

## New Donor Wall

The Board and Staff of SMH Foundation are excited to announce the installation of two new Donor Recognition Walls. The Walls will be installed early in 2018 and will recognize the generosity of all our donors since 1998 (when the Foundation began).

The first wall, to be installed near the new Laboratory Waiting Room will feature Estate donors, Cumulative Lifetime Giving Donors and recognize our loved ones who have asked that donations go to the Foundation in their obituaries. The other wall will recognize the donors who gave to The Hospital Campaign which includes donations to the new Emergency Room and Laboratory Expansion Project.

We are excited that we will be unveiling these walls in order to recognize the fabulous support our hospital receives from all our donors! Photographs from two local artists will be featured as the backdrop for these walls. We are very grateful for the photos that were submitted in our photo contest held in February of this year. The final designs are still a secret, so you will have to wait until the winter to see them!

## Did You Know?

- That over 15,000 patients use the hospital Emergency Room each year?
- That our Diagnostic Imaging department sees over 11,000 patients each year?
- That over 588,000 lab procedures are carried out each year?
- That there are 100 employees at the Saugeen Memorial Hospital Site?



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Be sure to check us out on social media!



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## Organizations & Businesses

Thank you to the following businesses and organizations that supported us in the 2016/17 fiscal year with a donation greater than \$500. We appreciate your ongoing support!

1118820 Ontario Inc.	98 The Beach Radio
Bank of Montreal	Bayshore Broadcasting
Bruce County Conservationists	Bruce Power
Bruce Telecom	Chantry Island Cham-bettes
CIBC	Town of Saugeen Shores
Cruiser's Cruise Nite	Dot Net Computers Inc.
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Fitness Funatics	Germania Mutual Insurance
Howshay Investment Inc.	Investors Group
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Maples Dental Clinic	Maystar General Contractors Inc.
Nicol Insurance	Ontario Power Generation
Peninsula Ford Lincoln	Port Elgin Super 8
Port Elgin Dinghy Poker Run	Port Elgin Home Hardware
Power Workers' Union Local 1000	Pretty in Pink
RBC Foundation	RE/MAX Land Exchange Brokerage
Rotary Club of Port Elgin	Rotary Club of Southampton
Rotary Huron Shore Run	Royal Canadian Legion Branch 155
Southampton	Royal Canadian Legion Branch 340
Port Elgin	Royal Canadian Legion Branch 340
Ladies Auxiliary	Royal LePage D.C. Johnston Realty
Saugeen Memorial Hospital Auxiliary	Saugeen Shores Hub
Saugeen Shores Kin Club	Saugeen Shores Winterhawks
Saugeen Times	Scotiabank
Shoppers Drug Mart Port Elgin	Shoreline Beacon
Southampton Market	Southampton Snowmobile Club
St. John's Anglican Church Women	St. Lawrence Lodge #131
Sunshine & Sparkles Laundromat	The Order of the Eastern Star
The Society of Energy Professionals	The Spa Room
Wal-Mart Canada Corp	Wesley United Church Women

Note - we appreciate our individual donors too but did not have room to list all 2200 of you!



August 19, 2018 may seem like a long time away, but this event will take some preparation! Get ready to cycle 30 km, 70 km, 110 km or 160 km and raise funds for priority medical equipment! We will be launching the event THIS August. Visit the website at granfondolakehuron.ca after August 16th for further details.



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## 2016-17 A Great Year!

- New ER/Lab underway and soon to be open (fall 2017)
- New Give Every Month Program a Success
- Light the Way Raised over \$200,000
- Began Legacy Giving Awareness
- Increased depth of donor demographics

July 2017

# Annual Report 2016/2017

## 70 Years of Hospital Care in Southampton

The tragic death of a young child on the Southampton beach in 1944 spurred the community on to create a hospital. The Southampton Rotary Club pledged \$15,500 to purchase Hillcrest Lodge (featured below to the left). The original fundraising goal of \$50,000 was soon surpassed and on October 16th, 1947 Saugeen Memorial Hospital was opened and dedicated to the memory of those who had paid the supreme sacrifice in World Wars I & II. In 1958, a new wing was added. Another addition was completed in 1965. Now we have our new Emergency Room and Laboratory project nearing completion. There have been many changes over the years, but the dedication of staff and volunteers remains the same! Hats off to all the good people who have been involved!



## Local Couple Plans Gala Fundraising Concert to Celebrate Hospitals 70th Anniversary

Mark your calendars! Jeannette and Graham Steeves are organizing a gala fundraising concert in honour of the 70th Anniversary of the Hospital. The concert, titled "Concertos and Arias" will take place on October 14, 2017 at the Port Elgin United Church. The concert will feature Ian Sadler Organist; Adrian Little, Pianist; Christina Edwards, Pianist along with several well-known vocalists! Tickets will be available soon! For more information, please contact the Foundation Office at 519-797-3230.

## Financial Results

- Annual Dollars Raised (April 2016–March 2017) = \$551,520
- Campaign Dollars Raised (April 2016–March 2017) = \$415,443
  - TOTAL RAISED = \$966,963 (pg. 7 of audited statement)
- Endowment Revenue = \$90,050 (pg. 12 of audited statement)
- TOTAL EXPENDITURES = \$157,618 (pg. 7 of audited statement)

**Total \$ Transferred to GBHS = \$1,226,224!**

## Equipment We Purchased

### Our Southampton Hospital

- Flooring
- Patient Monitoring Equipment
- Cardiac Monitoring Equipment
- Beds, Mattresses & Stretchers
- Patient Furniture & Chairs
- Pediatric Crash Cart
- Infection Control Tent
- Probe Reprocessing Unit
- IV Pumps

### Our Regional Hospital

- Yag Laser
- Humphrey Field Analyzer
- Urodynamic Upgrade
- LOOP Recorders
- IT and Administration Needs
- Histology Processor
- Microscope
- Power Lift for Ambulance
- Commodes

## Why We Do What We Do



- The Provincial Government funds operating costs but provides very little funding for updating hospital equipment.
- The Province expects communities to support their hospitals to purchase equipment and also provide funds when new builds or expansions occur. This is NOT going to change.

Your dollars helped to save Kyleigh's life!

## Chair's Remarks

On behalf of the Board of Directors, the volunteers and all of the patients who have come through the doors this year, I would like to thank you all for your continued support to Saugeen Memorial Hospital. This past year has been very successful. We were able to transfer \$1,226,224 donor dollars to GBHS to pay for priority medical equipment and for the Emergency Room/Laboratory Expansion Project. That is phenomenal! Do you know how many lives your donations will touch? We anticipate transferring more donor dollars to the corporation as the construction phase comes to a close for this amazing project. In closing, I would like to thank Merle Rath for his 6 years of service on the Foundation Board of Directors and welcome John Divinski, Dianne Gowan and Cathe McIntosh who have now joined the Board.

Jim Barbour, Chair



2017-18 Board of Directors

If you would like to see a copy of our audited financial statements, please visit [smhfoundation.ca](http://smhfoundation.ca). You can make a donation to the Hospital Foundation online at [imagem.ca](http://imagem.ca) or [smhfoundation.ca](http://smhfoundation.ca), call the office at 519-797-3230, ext. 3230, or e-mail us at [info@smhfoundation.ca](mailto:info@smhfoundation.ca)

## Jennifer Wright

When Jennifer Wright was hired as the Philanthropy Officer for the Five Foundations, she made a personal commitment and became a monthly donor. And thus she has begun her journey to including the Foundation in her estate decisions. You too can start your legacy by becoming a regular donor to the Foundation.



There are many options from which you can choose:

- Become a monthly or annual donor
- Designate a life insurance policy to the Foundation (as owner or beneficiary)
- Name the Foundation as a beneficiary on your RRSP or RRIF
- Purchase a security for the Foundation or name the Foundation as a beneficiary
- Leave a bequest or an endowment to the Foundation in your will.

Helping YOUR hospital is easy. Help keep YOUR hospital close to home. For questions on legacy giving, please contact Jennifer Wright at: 519-371-2121, ext. 2205.

## Thoughts On Giving

It's Friday afternoon, sunny and warm and I am working on this Annual Report. As I work, I am pondering the reasons why people give to the Foundation. I've heard many reasons and I thought I'd share snippets of some things that people say to me when I ask them why they give.

- I give because this hospital took great care of my Dad before he passed away. I just can't imagine what it would be like if this hospital was not here or not well equipped.
- I give because my children were born here. I brought them to the ER throughout their growing up years— for fevers, illnesses, sports injuries, etc. and I could always count on excellent care.
- I give because I believe that having a hospital in our community is really important.
- I give because the nurse in Emergency was really wonderful when I was badly injured in a car accident.
- I give because ... well ... because you just never know when you're going to need the hospital and I want to know that I did my part to keep it well equipped.

It always touches me deeply to hear the reasons. Did you know that the staff here truly go above and beyond? They have planned weddings and special anniversary celebrations for terminally ill patients. They have worked through double shifts when the roads are closed due to snowstorms. They are amazing. And they usually know you by name or if not, they know someone you know or someone related to you! We try to make it easy for you to give, but first it comes from your heart. And it always brings me to tears when your heart recognizes the need. Thank you to all of you.

Sally Kidson, Executive Director

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