

Youth Parliament of Manitoba



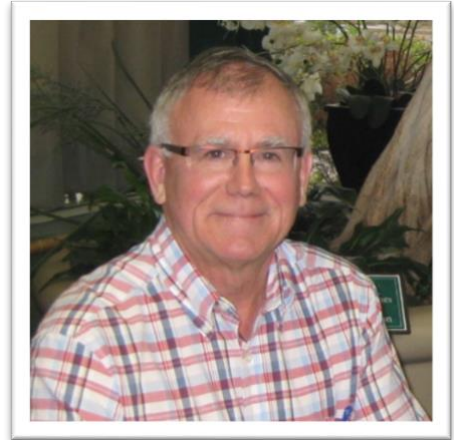
Sponsorship Opportunities



A MESSAGE FROM OUR HONORARY PRESIDENT

To whom it may concern,

Over the past two years, I have had the privilege of serving as the Honorary President of the Youth Parliament of Manitoba. Each year, for 98 years, YPM has brought young people together to learn about the process of creating and implementing the laws that govern our collective activity. It is a chance for young people, interested in how our democracy functions, to practice their debating and thinking skills, as well as propose solutions to some of society's challenging problems.



I was elected MLA for Flin Flon in 1981, serving for 13 years in a number of portfolios, including as Minister of Northern Affairs and Minister of Education. In 2005, I joined Brandon University as an Associate Professor, then Dean of Education. As a former politician, educator, and citizen, I know that we need young people actively engaged in our important debates. Those involved in the Youth Parliament of Manitoba believe that business and community leaders, across the province, can help get youth involved in this non-partisan, inclusive, and important activity.

That is why the Youth Parliament of Manitoba is requesting your support in bringing the next generation of leaders together by sponsoring young people wishing to attend the 98th Winter Session. Without your support, some talented and committed young people may never get the opportunity to attend a YPM session and learn about, and participate in, the parliamentary process.

We recognize that there are many projects seeking your support in the community. It is our hope that your commitment to the democratic process, and the role youth will play in the future of Manitoba, will encourage you to offer your support to the Youth Parliament of Manitoba.

As a community leader, thanks for your encouragement of Manitoban youth.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jerry Storie". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Jerry Storie

Honorary President, Youth Parliament of Manitoba

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About Youth Parliament of Manitoba

Youth Parliament of Manitoba Inc. (YPM) is a registered charity run entirely by youth, for youth. Every year, we hold our Winter Session at the Manitoba Legislative Building for young Manitobans to learn about the parliamentary process, voice their opinion on current affairs, and gain confidence in public speaking. We are one of the longest-running model parliament organizations in the Commonwealth, having held sessions continuously since 1922.

A strong history of leadership

YPM provides an incredible opportunity for young people to develop their potential, through both participating in Winter Session and serving on our volunteer organizing committee or board of directors.



Some of the most decorated leaders of our province - and country - started their careers as youth parliamentarians in YPM. Politicians such as Lloyd Axworthy, Bill Blaikie, Howard Pawley, and Niki Ashton were all former members. From Rhodes Scholars to a nominee for the Nobel Peace Prize, our alumni are individuals from all professions and talents.

Your support matters

We commit ourselves to making Winter Session accessible to any young person who is interested in attending. Your support will be helping us instill within our society's next generation of leaders the importance of active, engaged citizenry.

Our Events

Winter Session



Winter Session is our flagship event, held in December as the culmination of months of hard work by our volunteer organizing committee. All Manitoban youth aged 16–20 are invited to sit as Members of Parliament in the legislative chamber, where they will have the opportunity to debate about societal issues and meet current-sitting politicians.

As a sponsor of Winter Session, you will be showcasing your organization to involved, energetic youth who are making a difference in their communities, and who are striving to make a difference in the world.

Speaker's Night

A fundraising event in support of Youth Parliament of Manitoba



Speaker's Night is our annual fundraising gala. Our recent keynote speakers have included Susan Thompson, Dr. Aimée Craft, and Wab Kinew. The evening brings together YPM members and alumni, politicians, community leaders, and family and friends to commemorate the history and achievements of YPM. The support and attendance of our sponsors and the corporate community is instrumental to the event's continued success.

Sponsorship Tiers

If you are interested in supporting Youth Parliament of Manitoba, we offer various tiers of sponsorship to showcase your organization and convey our appreciation. Each tier includes recognition at both Winter Session and Speaker's Night to ensure that our members, alumni, and supporters are made aware of your organization's generous contributions.

All cheques can be made payable to *Youth Parliament of Manitoba Inc.*

All packages include:

1. Link on the Youth Parliament of Manitoba website (www.ypmanitoba.ca)
 2. Verbal recognition during the Winter Session closing ceremony (Manitoba Legislative Building, Dec. 30)
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Platinum Sponsor – \$2,500 (or \$2,000 for single event)

Winter Session

1. Recognition with your corporate name and/or logo in our program handbook, distributed to each member
2. Sign recognition in the welcome area (Dec. 26)
3. Up to two items in delegate welcome package
4. A full-page advertisement in our daily newsletter, distributed to each member (Dec. 26)

Speaker's Night

1. A table of eight at Speaker's Night (July 23, 2019)
2. Recognition on the front page of the dinner program
3. Logo recognition on event signage
4. Logo recognition at your table
5. Primary recognition in the event slideshow

Gold Sponsor – \$1,500 (or \$1,000 for single event)

Winter Session

1. Recognition with your corporate name and/or logo in our program handbook, distributed to each member
2. Sign recognition in the welcome area (Dec. 26)
3. One item in delegate welcome package
4. A half-page advertisement in our daily newsletter, distributed to each member (Dec. 26)

Speaker's Night

1. A table of eight at Speaker's Night (July 23, 2019)
2. Recognition on the front page of the dinner program
3. Logo recognition on event signage
4. Logo recognition at your table
5. Primary recognition in the event slideshow

Silver Sponsor – \$1,000 (or \$500 for single event)

Winter Session

1. Recognition with your corporate name and/or logo in our program handbook, distributed to each member
2. Sign recognition in the welcome area (Dec. 26)
3. One item in delegate welcome package
4. A quarter-page advertisement in our daily newsletter, distributed to each member (Dec. 26)

Speaker's Night

1. Four tickets to Speaker's Night (July 23, 2019)
2. Recognition in the dinner program
3. Logo recognition on event signage
4. Recognition in the event slideshow

Bronze Sponsor – \$500 (or \$250 for single event)

Winter Session

1. Recognition with your corporate name and/or logo in our program handbook, distributed to each member
2. Sign recognition in the welcome area (Dec. 26)
3. One item in delegate welcome package
4. A quarter-page advertisement in our daily newsletter, distributed to each member (Dec. 26)

Speaker's Night

1. Recognition in the dinner program
2. Logo recognition on event signage
3. Recognition in the event slideshow

In-Kind Donations

Youth Parliament of Manitoba is also receptive to in-kind donations of products or services. All in-kind sponsorships are eligible for recognition corresponding to the above tiers as cash equivalent.

Charitable Receipts

As a registered charity, Youth Parliament of Manitoba offers charitable tax receipts for all donations.

However, please note that while we are grateful for donations of professional services and pleased to recognize them corresponding to our tiers, we are unable to offer charitable tax receipts for them as per CRA guidelines.

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- Platinum Sponsor**
 - Winter Session only
 - Speaker's Night only

- Gold Sponsor**
 - Winter Session only
 - Speaker's Night only

- Silver Sponsor**
 - Winter Session only
 - Speaker's Night only

- Bronze Sponsor**
 - Winter Session only
 - Speaker's Night only

- In-Kind Donation**

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