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## **REALTORS® Man St. Thomas Christmas Kettles**

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St. Thomas REALTORS<sup>®</sup> turned out in force to man Salvation Army Christmas Kettles at their local Walmart, collecting \$1,210.91 over a two day period (December 4 and 5). "LSTAR has been organizing REALTOR<sup>®</sup> Day Kettle Drives in London for four years now," says Jim Holody, President of the London and St. Thomas Association of REALTORS<sup>®</sup>, "and we're very pleased to see our St. Thomas Members come out in such numbers to support their own Kettle Drive."

"Christmas is a time of joy and thanksgiving," says Earl Taylor, LSTAR's St. Thomas Director, himself a participant in the drive, "but it's also a time to be mindful that not everybody in our community has a roof over their head or enough food to eat or warm clothes to wear . . . that there are children who can only dream of having a toy of their own. REALTORS<sup>®</sup> know that and that's why we are proud to support the Salvation Army at this time of the year."

The London and St. Thomas Association of REALTORS<sup>®</sup> (LSTAR) exists to provide our REALTOR® Members with the support and tools they need to succeed in their profession and adheres to a Quality of Life philosophy, supporting growth that fosters economic vitality, provides housing opportunities, respects the environment and builds good communities and safe neighbourhoods and is a proud participant in the REALTORS Care Foundation's Every REALTOR™ Campaign.

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