## **Proclamation**

## INTERGENERATIONAL DAY CANADA JUNE 1st

- WHEREAS Intergenerational Day Canada, June 1<sup>st</sup>, raises awareness about the power of making simple, respectful intergenerational connections.
- WHEREAS Intergenerational Day Canada, June 1<sup>st</sup> is a day to focus on the profound positive influence intergenerational connecting has on eliminating isolation and loneliness, moving towards healthy, all-age friendly communities.
- WHEREAS Intergenerational Day Canada, June 1<sup>st</sup> celebrates the good things presently taking place between generations in local community.
- WHEREAS Intergenerational Day Canada, June 1<sup>st</sup> encourages simple, fun intergenerational sharing.
- WHEREAS Intergenerational Day Canada, June 1<sup>st</sup> is an official reminder, a yearly invitation for every citizen to take one small respectful step to bridge generations within his or her local community.

It only takes a smile between generations to break through isolation and loneliness, the number one health concern for children/youth and older persons.

**AND NOW THEREFORE**, I, Danny Breen, Mayor of the City of St. John's, NL do hereby proclaim the day

June 1st

as

"Intergenerational Day Canada"

Dated at St. John's, NL this 1st day of June, 2021.

Danny Breen, Mayor

