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Quarterly Highlights

Achievements, Successes and Inspirational Stories



**After 14 years and through our amazing partnerships with each of
you, we are pleased, and so grateful to announce, that
Respect Group has officially**

“Respect Certified” One Million Canadians!

**We would like to welcome our
newest Clients:**



Respect in Sport Activity Leader:

- Judo Canada
- SAIT Trojans Athletics and Recreation
- Durham Ultimate Club
- South Vancouver Little League

- Sir Allan MacNab Secondary School
- Lynn Valley Little League
- Little Mountain Baseball Little League
- St. Thomas Optimist Softball
- Thunder Bay Thunder Fast Pitch
- Town of Gull Lake
- Special Olympics Ontario - Sudbury
- CAC-Responsible Coaching Movement
- Hockey Extreme
- Alberta Sprint Racing Canoe Association
- Town of Plympton-Wyoming
- Triathlon Canada
- Little People of Ontario
- Cascade Swim Club

Respect in Sport Parent Program:

- Regina Minor Softball League
- Judo Canada
- Durham Ultimate Club
- South Vancouver Little League
- ARS Lac St-Louis
- St. Thomas Optimist Softball
- Triathlon Canada
- Cascade Swim Club

Respect in the Workplace:

- Durham Region Soccer Association
- Grand Prairie Gymnastics
- Accessible Housing
- Oncidium
- Concordia University
- Sportsnet & NHL
- Judo Canada

- Vision Transportation Systems Inc.
- Triathlon Canada
- Main Street Medical Clinic
- Habitat for Humanity Greater Vancouver
- Top Sail Road Vet Clinic
- Cascade Swim Club
- Dundas

Kennedy and McNeil - Commentary on Responsible Coaching Movement

Monsters roam the earth, and Larry Nassar was a monster. The doctor for USA Gymnastics and Michigan State University was sent to prison for the rest of his life on Wednesday for molesting hundreds of girls, and 156 of them stood in the Michigan courtroom to give victim impact statements, and stare the monster down. Every one was a shattering example of damage, of strength, of courage. MORE



Golf Canada Joins the Responsible Coaching Movement

Golf Canada is proud to announce it is working to combat and prevent abuse, bullying and harassment in golf by adopting Respect in Sport and Respect in the Workplace as part of its deepened commitment to the Responsible Coaching Movement (RCM). “We are very proud to be joining other National Sport Federations in adopting and facilitating this important training among our golf community,” said Laurence Applebaum, CEO, Golf Canada. “Our commitment to integrating the Responsible Coaching Movement and Respect programming into the core areas of our organization will strengthen our efforts to build a culture of respect, and further instill a safe, fun and positive environment in golf.” [MORE](#)



Sheldon Kennedy Sees History Repeating With Nassar Case

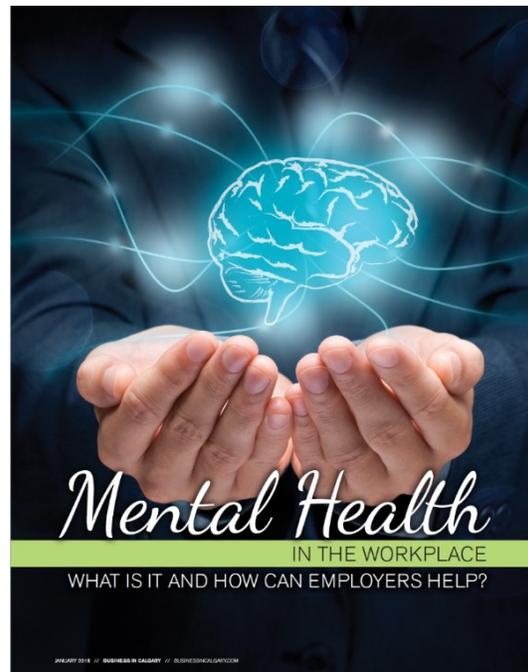
For more than two decades, Nassar, who also ran a gymnastics clinic at Michigan State University, used his position of power and trust to prey on vulnerable children. Each account of sexual abuse further exposed a culture of ignorance and victim blaming within competitive sport. The enormity of Nassar crimes seems unfathomable. That he wasn't stopped sooner is unconscionable. There weren't just red flags. There were flashing



lights and sirens. And they were ignored again and again. And as those wrenching accounts of sexual abuse were shared at Nassar's sentencing, Sheldon Kennedy saw [history repeating](#). [MORE](#)

Mental Health in the Workplace: What is it and How Can Employers Help?

"...How does an employee's mental health really affect the workplace and a company's bottom line? Wayne McNeil, co-founder of Respect Group Inc., says, "One's mental health can be the most important factor in an employee's ability to perform. If you take this fact and apply it to the collective work group/organization, it could translate into whether an organization is successful or not." "...By improving the management of mental health in the workplace and creating a psychologically safe and healthy work environment, employers can help protect both their employees and their bottom line." To access the full article and read more about how Respect in the Workplace is creating healthy work environments click [HERE](#) Pg. 62



Kennedy's Mission Continues

"...Two decades after his courageous journey, Kennedy is taking his message of hope and healing across Canada once again, this time with a series of Q and A's and public viewings of Director Joshua Rofe's masterpiece 'Swift Current'. The film depicts Kennedy's personal journey along with two other victims of childhood sexual abuse. Kennedy is undoubtedly the busiest child advocate in North America, but he wouldn't want it any other way. "I think everyone would say they have a hectic schedule, in my case, I am passionate about the issues we deal with, and I want to have an impact, that is what keeps me going," explained Kennedy.

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What others are saying about Respect Group!



Patty McLeod

@PattyMC22

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This is amazing- every club and Coach needs to have, live and lead this! Bravo...passing this on for sure.

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Respect Tip of The Quarter

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Be flexible. Things don't always go as planned. Adapt to changing conditions when necessary.



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