

Sustenance for our Children & Youth



EXPANDING SCHOOL FOOD INFRASTRUCTURE IN ILE A LA CROSSE

Ile a la Crosse Friendship Centre was established in 1992 to enhance the quality of life in the community by promoting overall wellness, having reliable access to affordable and nutritious foods, encouraging healthy habits, and creating a supportive environment.

Infrastructure investment in the community has helped the schools bridge the gaps of food insecurity with a focus on living off the land, sharing foods, teaching future generations traditional foods gathering, preparation and proper storage.

Investment

\$189,291

Purchased

food storage equipment, tools, appliances for safe preparation, greenhouse and garden areas

Impact

children and youth are ready to learn traditional ways of hunting, fishing, trapping, snaring, harvesting, gardening, berry-picking, cooking and cleaning

Meals

offering moose meat, deer meat, ducks, rabbits, fish, muskrat, berries, preserves, and bannock

Participation

over 100 students a week

Partnerships

9 partnerships in place



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