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PRHA recognizes outstanding volunteers

Dauphin - The Parkland Regional Health Authority (PRHA) held its Seventh Volunteer Service Awards in conjunction with its 2009/2010 Annual General Meeting on August 30, 2010. The information meeting was held in Dauphin at St. Viator’s Parish Hall. PRHA Board Chairperson Mary Hudyma says the meeting was well attended, and she was thrilled with the response to the awards presentation.

“The Board reviewed the nominations and contributions of a number of worthy individuals and groups. As you can appreciate, finalizing the list of award recipients was a very difficult task. Although many nominations were given extensive consideration, we were able to come to a consensus on this year’s awards,” Hudyma stated.

The Board presented awards to the following recipients this year:

- Sister Therese Cloutier- Ste. Rose (East District)
- Lorene Ward- Roblin (West District)
- Wes Rumak- Dauphin (Central District)
- Manju Joshi- Swan River (North District)
- Scott Cornelius- Roblin (Youth Award)
- *CDPI Northeast Committee- (Regional Group Award)
(*Chronic Disease Prevention Initiative)

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Recipients received a plaque honouring their efforts and achievements.

The PRHA will make a \$100 donation, in the recipient’s name, to a charity of their choice. Charities that were named include: Swan River Hospital Auxiliary, Roblin Personal Care Home, the Canadian Diabetes Association, Ste. Rose Outreach Program and the HERO (Helping Everyone Reach Out) Program.

“The Board thanks all of the people who took time to nominate individuals and organizations this year. We especially thank all of the nominees for their invaluable contributions that they perform every day for the betterment of health within our communities. We urge all Parkland residents to submit a nomination for next year, even if it means re-submitting a nomination that wasn’t successful this time around,” Hudyma added.