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ALS Canada identifies and initiates excellent, peer-reviewed ALS research, conducted by some of the most renowned scientists in the world, working in Canada. Recent developments have included grants totaling $1.7 million in 2011.

ALS Canada’s Board of Directors approved $750,000 for a new Canadian ALS research initiative, bringing the total to $2.7 million. This includes the first Whitehorse WALK for ALS, which raised a record $230,000. With more than 1,500 participants, it becomes the most successful WALK for ALS to date. The success is largely attributed to Jeff Sutherland, MD, a respected doctor in the community diagnosed with ALS in 2007.

ALS Canada receives the prestigious 2008 Casgrain Volunteer Award in recognition for her outstanding contributions to the ALS community. She has raised more than $2 million for ALS research and support services to date. She is chosen from a selection of more than 970 entries from 23 countries.


Another successful Hill Day occurs as ALS Society of Canada advocacy committee members, researchers, volunteers and staff meet with numerous MPs, bureaucrats and the Prime Minister Stephen Harper. The Canadian Newspaper Association, in conjunction with the Canadian Community Newpapers Association announces the winners of the Extra Awards for 2010. ALS Canada wins both a silver and bronze award in their respective award-winning “Helping” and “Advertising” categories. The prizes are awarded in part as a way of “No Signal” advertising Vermont to the LORCH. It requires proactive inclusion and triggers the 2007 Applied Neuro-Sciences & Advertising Award for the light weight media commercial over 30 seconds.

Two more artists, Elizabeth Holmes,winner of more than $200,000 in research grants and donations from ALS Canada. The paintings are used as cards to raise awareness for ALS.

To invite a new generation of ALS survivors to the ALS of ALS Canada in conjunction with CIHR, offers the potential funding for their care, following the first ever CIHR-funded ALS Research Grant. TheAward is named to recognizing their extraordinary contribution of ALS.

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1999 | First Lou Gehrig Week is held in Toronto. Governor General accepts Vice Regal Patronage with the ALS Canada. WALK for ALS raises approximately $4 million nationwide, bringing the overall amount raised to $8.7 million.

2000 | First Tim E. Noël Fellowship in ALS Research is awarded.

2001 | Betty’s Run for ALS marks its tenth anniversary, raising $2.4 million.

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