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MILESTONES IN HISTORY

1994	January 10	Incorporated as Fort St. John and District Hospital Foundation.
1995	December	Fundraising for mammography, Eye Lane Gala New Years Eve Party
1996		Fundraising for trauma stretcher
	September	Completed Revitalization Program with the Hospital Contracted Resource Development Officer First Board of Directors Workshop
	October November December	Initiated 50/50 Draw Program with Hospital/Clinic staff Initiated Business-Based Fundraising Program Established phone number
1997	March	Adopted policies on 50/50 Draw, Education, Computer Loans, Membership, Donations, Finance
	May	Developed brochure and letterhead with foundation logo Obtained financial autonomy
	June	First conference attendance of Assoc of Healthcare Philanthropy
	September	Constitutional changes approved: Fort St. John Hospital Foundation Established a permanent office in the Hospital
	December	First Annual Community-wide Event: Tree Light Up Recognition Wall Development began First Equipment Purchase from 50/50 funds and Light Up funds
1998	January	Family Program plans initiated
	April October	First newsletter published The Jazz Pot fundraiser with high school students
1999	January April May September	Recognition Wall Unveiled A total of \$120,000 in equipment purchases for the Hospital Three Foundation board members retire First Bluey Days Fundraising partnership with the RCMP

2000	March June	Established the Eastern Star Children's Fund Stan MacKenzie Kayak for Wheelchairs Fundraiser
	May	First Brad Brain Charity Golf Tournament
	November	Christmas Stocking Auction with Light Up campaign
2001	May	Summer student employed
	October	Completed Yag Laser campaign \$130,000
	November	5th and Final Benefit Buffet at Chatter's Restaurant
	December	Recognition Wall represents over \$500,000 in contributions
2002	January	Employed permanent part time office assistance
		Moved into permanent office near lobby of the hospital
	May	First Annual Golf Tournament at Lone Wolf
	July	Third Bluey Day event with RCMP
	November	Launch of 6 th Annual Light Up at Northern Lights Restaurant
2003	January	Record Christmas campaign of \$111,967.02 (160% of goal)
		Completed the Cardiac Rehabilitation campaign
		Employed permanent full time office administrator
	May	Board Member Ken Rimbey retires
	June	Fourth Bluey Day with BC Ambulance
	September	Hospital Foundation Golf Tournament at Lone Wolf
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