



# 2018

## COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT REPORT



**NIEUPORT**  
AVIATION

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Billy Bishop Toronto City Airport is situated in the heart of downtown Toronto, and fostering great partnerships with the local community is an integral part of our success.

With a commitment to be a good corporate citizen, Nieuport Aviation is an active contributor to community initiatives and volunteer efforts.

In 2018, we forged great partnerships with local non-profit organizations that place an emphasis on community issues and needs. Our investments, donations and volunteering assisted with food insecurity, homelessness, at-risk youth, Veterans, and environmental clean-ups.

Nieuport Aviation also placed an important focus on sourcing products locally and creating new jobs as part of our terminal upgrade project completed in 2018.

We look forward to continuing to be a strong partner in our local community for years to come and building on the successes of 2018.

## SUPPORT FOR AT-RISK YOUTH

A neighbour to Billy Bishop Toronto City Airport is Broad Reach Foundation for Youth Leaders, a charitable organization that ensures at-risk youth are afforded the chance to learn how to sail along Lake Ontario's waterfront. In 2018, Nieuport Aviation became an official sponsor of their Summer Afloat program, which gives youth aged 13-24 the opportunity they would not otherwise have, which is to learn skills of confidence, teamwork, responsibility and positive work ethic through sailing.



## GROCERY CARD DRIVE

Every year, the Waterfront Neighbourhood Centre, situated next to Billy Bishop Toronto City Airport, organizes a Grocery Card Drive to help make the holiday season a bit easier for our neighbours. To help with this campaign, which was launched on [Giving Tuesday Canada](#), Nieuport donated, for the 2nd year running, \$2000 which paid to buy grocery cards for local families and community members who struggle with food security.



## FRED VICTOR RESPITE

Nieuport Aviation supports the Fred Victor charitable organization that fosters long-lasting and positive change in the lives of homeless and low-income people living in Toronto. The Fred Victor Respite Centre near Billy Bishop Toronto City Airport provides a warm, safe place for people to stay as well as warm clothing and warm meals. In 2018, Nieuport Aviation contributed \$1000 worth of food.



## WINTER CLOTHING DRIVE

Winters in Canada can be cruel. This past winter the City of Toronto issued 19 cold weather alerts. During the winter months, the Fred Victor Respite Centre is always in need of warm winter coats, long pants, boots, sweaters, hats and mittens, and Nieuport Aviation arranged a winter clothing drive. The boxes of clothing Nieuport delivered assisted the shelter to keep people warm.



## REMEMBRANCE DAY CAMPAIGN

To honour those who serve and have served the country, Nieuport Aviation partnered with Royal Canadian Legion in 2018 to raise funds by placing poppy boxes throughout the airport lounges. The funds raised were in support of Veterans and their families.





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