

## ∞ NEW AND IMPROVED AT YMCA KANAWANA! ∞

SINCE JUNE 2004, THE YMCA OF GREATER MONTREAL HAS INVESTED OVER \$650,000 IN CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS AND EQUIPMENT PURCHASES, ALWAYS WITH THE GOAL OF ENSURING THAT CAMP YMCA KANAWANA REMAINS ONE OF THE LEADING CAMPS IN QUEBEC.

<p><b>Dining Hall</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Kitchen renovation             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ new kitchen layout</li> <li>○ new serving windows</li> <li>○ new dry good storage area</li> <li>○ new paint &amp; plaster</li> <li>○ repairs to support structure (walls and ceiling)</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Kitchen equipment             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ new walk-in fridge</li> <li>○ 2 new stoves</li> <li>○ tilt skillet</li> <li>○ small wares</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Improved drainage system (rainwater)</li> <li>• Added structural support (floor)</li> <li>• New electrical panel</li> <li>• New emergency lights</li> <li>• New roof</li> <li>• New grease trap</li> </ul> <p><b>New Four Season Maintenance Shop</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Renovated and winterized garage at front of camp</li> </ul> <p><b>Katimavik</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Repaired all foundations</li> <li>• Demolished stage, paint floor, replaced windows, new lighting</li> <li>• New basketball nets</li> </ul> <p><b>Archery &amp; Soccer Fields</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• New archery field in center of camp</li> <li>• New soccer field at front of camp (old archery field)</li> </ul> <p><b>Business Office</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• New satellite internet service</li> </ul>	<p><b>Boating</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• New canoe slip</li> <li>• 14 new canoes and 4 kayaks added to fleet</li> <li>• New canoe trailer (second)</li> </ul> <p><b>Swimming</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Increased size of beach by 100%</li> <li>• New swimming dock system</li> <li>• Moved lifeguard cabin location</li> <li>• New water trampoline</li> <li>• New expanded safety fence</li> </ul> <p><b>Cabins and Tent Platforms</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Repaired all foundations &amp; supporting structures</li> <li>• Built-in bunks in all junior girls cabins</li> <li>• Tent platforms – new guardrails, all platforms repaired &amp;-or replaced</li> </ul> <p><b>Tripping</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• New tripping storage area in old maintenance area</li> </ul> <p><b>Summer Camp Infrastructure</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• New ecological waste treatment system (in final instalment phase)</li> <li>• New artesian well</li> <li>• New hydro electrical entry (increased to 400 amp)</li> </ul> <p><b>Front of Camp</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• New appliances for Blockhouse and Farmhouse</li> <li>• New sewage plumbing for blockhouse</li> <li>• New sign at entrance (illuminated)</li> </ul>
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## ∞ SHARING THE GIFT OF NATURE ∞

WE HAVE ALSO CONTINUED TO STRIVE TOWARDS MAKING YMCA KANAWANA A TRUE COMMUNITY CENTER, PLACE WHERE CHILDREN AND YOUTH FROM DIVERSE BACKGROUNDS COME TOGETHER TO LEARN FROM EACH OTHER IN THE ATMOSPHERE OF TOLERANCE AND RESPECT - WHICH IS ALWAYS THE HALLMARK OF THIS CAMP.

IN 2006, 12% OF CAMPER'S RECEIVED FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE AND WE PARTNERED WITH COMMUNITY GROUPS SUCH AS TOUJOURS ENSEMBLE, BATSHAW YOUTH CENTRES AND THE YMCA RESIDENCE FOR REFUGEES TO WELCOME THEIR PARTICIPANTS AT CAMP.