

Embracing Change, Inspiring Possibility

COMMUNITY REPORT
2025 / 2026

Our Purpose

The YMCA of Northeastern Ontario is a charity committed to helping individuals thrive in their communities through the power of connection and belonging.

“As I reflect on the past year, I feel a deep sense of gratitude and pride for the thoughtful conversations and careful planning that have shaped the YMCA of Northeastern Ontario’s path forward.”

Lorrie Turnbull

President & Chief Executive Officer
YMCA of Northeastern Ontario

Serving as Board Chair of the YMCA of Northeastern Ontario has been both a privilege and a reminder of the incredible strength that exists within our communities, a strength reflected in the people who make the YMCA possible and in the important role it continues to play in bringing people together.

Antoine Vezina

Board Chair

YMCA of Northeastern Ontario

Our Vision

A thriving Northeastern Ontario built on resilience, connection, and collective empowerment.

Our Values



Inclusiveness



Kindness



Well-being



Integrity



Respect

Proudly Serving Northeastern Ontario

Our services include:

- ✓ Child Care
- ✓ Day Camp
- ✓ Employment Services
- ✓ Health & Wellness
- ✓ Immigrant Services
- ✓ Youth Programs
- ✓ YMCA John Island Camp

**Every day across
Northeastern Ontario,
people turn to the
YMCA to find support,
opportunity, and
connection.**



Foundations for the Future

A year of listening to shape our next Strategic Plan

**Together, we are building a stronger,
more resilient Northeastern Ontario
where everyone has the opportunity
to reach their full potential.**

Philanthropic Impact

Through Fill the Bus, our communities raised over \$278,000, helping remove financial barriers so more children, youth and families could experience the YMCA.

We aren't simply funding programs and spaces; we're creating possibilities that can stay with a young person for a lifetime.



Celebrating those who Build Peace



Top Employer: WorkWell Survey



WE ARE HONOURED TO BE
RECOGNIZED AS ONE OF

**FORBES 2026
CANADA'S BEST
EMPLOYERS**



Impact by the Numbers

MEMBERSHIP



10,671

Number of Members



794

Members Who Received
Financial Support

EMPLOYMENT & IMMIGRATION SERVICES



1,145

Number of Employment
Services Clients with 240
New Jobs Secured for Clients



1,141

Number of Immigration
Services Clients with 870
Settlement Plans Completed

Impact by the Numbers

DAY CAMPS



2,523

Campers Across 8
Camp Locations



8.1/10

Camper Satisfaction Score



\$99,099

Financial Support Offered

JOHN ISLAND CAMP



491

Campers



8.6/10

Camper Satisfaction Score



\$123,050

Financial Support Offered

CHILD CARE SERVICES



1,330

Children in Care



26

Child Care Centres
with 330
Dedicated Staff



14

Home Providers

Impact by the Numbers

PHILANTHROPY



\$1,209,957

Dollars Raised Through Charitable Initiatives and Grants

ASSOCIATION



681

Employees



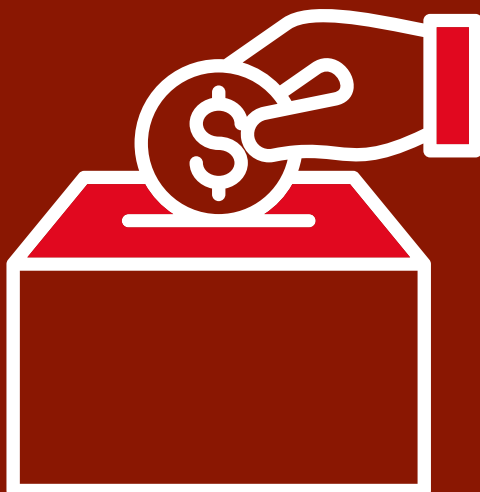
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Volunteers



48

Sponsors



741

Donors



15,210

People Served in the Communities



Northeastern
Ontario

Shine On

Community Starts Here.