

NEWSLETTER



Construction of the Future Hospice Quinte Care Centre Progressing Well

On September 9th, 2020, Hospice Quinte was joined by Bay of Quinte MPP Todd Smith, Quinte West Mayor Jim Harrison, Belleville Mayor Mitch Panciuk and other local dignitaries for a special groundbreaking ceremony to officially kick-off construction of the new Hospice Quinte Care Centre.

Our construction team has been working hard since the groundbreaking three months ago, and we are extremely excited to share this update regarding construction progress of the Hospice Quinte Care Centre.

During the months of November and December we've seen the exterior of the building go up, including walls and roof trusses. Peak Construction Group, our general contractor for the project, has worked hard to stay on schedule and has completed a lot of site work, including soil preparation and underground trenching. A significant amount of underground electrical and mechanical work has also been completed.

Peak is currently working on putting plywood on the

roof, and installing windows and doors, which should be complete by the end of December to prepare for winter construction. In January 2021, Peak will continue to focus on interior work, such as plumbing, electrical, in-floor heating pipes and interior fire sprinkler system.

We are forever thankful for every donation that we have received to make Quinte's dream of a Hospice Quinte Care Centre a reality. It is the generosity and support of people like you that has allowed us to progress quickly and successfully with the construction. Thank you from the bottom of our hearts for helping us **#MakeltHappen!**

**Happy Holidays and Wishes for
a Safe and Happy New Year!**

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Hospice Quinte Office Holiday Hours

Thurs. Dec. 24, 2020 ~ Closed at 12pm
Fri. Dec. 25, 2020 - Fri. Jan 2, 2021 ~ Closed
Mon. Jan. 4, 2021 ~ Open at 9:30am

Heart & Home Campaign Gets \$25K Boost Courtesy of Wilkinson & Company LLP



(L-R): Adrian DeGroot, Kurt Gregoire, Tim Clark, Kris Himberg-Larsen & Andrea DiRocco (Hospice Quinte Capital Cabinet Member)

Hospice Quinte's *Heart & Home Building Campaign* has received a boost to the tune of \$25K from the local business and financial professionals at Wilkinson & Company LLP. In 1964, the company's founder Wilfrid Wilkinson, began promoting the important values of caring for community, charitable giving and 'goodwill to all' among his staff. This benevolent mindset is something the company's partners and staff continue to foster today.

"It gives our team great joy to donate to the *Heart & Home Building Campaign*," says Business Partner Kris Himberg-Larsen. "The essential services that will be provided by the future Hospice Quinte Care Centre are desperately needed in our community."

"With construction of the facility now fully-underway we saw an opportunity to give a gift that's needed in order to bring this vital community project to fruition," adds Himberg-Larsen.

Wilkinson & Company LLP will be recognized at the new centre in the Executive Director's office where a commemorative plaque will be placed to acknowledge the company's caring contribution.

Caring Clubs Show Hospice Quinte Support



(L-R): Mike Cowan (Quinte West Inter-Service Club President) and Jennifer May-Anderson (Hospice Quinte Executive Director)

On Thurs. Nov. 5th, Quinte West Inter-Service Club President, Mike Cowan, presented Hospice Quinte Executive Director, Jennifer May-Anderson, with the club's very generous donation of \$2K in support of the *Heart & Home Building Campaign*.

Thank you from the bottom of our hearts for your generosity, support, and for helping us 'Make It Happen'



(L-R): Karin Gorgerat and Toby Toth of BPW Hastings & Prince Edward, and Sandi Ramsay (Hospice Quinte Donor Relations Manager)

Hospice Quinte would like to thank all of the members of BPW Hastings & Prince Edward for their thoughtful contribution of \$1,400 in support of the *Heart & Home Building Campaign*. Hospice Quinte was selected as the recipient of the funds raised from the Club's online auction efforts this fall. Thank you from the bottom of our hearts!

Holiday Quilt Raffle Winner Announced!



(L-R): Hospice Quinte Volunteer, Shelby MacPherson & Ryan Parliament, Co-Owner of Foxboro Foodland

Congratulations to the winner of the Holiday Quilt Raffle, Gwen McKeown from Foxboro! Hospice Quinte would like to thank everyone who participated by purchasing tickets, as well as Shelby MacPherson, for so generously donating the quilt and organizing the raffle on our behalf.

A grand total of \$1,880.00 was raised and will be directed to the *Heart & Home Building Campaign*, in support of the future Hospice Quinte Care Centre.

Hospice Quinte would also like to thank Ryan & Brad Parliament of Foxboro Foodland for supporting tickets sales for the raffle, and for all their contributions and efforts in supporting local charities throughout the community.