

KTW of the TIMERAISEr month



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What organization(s) did you volunteer with to pay for your art?

I volunteered mainly with Fours Paws Food Bank. I also volunteered for the BC Winter Games, Kamloops Women's Society (Vagina Monologues), North Shore Business Improvement Association, Kamloops This Week Raise-a-Reader, and Brennan's Ugly Sweater Run.

What do you like best about the organization you volunteered for?

I get a sense of connection to our community through my volunteer work, particularly with Four Paws. I am still fairly new to Kamloops so it's easy to get caught up in all the good things about the city but volunteering with the less fortunate reminds me that every community needs support. To me as a citizen it just makes sense to give back. Volunteering where people can come to get help keeping their pets is so rewarding. I know I would be devastated to be separated from my pets so this is important work.

What did you like best about your artwork?

My piece of art, Shell on North Beach by Bill Fell, reminds me of the stark beauty of the absolute simplicity only found in nature. You can almost hear the water on the shoreline. It also reminds me of my love of being near the water, be it a lake, river or ocean. It's my happy place!

What do you like about the Timeraiser event?

The Timeraiser event brings different communities together. It is a wonderful way to present the need for volunteerism in our city through the lens of local artwork. And likewise, it's an event that showcases the talent of local artists through the generosity of volunteerism. It's a good match. And it's just plain fun!

HOW TIME RAISER WORKS



Local artwork is selected and purchased for auction



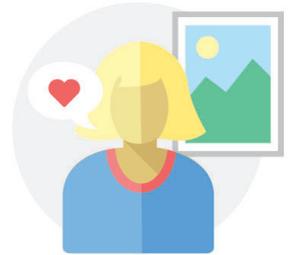
Non-profit agencies gather at the time raiser event



Participants bid volunteer hours on works of art they are interested in



The winning bidders complete their volunteer pledge over a year



Bidders bring their artwork home!

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The next KTW COMMUNITY TIMERAISEr

**FRIDAY,
NOVEMBER 15**

7:00 - 11:00 pm

**The Rex Hall
417 Seymour St.**

Live Music ~ Appies ~ Art

EVERYONE WELCOME
No obligation to volunteer