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MEREDITH CENTRE RECEIVES MAJOR PRIVATE DONATION

Dormani Family Pledges \$100,000 towards construction of Chelsea's recreational and cultural centre

CHELSEA, QUEBEC (January 29, 2010) – Chelsea Foundation president Wayne Russell today announced that a donation of \$100,000 has been made by the Dormani family to assist in the construction of the Meredith Centre, a multi-use recreational and cultural facility that is slated to be built in Chelsea in the near future.

“We are delighted that the Dormani family has come forward with such a generous donation,” said Mr. Russell. “It demonstrates that Chelsea is not just a caring and giving community, but also that there is a vision for a gathering place such as the Meredith Centre.”

For the Dormani family, their donation is an investment in the future of Chelsea. “The Dormani family is pledging \$100,000 to ensure that the Meredith Centre becomes the heart and soul of this region for our children, our grandchildren and for all future community members,” said Nader Dormani.

In the spring of 2009, the Chelsea Foundation launched the Meredith Centre Build Campaign with a goal of raising \$600,000 towards the cost of completing the cultural and recreational centre that will be located on Old Chelsea Road on land donated by the Meredith family. The Dormani donation brings the total number of pledges to date to \$400,000. They join the ranks of others such as the Caisse Desjardins de Hull, the Peacock Family Foundation as well as Meriel Beament Bradford, Jim Bradford and many others who have already donated generously to the campaign.

All donations made to the Chelsea Foundation go directly to the **Meredith Centre Build Campaign**. The Chelsea Foundation is committed to recognizing cumulative giving, wherein new pledges can be added to previous ones to give all donors the opportunity to achieve a higher level of recognition according to their total contributions.

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