

# nightlight canada – February 2020 news at a glance



**a safe place  
to build  
meaningful  
relationships**

## There's a lot of exciting stuff going on!

### We are relational

Our work at nightlight is the hardest to quantify. We focus on relationships, build community and make a supportive network for those who have fallen through the cracks everywhere else. We do this because people are relational being; we all thrive best when we are loved and have belonging. When individuals or families are struggling to make ends meet, physical needs tend to be addressed first. But it's our relationships that make life worth living.

### Internships

We provide short-term internships to post-secondary students. Read more about this opportunity in our internships brochure (on our website) or contact Christa at [internships@nightlightcanada.com](mailto:internships@nightlightcanada.com).

### Volunteering

We are always welcoming new volunteers. You can read our Volunteering FAQs and complete an application on our website. You're also welcome to come to one of our drop-in nights to chat with our E.D.s, volunteers and guests. Join us and see first hand the difference relationships make!

### Coldest Night of the Year (CNOY) fundraising walks

We had our annual fundraising walks in Belleville and Kingston this past Saturday. We're so grateful for everyone who participated as walkers, donors, volunteers and sponsors. Our ministry is about lived community, and these events are great examples of the impact of our larger nightlight community. **We had roughly 200 walkers and raised a combined \$37,674. Huge thank you for all your support!** You still make donations towards these walks until the end of March. So it's not too late if you didn't get a chance to donate yet. Donate at [www.cnoy.org](http://www.cnoy.org)

### Seed to Sustainability Cambridge

We've kicked off our year-long Seed to Sustainability campaign for nightlight Cambridge. The objective is to have consistent monthly donations to help regulate our cash-flow and to plan for the future.

We've established donor levels to keep it simple:

**Cups of Coffee = \$10 per month**

**Travel Mug of Coffee Refills = \$25 per month**

**Pot of Coffee = \$75 per month**

**Urn of Coffee = \$125 per month**

If you don't already donate to nightlight on a monthly basis, please consider one of these monthly pledges. You can donate through [Canada Helps](#).

Friends in Cambridge... mark your calendar! Please plan to participate in our annual Ride for Refuge fundraising event. The big day is Saturday, October 3rd, 2020!

### 2020 Prayer Requests

**Guests** – Pray for the relationships between our guests.

They are often acquainted from other local services or from past connections. Usually these relationships are positive, but occasionally there are past hurts or grudges.

**Seed to Sustainability Campaign** – Pray that we will reach our \$50K of pledged donations from nightlight Cambridge supporters

**Our Executive Directors** – Pray for Kelly in Belleville, Jeff in Cambridge and our search for a new E.D. in Kingston.

### Questions or Comments

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