



## **DECEMBER 2009 UPDATE**

Dear Friends of Brooke,

Another year has flown by and it's time again to update you on what the Brooke Forbes Legacy Fund has been up to and remind you that you can help build the Fund as a year-end tax-deductible donation and a holiday gift!

Brooke's Legacy is living on again this year through Humber College's partnership with the not-for-profit organization, Leave Out Violence (LOVE). The program targets at-risk youth from the Jane-Finch and Jamestown area in Toronto, many of whom are first generation Canadians.

Students from LOVE learn about the fundamentals of radio broadcasting including equipment operation, audio recording and editing and interviewing skills. By the end of the program, they are able to produce public service announcements which are broadcast on Humber Radio 96.9 FM. We hope to send you a sample of their work in our next e-mail.

In addition, the students are taken on field trips to local radio stations to give them with the opportunity to talk to radio professionals and find out about jobs in the field.

The most striking example of the program's impact so far is that one of the past students will be graduating from Humber's two-year radio broadcast diploma this coming June!

This year, thanks to your generosity, we contributed almost \$2,000 to the program.

If you'd like to make a contribution, you can send your cheque made out to the Brooke Forbes Legacy Fund to:

Vancity Community Foundation  
510 - 815 West Hastings Street  
Vancouver, B.C.  
V6C 1B4



Or, new this year, you can also donate online at:

[www.vancity.com/vcf](http://www.vancity.com/vcf)

Click on the Donate Now icon at the bottom of the page

It's gratifying to us that we are able to continue Brooke's work in this way. We hope you feel the same.

All the best in 2010!

Regards,

Joan (Andersen), Joy (Crysdale), Karen (Levine) and Sid (Sawyer)  
The Brooke Forbes Legacy Fund Advisory Committee