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Breath of Spring '07

Our goal this year is to raise \$58,000 to purchase a Digital Processor for the new Operating Room at Kootenay Lake Hospital. A camera and light source in one, this equipment is used during gastrointestinal scope procedures such as colonoscopy and gastroscopy. The Digital Processor projects the images from the scope to a flat panel screen, which provides the endoscopist a real time image as the scopes are passed through the intestinal tract.

To date we have raised over \$42,000, and it's not too late to make your donation. Simply contact Bryna at the KLH Foundation office at 354-2334 or send your donation to:

Kootenay Lake Hospital Foundation
3 View Street
Nelson, BC V1L 2V1

7th ANNUAL LEGACY GOLF EVENT



Sunday, August 19, 2007
Granite Pointe Golf Club
"4 Person Scramble"
Fun for Golfers of All Abilities

Proceeds from this event will be directed to the Kootenay Lake Hospital Foundation Legacy Fund.

Register Now By Calling:
352-5913 or 354-2334
\$100 per player (including dinner)
"Just Dinner" option is \$35 per person
(reservations required)

Golf for the Health of it!

Message from the Chair...
The state of the Foundation is good!

That probably says it all for KLHF as we have had a wonderful year meeting targets in our campaigns, a very successful golf event and granting over a quarter of a Million dollars to Kootenay Lake Hospital.

The Annual Legacy Golf Event just keeps getting better. Last year's event attracted the most players ever at 121, and over \$16,000 was raised for the Legacy Fund. Special thanks to the Golf Committee and Mike Bonderoff for their hard work in keeping the momentum going. Please join us for this year's event on August 19.

Die Another Day at Kootenay Lake Hospital was another very successful event, produced by Nadine Steele, and starring staff from the Hospital. It sold out 3 shows and raised over \$17,000, with proceeds going to the Legacy Fund. Look for show dates next February for Wanted Dead or Alive...at Kootenay Lake Hospital.

It's been a great year and we have so much more to look forward to. The Foundation successfully raised \$280,000 to purchase new equipment for the \$1.2 Million Operating Room renovations at Kootenay Lake Hospital. The renovations are complete and the OR is open.

Finally, I would like to thank the Directors and volunteers that help keep our Foundation healthy. There is a tremendous amount of work that goes on behind the scenes, and without their dedication and enthusiasm, we would not be where we are today.

"We make a living by what we make. We make a life by what we give."

Winston Churchill

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- UPCOMING EVENTS**

 - ★ August 19...Seventh Annual Legacy Golf Event
 - ★ September 5...Annual General Meeting
 - ★ December 7...All Hit KBS Pledge Day
 - ★ January 1...Polar Bear Dip
 - ★ February 22-23 ...Wanted Dead or Alive...at Kootenay Lake Hospital



**MEDICAL EQUIPMENT
PURCHASED BY
KOOTENAY LAKE
HOSPITAL FOUNDATION
June 1, 2006 to May 31, 2007**

Haematology Analyzer
Paediatric Scale and Cart
Washer Disinfector
Vital Signs Monitors
Warming Cabinet
LCD Flat Panel Surgical Monitors
OR Lights, Cabinets & Storage Systems for new Operating Rooms
Column for Anaesthetic Gases
Dental Drill



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bryna.idler@interiorhealth.ca

www.kootenaylakehospitalfoundation.com

Have you viewed our website lately?


Check out:

- List of Foundation Events
- Send an E-Hug to a patient
- Ways to give, including Paypal, a secure way to make your donation online.
- ...and much more!

"They who give have all the things. They who withhold have nothing."


Hindu Proverb

Make Your Donations Count

Planned gifts to the Kootenay Lake Hospital Foundation may be made in several ways. One method of giving is to make a Bequest in your will. You may choose to bequest cash, securities, property and annuities to the Foundation after other bequests and debts have been paid. This is a flexible and practical way to provide financial resources to Kootenay Lake Hospital. Contact the Foundation office or your financial planner for more information. 

Building Our Legacy

The purpose of the Legacy Fund is to establish a long-term financial base of \$5 million over the next several years. The investment income of these funds will provide a perpetual source of income, enabling the Foundation to meet the ever increasing demand for updated medical equipment for our hospital.


The Legacy Fund currently stands at \$1.4 million. Funds are raised through events such as the Legacy Golf Event and the medical staff performances at the Capitol Theatre, as well as from donations from individuals, service organizations and businesses. 

CARE PLAN

*Sustain our hospital for less than
your daily cup of coffee.*

Care Plan is our monthly donor plan. It offers the ease of expressing your generosity and caring concern for our community hospital in low monthly contributions.

Your donation of \$5, \$10, \$25 or even \$100 per month will help sustain our hospital, providing ongoing funding for much needed medical equipment. Donations can be made by automatic deductions from your bank account or credit card. And you may cancel your subscription to CarePlan at any time by contacting the Hospital Foundation office.

Each January, a charitable receipt will be sent to you for the prior year. When you join CarePlan, your donation will go to where the need for equipment is greatest. As a member of CarePlan, your donation will be working harder to ensure our community hospital is well equipped, and you will be recognized as a Benefactor to The View Street Pioneers Society. 

For more information about Foundation fundraising initiatives, visit us at our website:
www.kootenaylakehospitalfoundation.com