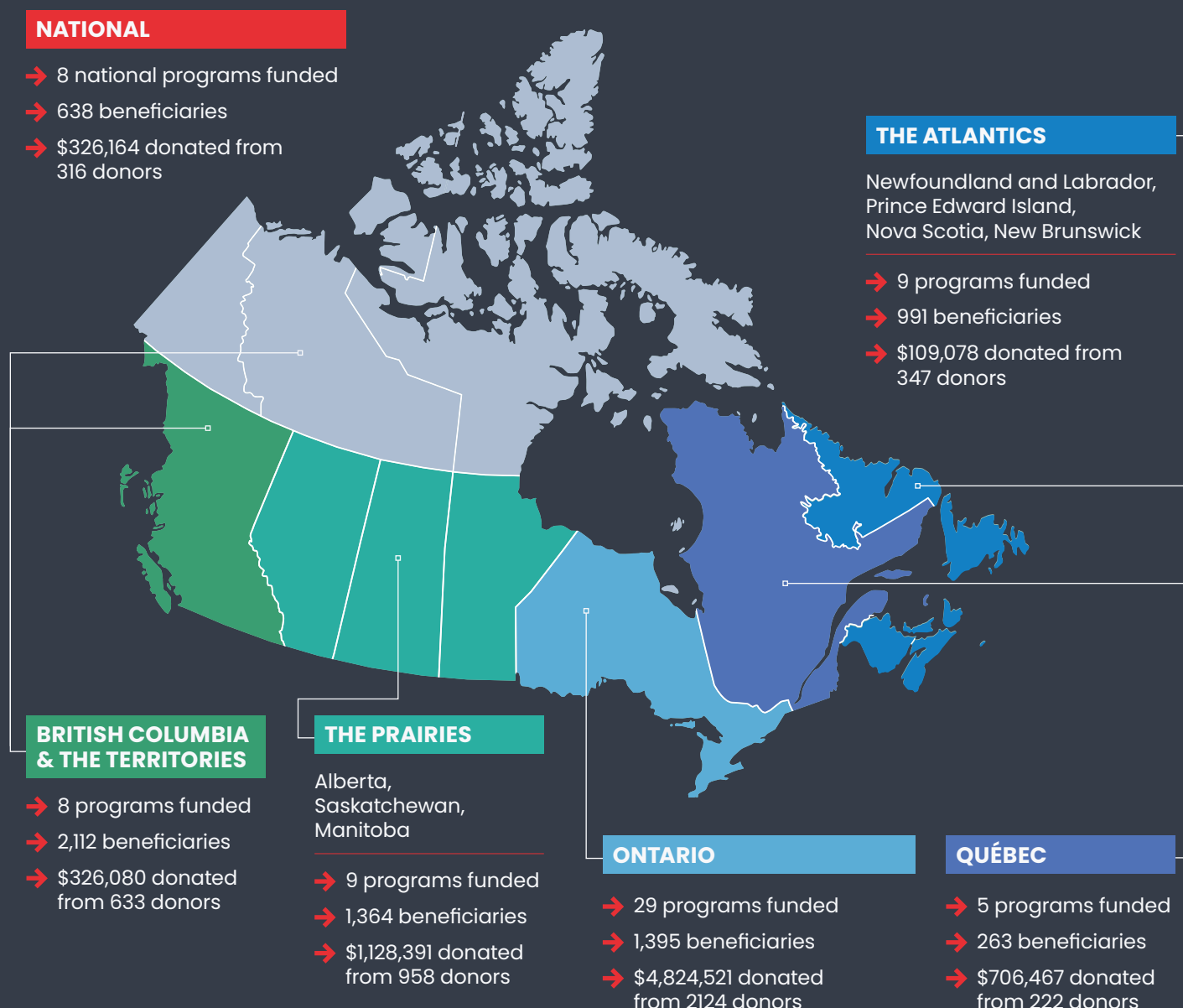
\$2.4 million+
invested in
programs
across Canada.

56 programs
funded at
37 partner
organizations
from coast
to coast.

6,700+ individuals
supported to date.

Your Impact Across Canada 2025–2026

True Patriot Love provides funding to organizations from coast to coast, from established programs to promising community initiatives that benefit from our seed funding and guidance from our Granting and Programs team.



*From April 2025 to March 2026. Note: some programs were funded in multiple areas, therefore the number of programs supported may not match the number of locations in which we've invested. Beneficiary numbers are estimated as some program delivery is on-going. Some organizations were funded for multiple programs.

Invictus Legacy

The Invictus Games Vancouver Whistler 2025 was a defining moment for the international Invictus movement. Initiated by True Patriot Love, in addition to being the first-ever winter hybrid Games, the dedicated Invictus Legacy Fund will extend the Games' impact by investing in programs to foster well-being, purpose and identity for the military and Veteran family community.

ECOSYSTEM CONNECT

The Legacy Fund continues to advance knowledge and systems change through our national Employment Ecosystems Connect series.

These events take place across Canada, bringing together Veterans, employers, industry leaders, and government partners.



VETERAN VOLUNTEERISM INITIATIVE

The Legacy Fund also supported True Patriot Love's Veteran Volunteerism Initiative (VVI) which worked with seven non-profits across Canada, including the Invictus Games, to better understand the impact of volunteerism on Veterans. The 256 Veterans who volunteered at the Games also participated in an external evaluation which informs the National Veteran Volunteer Action Plan that is the key output of the VVI.

ONE YEAR ON EVENT

In February 2026, the Minister of Veterans Affairs, supporters, and members of Team Canada joined us at the Vancouver Convention Centre for our One Year On celebration. The evening highlighted the ongoing impact of the Legacy Fund, the Indigenous and Veteran partnerships that reflect Canada's unique leadership in reconciliation through sport, and featured a Veteran art exhibit and the launch of True Patriot Love's first-ever Adaptive Sports Fund.

The Hon. Jill McKnight, Minister of Veterans Affairs and Nick Booth, CEO, True Patriot Love



Rear-Admiral (Ret'd) Luc Cassivi

True Patriot Love's board and committees are entirely led by volunteers who bring unique skills and experience, providing vital direction so the foundation can deliver on our mission.



How can donors to True Patriot Love know their donations are being invested wisely and in the areas of greatest need in the military community?

The answer is the insight and guidance of the volunteers who serve on the foundation's Disbursement Advisory Committee (DAC).

Rear-Admiral (Ret'd) Luc Cassivi and his fellow committee members help connect the dots between areas of need and opportunity across Canada — it's a vital, unpaid job requiring hours of preparation and review before each meeting.

The DAC meets quarterly and, working with documentation provided by our Granting & Programs team, they follow a rigorous protocol of review for each funding request.

The committee's membership is designed to have a mix of competencies across issues such as mental health to research to the needs of military families. These different perspectives help build consensus on where the funding goes.

"As a foundation that raises money and grants money to worthy applicants in different spheres, we need to determine which application has a greater chance for impact, because there's always more demand for funding than there is supply," says Cassivi.

"The DAC is necessary because it's accountability," he says. "It's good governance. It helps to build a stronger Veteran and military community."

True Patriot Love thanks Luc Cassivi and our other volunteers who gift us with their time and talents — an important, necessary and generous contribution!

Lysander Funds

True Patriot Love's mission is to ensure that members of the Armed Forces, Veterans, and military families have access to the care and community they need to thrive. That's a big mission and that's why we are grateful for the strong support of Lysander Funds.

Lysander Funds is an affiliate company of Canso Investment Counsel, a long-time True Patriot Love supporter with its own connections to the Canadian Armed Forces, including through Canso's founder, John Carswell, whose family has multiple generations of service.

Our partnership with Lysander Funds is vital to True Patriot Love's continued impact. Strong corporate partners not only provide financial support but also the leadership and networks that help amplify our mission.

Lysander is the national sponsor of the Captain Nichola Goddard Leadership Series, cross-country discussions that bring the insights of servicewomen and women Veterans to civilian business leaders.

"I was in the audience listening to the panel of the Goddard Leadership Series in Halifax, and the servicewomen who shared their experiences were so impressive, so inspiring, that the impact stayed with me long after the event ended," said Dave Skillen, Vice President, Sales, Atlantic Canada, Lysander Funds.

The Goddard Series also has an impact beyond the podium by raising funds for innovative, evidence-backed programs for servicewomen and their families — a goal that aligns with Lysander Funds' ethos and led to an additional, significant investment in the foundation.

"That focus on excellence, service, and leadership, is why Lysander is proud to support the Goddard Leadership Series and True Patriot Love."





"The Goddard Series reminds us of something important: leadership isn't about titles or recognition. It's about courage, service, and the willingness to step forward when it matters most. The legacy of Nichola Goddard reminds us exactly what leadership looks like."

— Dave Skillen, Vice President, Sales, Atlantic Canada, Lysander Funds

2026 Goddard Leadership Series: Continuing a Legacy

Our Captain Nichola Goddard Women in Leadership Series, presented by Lysander Funds Limited, welcomed nearly 600 attendees in Calgary, Halifax, Toronto, and Ottawa for candid conversations on leadership and resilience from women Veterans and servicewomen, followed by an evening of networking. Crucially, the Series also raises funds and awareness in support of

True Patriot Love's Captain Nichola Goddard Fund; the 2026 series raised more than \$200,000 to provide direct benefit to community programs across Canada that support servicewomen, women Veterans, and their families. Many thanks to our panellists and moderators and Lysander Funds for their partnership.

The Veteran Volunteerism Initiative: Well-Being & Well-Doing

As Canada's volunteer shortage deepens, Veterans are a powerful, underutilized part of the solution. True Patriot Love led a series of national consultations in Ottawa, Edmonton, and Halifax for our Veteran Volunteerism Initiative, bringing together service people, Veterans, military families and leaders from the civilian non-profit sector. We collaborated in person and online to learn best practices to reduce barriers to Veteran volunteerism, strengthen networks, and increase the visibility of Veterans' contributions to Canadian communities.

Following these consultations, we drafted the National Veteran Volunteerism Action Plan, which we released during National Volunteer Week in April 2026. Our path forward is clear:

we will continue to advance Veteran purpose, connection, and well-being by building a culture that actively values, enables, and sustains their volunteer engagement.



Serving the Veteran Community

True Patriot Love's VeteranHub.ca is a portal to services, events and volunteer opportunities for Veterans and military families.



Designed and supported by a Veteran-owned web development company, the Veteran Hub is one of the largest portals for Veteran services in Canada, with more than 560 listings for services, events and volunteer opportunities, earning nearly 80,000 visits in the last year.

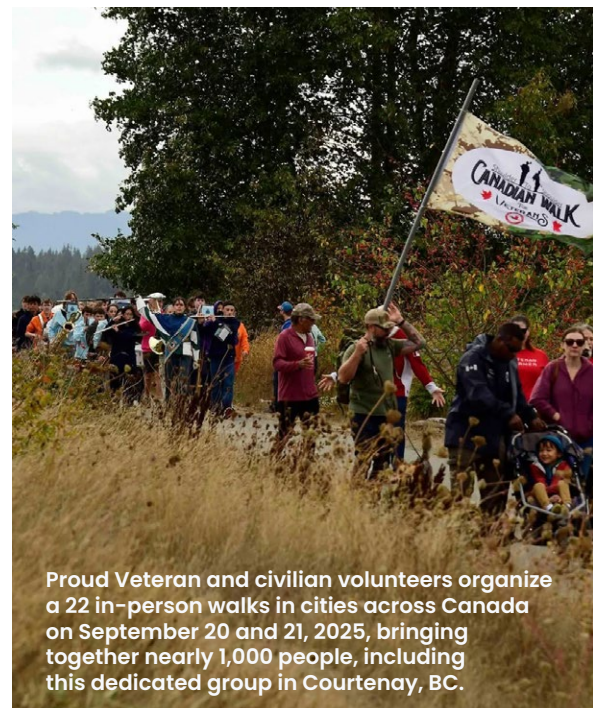
A popular feature on the Hub, the Veteran Gift Guide is a curated collection of gift ideas from Veteran-owned businesses — everything from gourmet goodies to bucket-list travel adventures. In December, True Patriot Love's Meighan Bell and Nahanni Expedition participant Jacqui Szeto were invited to do a segment on CP24 Breakfast featuring unique holiday gifts from Veteran entrepreneurs.

Canadian Walk for Veterans

Thanks to the generosity of nearly 1,700 participants, donors and sponsors, our 2025 Canadian Walk for Veterans raised over \$105,000! Proceeds from each Walk directly supported local and national organizations that provide Veterans, active service members, and military families with the support, rehabilitation services, and resources they need to thrive.

Some of the local organizations benefitting from the 2025 Walk included Paws Fur Thought in Nova Scotia which helps pair ill and injured Veterans with service dogs; Kingston Military Family Resource Centre in Ontario and Comox MFRC in BC; Veterans Association Food Bank in Alberta, and Homes for Heroes.

The 2025 Walk also caught the attention of media, earning 47 print, digital and broadcast news stories in outlets across Canada.



Proud Veteran and civilian volunteers organize a 22 in-person walks in cities across Canada on September 20 and 21, 2025, bringing together nearly 1,000 people, including this dedicated group in Courtenay, BC.

Nahanni Expedition

In August 2025, True Patriot Love hosted a 14-day, all-women expedition to the Nahanni River in the Northwest Territories.

Led by five female guides from Canoe North Adventures, the team of nine military participants and eight civilians took on

“Paddling the Nahanni has been a turning point in my healing—I felt strength, connection, and a peace I had been searching for. It gave me hope, reminded me of my resilience, and showed me that healing is truly possible. I do not have enough words to thank everyone for your generosity.”

— Shawna, Veteran participant

a 240km paddle through stunning canyons and hair-raising rapids and powered through demanding portages hauling their canoes and supply barrels.

The challenges forged bonds, grew leadership skills and unlocked profound opportunities for growth. After the expedition, three participants shared their personal reflections in a powerful, online fireside chat.

Thanks to our generous donors and sponsors, the expedition raised over \$760,000 for programs supporting servicepeople, Veterans and their families, coast to coast. Special thanks to presenting sponsor Canso Investment Counsel and the Honey and Barry Sherman Legacy Fund for their support.



Major General (Retired) David Fraser with tour participant Betty Rozendaal at the Holten Canadian War Cemetery

NETHERLANDS TOUR

To commemorate the 80th anniversary of the liberation of the Netherlands, True Patriot Love led an educational tour to pay tribute to the sacrifices of Canadian soldiers and reaffirm our commitment to supporting the military community. We were honoured to stand with Canadian Veterans from WWII and lay wreaths at the Holten Canadian War Cemetery and Groesbeek Canadian War Cemetery.

National Tribute Dinner

Building connections between Canadians and our military

True Patriot Love's National Tribute Dinner presented by Moores is Canada's largest celebration in support of military members, Veterans and their families and is our signature fundraising event.

This annual celebration brings together business and community leaders, distinguished military representatives and dignitaries to pay tribute to the military and Veteran community, and honour the sacrifices they have made for our nation.



Thanks to the incredible generosity of guests, donors and sponsors, our 2025 Tribute Dinners in Ottawa, Montreal and Toronto welcomed over 900 guests and raised over \$2M to help support vital programs for servicepeople, Veterans and their families coast to coast.



We were honoured to present General (Ret'd) Rick Hillier with our Patriot Award. The award is given to individuals and organizations that have shown exemplary dedication to supporting the military community — a quality that General Hillier has embodied from his time as Chief of Defence Staff, to his passionate advocacy for servicepeople, Veterans and their families that continues to this day.



Prince Harry, Duke of Sussex, was a special guest at the Tribute Dinner in Toronto. The Duke also visited Sunnybrook Veterans Centre and toured art therapy spaces where he and 101-year-old Veteran Jim La Force added the final touches to a helmet for the Tribute Auction.

Financial Statements

True Patriot Love Foundation: Non-consolidated Statement of Operations and Unrestricted Net Assets.
Full financial statements are available online at truepatriotlove.com/impact-and-financials.

<i>For the year ended March 31, 2026</i>	2026	2025
Revenue		
Donations, events and programs	\$ 7,420,701	\$ 11,846,347
Grants	\$ 1,319,067	\$ 1,454,444
Investment income	\$ 167,846	\$ 271,818
Subtotal revenue	\$ 8,907,614	\$ 13,572,609
Expenses		
Charitable Programs — Foundation payments to Vancouver Whistler Games Corporation	–	\$ 4,850,207
Charitable Programs — Foundation activities	\$ 3,186,238	\$ 3,578,213
Charitable Programs — Foundation grants to qualified donees	\$ 2,483,866	\$ 3,167,727
Fundraising	\$ 1,972,033	\$ 2,010,426
Administration	\$ 414,702	\$ 413,167
Subtotal expenses	\$ 8,056,839	\$ 14,019,740
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenses	\$ 850,775	\$ (447,131)
Unrestricted net assets, beginning of the year	\$ 2,710,527	\$ 3,157,658
Unrestricted net assets, end of the year	\$ 3,561,302	\$ 2,710,527

True Patriot Love Foundation: Non-consolidated Schedule of Donations, Events and Programs Revenue

<i>For the year ended March 31, 2026</i>	2026	2025
Donations		
Corporate	\$ 1,302,329	\$ 988,301
Individual, Major Gifts and Philanthropic Giving	\$ 997,695	\$ 1,187,625
Community Giving	\$ 430,046	\$ 617,831
Subtotal donations	\$ 2,730,070	\$ 2,793,757
Events		
Annual Tribute Dinner	\$ 1,988,668	\$ 1,355,576
Expeditions	\$ 856,226	\$ 413,839
Captain Nichola Goddard Fund	\$ 215,841	\$ 135,129
Golf Tournament	\$ 86,799	\$ 103,655
Other Events	\$ 267,974	\$ 61,958
Subtotal events	\$ 3,415,508	\$ 2,070,157
Programs		
Invictus	\$ 1,275,123	\$ 6,982,433
Subtotal programs	\$ 1,275,123	\$ 6,982,433
Total donations, events and programs revenue	\$ 7,420,701	\$ 11,846,347

Investing in Our Mission

TOTAL REVENUE

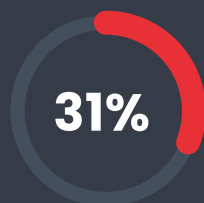
\$8,907,614



EVENTS

\$3,415,508

Annual Tribute Dinner, Expeditions, Captain Nichola Goddard Fund, golf tournament and other events



DONATIONS

\$2,730,070

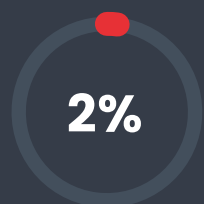
Individual, major gifts, corporate and philanthropic and community giving



PROGRAMS AND GRANTS

\$2,594,190

Invictus and government grants



INVESTMENT INCOME

\$167,846

TOTAL EXPENDITURES

\$8,056,839



- Programs
- Fundraising
- Administration

PROGRAMS

\$5,670,104

FUNDRAISING

\$1,972,033

ADMINISTRATION

\$414,702



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