

Our Commitment

The Cambridge Food and Wine Society of Canada, an organization co-founded by Professor Chef Leo Chan and Professor Gian Paolo (J.P.) Micheleni, celebrates its 29th anniversary this year. The members of the Society meet regularly for gourmet food and wine tasting and other educational activities. An important part of our commitment is the on-going mentorship of young people in our industry. The Cambridge Society has a library of cook and wine books, as well as periodicals on hospitality. In addition to conducting food and wine tours, it also provides annual scholarship funds to accomplished high school, university and community college students.

For the past 28 years, the Society donated funds and supported Villa Charities, Second Harvest, North York Harvest Food Bank, Toronto Hispano-American Film Festival, Jean Lumb Foundation, CareFirst Seniors, Scarborough Hospital Foundation, the highly successful Canadian and Ontario culinary teams at the 2004, 2012 and 2016 World Culinary Olympics in Germany, the 2006 Expo Gast Culinary World Cup in Luxemburg, the CCFCC Junior Chef Competition, the Trillium Chefs Canada, the 2011 New Zealand, the 2016 Ecuador and Italy Earthquake Relief, the Retina Society, the Grapes for Humanity, the Geddy Lee Scholarship Niagara College, the 2013 Humber College Golf Classic, 2016 Toronto Chung Wah Chinese School Charity Golf Tournament, 2016 Fort McMurray Fire Relief, Heritage Toronto, West Humber C.I. Social Justice Club, Global Medic and the University of Toronto Scarborough Culinary Research Centre.

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