



“NEWS UPDATE”

November 10, 2006 – CBSDC and Rotary partner in downtown mini-park development

CBSDC has partnered with the Corner Brook Rotary Club to develop an attractive mini – park in the downtown area. It will be located in the area adjacent to Bells Brook directly in front of City Hall and will provide people in the downtown with a pleasant spot to sit down, have a snack or catch up on local happenings. The proposed green space will incorporate paver stone walkways, bench seating, and a picnic area surrounded by beautiful ornamental trees and planters. It will also act as an entrance feature to the Corner Brook Stream trail and will include an information kiosk to advise locals and visitors of key events and attractions in Corner Brook.

Rotary has contributed to this project to commemorate both the 50 year anniversary of the club in Corner Brook and the Rotary International 100th anniversary in 2006. At a brief ceremony to mark the occasion Rotary spokesperson Ann Parsons had this to say. “This mini park project has been three years in the making for our club. We wanted to commemorate Rotary’s presence in Corner Brook with a permanent and sustainable project that we as Rotarians could be proud of, but that

would also benefit our community... We believe that this project will show the pride we take in our wonderful community and we are extremely pleased to share with our partners in developing this living legacy. “



Left to right: Sheldon Peddle-CBSDC, Yordis Andrews – Province of NL & Lab., Ann Parsons - Rotary, Mayor Charles Pender, Linda Roche-Province of NF & Lab, Gerry Byrne- MP Humber, St. Barbe, Baie Verte

Also present were representatives from other funding partners including the province of Newfoundland and Labrador, Government of Canada, and the City of Corner Brook. Work on the site has started this fall and will continue in the spring of 2007.