



**The Lora Bay Foundation a grassroots community-based organization focusing on local initiatives that support Healthcare, Childhood Development and Physical Activity. The Lora Bay Foundation advances healthy environments that empower people to thrive and make lasting contributions to their communities.**

Almost 15 years ago Lora Bay began with a vision to create a unique neighbourhood serving the interests of people who were active and engaged in all avenues of their community. Through the years each of us have made considerable local contributions of both time and resources in areas of social responsibility, public service, economic development, community outreach and numerous charitable entities.

With the above in mind, LBF is being established to bring greater recognition to Lora Bay as a whole and provide a springboard to focus our collective giving in meaningful and beneficial ways to give back to our broader community.

**The Lora Bay Foundation** was created to provide a single charity that would represent the entire LB community in making a difference in areas such as healthcare, childhood development and physical activity. In this way the **Lora Bay Foundation** advances healthy environments that empower people to thrive and make lasting contributions to their communities

### **Who runs LBF? Why was it created?**

**LBF** is a volunteer organization lead by a Board of Directors composed of people like you from our local community. As a registered charitable entity, **LBF** is not part of LB Golf Course or Lora Bay Corp. It is totally separate and not affiliated.

**LBF** was created to make a difference in the lives of individuals in the area who may have limited resources and opportunity.

## **How long has LBF been around?**

While several years in the concept phase, LBF was registered in 2020.

## **Who does LBF help?**

**LBF** is dedicated to helping individuals in the larger, but local community through promotion, enhancement and support of healthcare, childhood development and physical activity. LBF does not create or manage programs but rather inspires and supports the individuals and organizations dedicated to making a difference.

To date **LBF** has provided support to;

- Events for Life
- Collingwood General and Marine Hospital
- Meaford General Hospital

## **Volunteering and donations**

As a new Foundation, **LBF** is seeking input from the community to help develop the organization to be right focussed and highly effective.

**LBF** is a registered charity with full receipting capacity. All financial donations are gratefully accepted.

Being a volunteer run organization volunteers are welcome to join the team; however, as a new organization the volunteer opportunities are in development – more information to come.

**Individuals wishing to provide input, volunteer as a team member or make a donation are encouraged and welcomed to contact the Foundation directly at;**

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