

TESTIMONIALS

You fed me when I was starving and kept me warm when it was minus 20 outside.

MATHIEU, 17

Thanks to your support, I was able to finish high school.

OLIVIER, 24

When I arrived, I was depressed. Today, thanks to the intervention workers, I am back on my feet.

LÉA, 18

You saved my life by getting me into treatment. I'll never forget it.

SAMUEL, 20

You helped me develop the skills I need to be a mother.

KIM, 19

HOW TO HELP

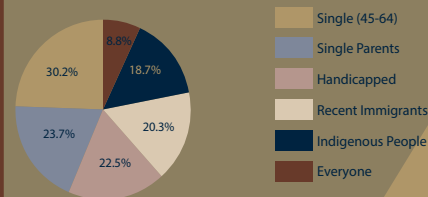


Volunteering is a big part of the organization. You can volunteer alone or with a big group. You have the option of working at the depot, kitchen, and school just to name a few. You can also make donations to the organization. There are four different ways to donate: group donations, matching gifts, planned gifts and material donations. For group donations, you can either organize fundraisers or collect food and personal hygiene products. Material donations include donating clothes, canned foods, backpacks, and personal hygiene products. If you would like to do matching or planned gifts, Dans la Rue suggests contacting them first for more details.

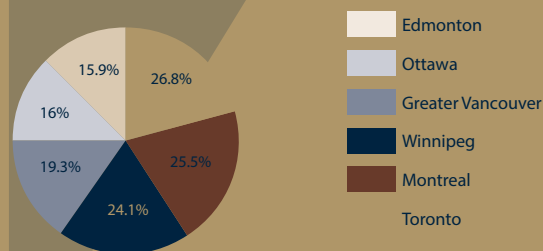
STATISTICS

IN CANADA

Low Income Rates of Vulnerable Groups, Total Population, 2014



Percentage of Children Age 0-17 Living Below the Low-Income in Canada, 2014

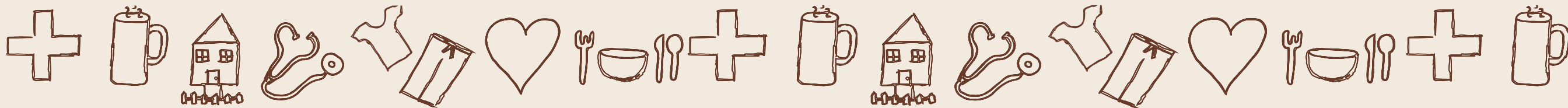


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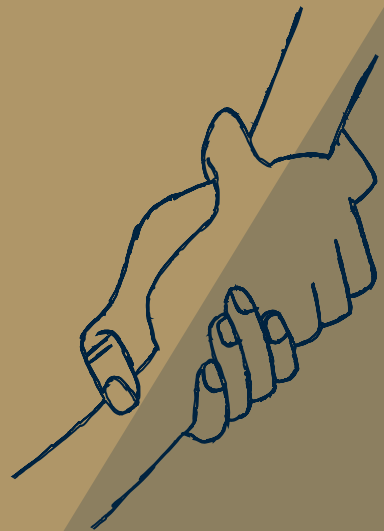
DANSLARUE

Dans la Rue is an organization that helps kids living in the streets. They turn kids who are less fortunate into independent kids with a bright future ahead of them. The organization gives the youth a place to stay overnight, hot meals, classes, and counsellors. If you are a child struggling in the streets or you know of a child in need, please contact the organization.



MISSION

STATEMENT

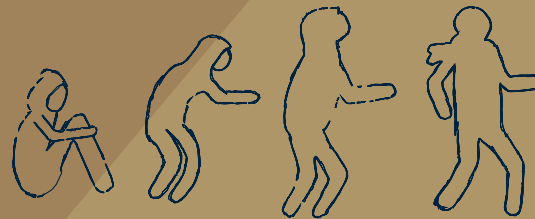


“With dedication, empathy and respect, and with the support of the community, Dans la Rue cares for their immediate needs and helps them acquire the skills and resources needed to lead more autonomous and rewarding lives.”
-Dans la Rue

“No one ever dreams of living on the streets”

ABOUT

Dans la Rue has an emergency shelter, a day centre, The Van, apartments, and family services available for the youth in need. The emergency shelter known as The Bunker, is a place kids can sleep, eat, shower, etc. There are also counsellors available for the youth to confide in for support and advice. The Day Centre is a place where meals are offered throughout



the day, personal items are made available for whoever needs, nurses and psychologists are available, classes are offered, and so much more. The Van commutes throughout the streets of Downtown Montreal and it's where kids interact with the organization for the first time. It's almost like the Day Centre but on wheels. There are counsellors, meals, clothes, and much more for the youth in need.

HISTORY



- 2018: Father Emmett Johns passes away at the age of 89 years old
- 2014: 17 apartments open for the youth in need
- 1997: The Day Centre opens
- 1993: The Bunker opens
- 1990: The Winnebago is replaced and called “The Van”
- 1988: Father Emmett Johns started “Le Bon Dieu dans la rue”

FOUNDER



Father Emmett Johns who goes by the name “Pops” is the founder of the Dans La Rue organization. Before becoming the founder of Dans la Rue in 1988, he was a parish priest for 40 years. When he first started Dans la Rue, it was called “Le Bon Dieu dans la rue” before it underwent a name change to just Dans la Rue. He bought a motorhome and used that to go around Downtown Montreal to provide hot meals to kids around the city who were less fortunate. Presently, 30 years later, there are 65 employees and more than 100 volunteers dedicated to helping the youth!

DANS LA RUE

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