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**Singing for Health:  
St. Joseph The Worker School and Parish raises \$1,000 in support of  
Richmond Hospital Foundation MRI Campaign**

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Richmond, B.C. - A cheque in the amount of \$1,000 was presented to the Richmond Hospital Foundation from St. Joseph The Worker School and Parish this afternoon.

The funds were raised through an exciting Mardi Gras Karaoke Social Night, which was held on Saturday, February 7<sup>th</sup>, 2009. The event had participants singing their favourite karaoke songs and guests dancing the night away.

A hundred percent of the money raised during the karaoke night was given to the Richmond Hospital Foundation to aid in the drive to purchase an MRI machine for Richmond Hospital. The Foundation's largest campaign to date, the MRI campaign is now in the homestretch, with over \$3.8 million of the required \$4 million already raised.

The Richmond Hospital Foundation is a registered charity that is committed to raising money to fill the gap between government funding and the greater needs of our hospital. A Board of Trustees who represents a broad spectrum of the community governs the foundation.

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**Left to Right:**

Fr. David J. Poirier, S.A., Pastor of St. Joseph the Worker  
Mr. Maurice Jacob, Principal, St. Joseph  
Lisa Westermark, Executive Director, Richmond Hospital Foundation