

WHO WE ARE

The Village Collective Impact Project is a Collective of **50 partner organizations** that supported over **30,000 Seniors** this season. We have a community network of **87 organizations** representing **13 sectors** across our region.

OUR GOAL

To reduce the risk of social isolation among Seniors and Indigenous Seniors 60+ by improving community connectedness to increase social awareness and participation by seniors, families and caregivers, using an intergenerational approach.



Data from Season - Spring 2024

(March, April, May months)

30,000

Seniors supported by the Collective

50

Organizations in Collective

87

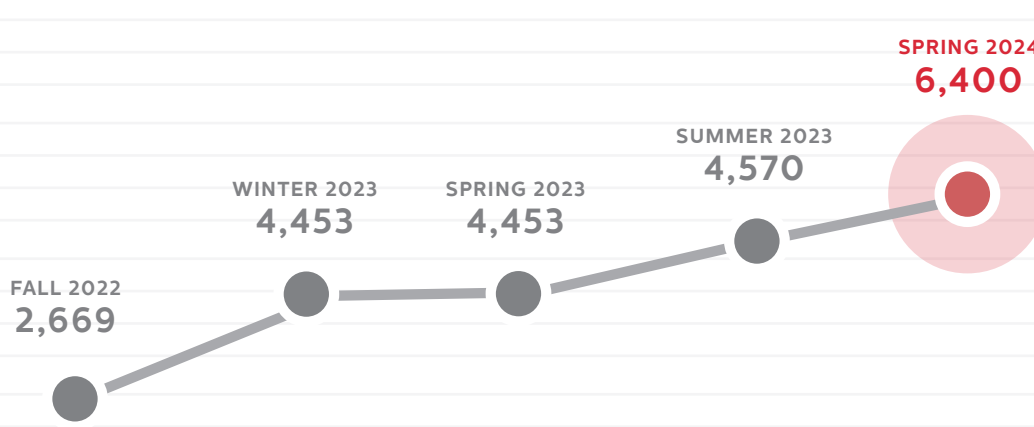
Organizations in our Community Network

13

Sectors

Seniors Connected

Since January 2020 The Village connected with over **6,400 Seniors** including **15% Indigenous Seniors** and Elders supported.



This spring season we connected with...

1300

- Seniors on average per month -

Data from past seasons

WINTER **1,000**

FALL **750**

SUMMER **400**

We offered...

60

- Programs -

Data from past seasons

WINTER **60**

FALL **70**

SUMMER **30**

6

Indigenous Organizations in Collective

20%

of Francophone Seniors supported

2%

of New Comers to Canada

When asked if the program supports innovative, accessible and inclusive community spaces for Seniors

(Data from Spring 2024)



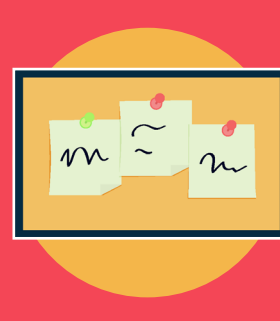
90%

of Seniors reporting positive community experiences



98%

of Seniors reporting programming being offered in an accessible and inclusive space



60%

of Seniors aware of services offered in the community

When asked if the program promoted social participation and addressed barriers to inclusion for Seniors, their families, and caregivers



98%

of Seniors say they would participate again!



92%

of Seniors use technology to connect with others



90%

of program participants have access to safe transportation



85%

of Seniors who have access to technology to access programs, services and connect with others

Generate meaningful intergenerational learning experiences for students and Seniors

OUR STUDENTS: **2,148 students** have provided over **93,260 hours** of community support to **31 organizations** (cumulative not seasonal)

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(March, April, May months)

93,260

Community Placement hours

31

organizations supported (cumulative since beginning)

2,148

Community Student since January 2020

100

% of students who felt that their placement and the connection with Seniors was meaningful

96

% of Seniors reporting positive experiences with the students

100

% of students reporting their placement aligned with their program learning outcomes

298

hours of Seniors Volunteering on campus

Here's some feedback from the Village

"The Village space is very welcoming safe space and that energy comes from the staff and then students and SAGE group, almost by osmosis, the people who attend the Village. It's the vibe they've created by the openness and being supported by everyone. Seeing the human in the human being. So essential to growing a strong, resilient, inclusive, and diverse community!"

- Hariett Madigan, North Bay VIP and SAGE Team member

