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“We shape our buildings; thereafter they shape us.”

Winston Churchill

Dear Friends of Rudolf Steiner College Canada,

We are growing again!

Many of you have asked how we are doing in our new space at Hesperus Village. Here is our update along with exciting news about plans for expansion.

Ten months ago, we made the move across the field into our new space at Hesperus Village. Although a short distance, the move was monumental after over 35 years in our “lean-to” space built as part of the Toronto Waldorf School’s expansion in the early 1990s. After nine months of settling in, we have adjusted to our new surroundings and have been warmly welcomed by Hesperus residents and staff. RSCC faculty, staff and volunteers, worked collaboratively to pack up our belongings, then unpack and organize them in our new rooms. This hard work contributed to a smooth transition.

Our new home includes offices, a downstairs space for art and movement and a new seminar room of 563 square feet. The seminar room hosted our 12 Saturday Foundation Studies students, sessions of our Professional Development for Waldorf Early Childhood Teachers education program, served as a gathering space for those attending our Waldorf Development Conference and annual Open House. It is an intimate space with large windows and a kitchenette. As we look to the future and the hope of larger classes and more public events, we see the need for more space.

By a stroke of good fortune, the unit beside our current seminar room has become available and we are thrilled to be expanding our footprint. With renovations the additional space will be over 720 square feet. This revitalized space will hold more students and provide more opportunities for community events. Efforts are underway to get permits and approvals for the renovations as soon as possible. We hope they will start this summer so that the space will be ready for our students in the fall.

The estimated cost of the renovations is \$50,000. They include expert drawings required to obtain permits, removing all interior walls, new flooring, lighting, windows and a door out to the garden, a door connecting to the current seminar room and a wall length of storage cupboards.

We need your support to help this plan become a reality. Making a donation will help shape our building and thereafter shape us.

With gratitude,



Robert McKay, Chair, Board of Directors

Marta Bak, Executive Director

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Professional Development for Waldorf Teachers Part-Time Grades

Biodynamic Farming Diploma

Foundational Lessons on Waldorf Education Retreat (FLOWER)

Foundation Studies in Anthroposophy Encounter

Foundation Studies in Anthroposophy Distance

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