

## **NEWS RELEASE**

### **Sleep in Heavenly Peace Winnipeg Holds Biggest Bed Building Event in Charity History Thanks to Major Local Corporate Supporter Cadorath**

**Tuesday, September 13 - Winnipeg, Manitoba:** Sleep in Heavenly Peace (SHP) Winnipeg and family-owned and globally renowned local company Cadorath are set to hold the biggest bed build event in SHP Winnipeg's history by building 70 hand-made bed frames for children in Winnipeg who don't have beds of their own.

Forty staff members, including students from Tech Voc High School, will be joining the SHP Winnipeg team in the parking lot of Cadorath for a morning of cutting, sanding, drilling, staining and branding lumber to make 70 twin-size bed frames - more beds than ever built at a single SHP Winnipeg event.

Over the past year, Cadorath staff has been fundraising for this special corporate bed build event, with the goal of not only holding a fun team building event for staff but to help change the lives of 70 children in Winnipeg. It's estimated 2-3% of the local child population in Winnipeg - approximately 4,000 children - don't have a bed of their own.

With a dedicated staff, skilled workers, supportive leadership and friends in their industry, Cadorath has been quick to lend SHP Winnipeg a hand in the fight against child bedlessness in Winnipeg.

"When we learned about SHP Winnipeg, their mission of donating beds to Winnipeg children, and that they involved the community to help build the beds, we knew this was the way we wanted to give back to our great city," says David R. Haines, COO Cadorath. "The Cadorath family is proud of their Winnipeg roots and the work they do globally and giving back to their Winnipeg communities makes us equally proud of our efforts. We look forward to gathering our teams together for a fun and meaningful team building, and we hope our event inspires other companies to do the same."

Jim Thiessen, Chapter President, SHP Winnipeg says, "We are incredibly blown away and grateful to Cadorath for coming together and dedicating themselves for over a year, to raise funds and awareness for SHP Winnipeg. They are true examples of business leaders in philanthropy and leaders in supporting local – giving of their time, their energy, their donations and committed to making a difference in their community."

This will be the third bed build event held at Cadorath, and will take SHP Winnipeg's total beds built to 680 since its inception, three years ago.

Along with building beds, volunteers will also be on-site collecting donations for much needed items - new twin-size sheet sets and new twin-size Bed-in-a-Bags.

#### **Cadorath x SHP Winnipeg Bed Building & Donation Drop-Off Event**

**Date:** Wednesday, September 14

**Time:** 9 am – 12 pm

**Location:** Cadorath parking lot – 2070 Logan Avenue

The public and the media are invited to stop by, learn about SHP, and make a donation.

Photos of recipients and SHP and Cadorath logos available for media use on this [Google Drive URL](#).

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**About Sleep in Heavenly Peace Winnipeg:**

Established in January 2020, Sleep in Heavenly Peace Winnipeg is a non-profit charity made up of a group of volunteers dedicated to building and delivering handmade beds, new mattresses and bedding to local children. SHP Winnipeg is committed to building a stronger community by partnering with Manitoba organizations, to get children off the floor and create a sense of worth and dignity for families most in need. To learn more, visit: [www.shpbeds.ca/chapter/mb-winnipeg/](http://www.shpbeds.ca/chapter/mb-winnipeg/)

**About Cadorath:**

Cadorath is a family owned and operated company that provides superior solutions and products to a global client base in aviation, agriculture, industrial and mining, oil and gas, through its Canadian facility in Winnipeg, Manitoba, and its U.S. facilities in Lafayette, Louisiana, Bettendorf, Iowa and Orion, Illinois.

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