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WINDSOR REGIONAL HOSPITAL OUTSTANDING CARE-NO EXCEPTIONS!



Seek first to understand and then to be understood. ~Stephen R. Covey

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GLENGARDA LEAVES A LEGACY GIFT

The Board of Directors of Glengarda Child and Family Services, as their final official act as a Board, donated approximately \$145,000 to Windsor Regional Hospital to provide future financial security to children who require mental health services.

In early 2012, Glengarda Child and Family Services and the Windsor Regional Children's Centre (now known as the Hôtel-Dieu Grace Healthcare Regional Children's Centre) announced an agreement for a full integration of services, where all children's mental health services from 6 to 12 years will be delivered by the RCC. An evaluation was conducted and completed thereafter by the Centre for Organizational Effectiveness concluding that the decision was appropriate and effective.

"It was the mission of Glengarda Child and Family Services to empower each child, family and individual to achieve their optimal mental health," stated Tony Gualtieri, Chair of Glengarda.

"The Glengarda Legacy Fund was an accumulation of fundraising activities that are now held by the Windsor Regional Hospital Foundation. Upon thanking the Glengarda Board members, Ilias Kiritsis, President/Chair of the Windsor



(Left to right) Bob Renaud, Board Vice Chair, WRH; Raoul Rusich, Glengarda Board member; Ilias Kiritsis, President/Chair, WRH Foundation; Tony Gualtieri, Chair, Glengarda Board; Paul Kale and Phil Brennan, Glengarda Board members.

Regional Hospital Foundation Board stated, "I encourage the community to continue to support the Glengarda Legacy Fund to provide a future for those children and their families afflicted with social, emotional and behavior issues."

EID GIRLS 7TH BIRTHDAY BASH

Ava and Bri Eid know how to 'pay it forward'! As members of the Tecumseh Windsor Wildcats, they have encouraged their team and their families to support their annual hockey tournament and request funds in lieu of birthday gifts.

This year, the hockey event raised \$3,200 for Windsor Regional Hospital's Paediatric Oncology Unit and Child Life Services.

The girls Windsor Wildcats team played the Tecemseh Eagles. Although they lost the game, these girls are winners for giving back to their community



Front row I to r: Bri Eid, Ava Eid, Chris Pestru, Candice Pestru; Middle Row I to r: Katie Parent, Katie Fetes Cameron Pestru; Back Row I to r: Maria Eid, Kelly Bartnick, Ursula DeBono, Chris Pestru Sr.

through their unselfish gesture of goodwill by donating their birthday donations to the Windsor Regional Hospital Foundation.

You will hear 'Lean on Me' & Brahm's Lullaby broadcast at both Campuses (Ouellette & Met) of Windsor Regional Hospital.

Brahm's Lullaby signifies a birth at Windsor Regional Hospital.

Every time you hear 'Lean On Me', take a moment to remember our Vision:

Provide Outstanding Care – No Exceptions!

Whether you work directly with patients or not, our hope is that the sentiment behind the song inspires you to help a visitor find their way, ask a patient how they're feeling, or tell a co-worker that you appreciate them.

Most importantly, keep in mind that at Windsor Regional Hospital, "Compassion is our Passion."

OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH & SAFETY ALERT!

The Windsor Regional Hospital Joint Health & Safety Committee note that medication fridges should only hold produce they are intended to contain. Health Care Regulation 67/93 (S.31) and WRH Medication Policy indicates that no food or drink can be stored in medication fridges. If you have a question about the policy, contact your Unit Manager.

WRH TAKES TO THE ROAD!

The Voyageur Shuttle Service that transports staff at the Met Campus from the Kildare Parking Lot to the hospital have added Windsor Regional Hospital's Compassion is Our Passion logos. The Voyageur Shuttle Service operates approximately 18 hours daily during weekdays, ensuring staff are transported from their vehicles to the hospital and back on a timely basis.



TEE OFF IN MEMORY OF A FRIEND

Two years ago Robert Knudsen co-founded an annual golf tournament for local charity. This past year, the tournament was held in his honour and the money donated to Windsor Regional Hospital's Cardiac Program. When 47-year-old Knudsen died of a heart attack last spring, the former car dealer's coworkers and family decided to rename the tournament the Robert Knudsen Annual Charity Golf Tournament.

One hundred and thirty two players hit the green for this

year's tournament, raising close to \$9200 for the cardiac program. Knudsen's son Zack, his wife Kelly Platt and his good friend and coworker at Easy Wheels, Ryan Eagen, presented a cheque to the hospital.



Eagen says as local car dealers, Knudsen felt supporting charity was par for the course. "It is our way of getting car dealerships together to give back to the community."

PAMPERING NEVER FELT SO GOOD!

January 20th is known as the gloomiest day of the year; however, it didn't appear so bad for staff when the 7th Annual 'Look & Feel Your Best' Spa Day was held at both the Ouellette and Met Campuses.

Complimentary mini-esthetic services were offered along with a special appearance by handwriting analysis expert, Elaine Charal, a certified Graphologist. Elaine entertained staff during her 'Power of the Pen' videoconference presentation. Lineups at both the Met and Ouellette Campus attested to her popularity.

For a few hours on January 20th, the mid-winter blues were left behind with staff being pampered at Windsor Regional Hospital.



TWO GREAT UPCOMING SPORTING EVENTS FOR HATS ON FOR HEALTHCARE SUPPORTING TRAUMA SERVICES!



February 6th, 2014 - Windsor Spitfire Hockey Game Vouchers* only \$15 each! Contact Danielle at ext. 32539, Ben at ext. 52449 or visit the Foundation/Public Affairs office at either Campus to get your tickets today!



February 7th, 2014 - Windsor Express Basketball Game Tickets* are only \$2!! Limited seating available. Contact Danielle at ext. 32539, Ben at ext. 52449 or visit the Foundation/Public Affairs office at either Campus to get your tickets today!

*Spitfire Vouchers are only available until January 31, 2014 and Express Tickets are available until February 4th, 2014



DID YOU KNOW?

In 1960, the Metropolitan Store on Ouellette Ave. experienced an explosion when a gas leak ignited during a furnace repair. Over 100 people were injured - many of whom were brought to Hôtel-Dieu of St. Joseph Hospital. Responders at the time reported going to the Emergency Entrance off of Erie Street.