

# Hospice Update Fall 2022

Construction on the Hospice began in April and so much has happened at the site of Lionel Kelland Hospice! On the third level where residents' rooms are located, drywall is being installed. The central elevator shaft work is done and the exterior's stone facing has been fitted. The electrical and mechanical work are well underway. We are happy to report that construction is on schedule and that the Hospice is still on target to begin operations in late spring of 2023.

The Hospice will feature amenities that create a comfortable, nurturing environment, including a kitchen serving fresh, homemade meals, a living room, a sacred place, and space for family members to stay overnight. Serving people of all ages and cultural backgrounds, the Hospice will offer both residential and community outreach programs.

In addition to the construction progress, we have begun the recruitment process for an Executive Director for the Hospice and are aiming to have the position filled by December 2022.





## **EVERY MOMENT MATTERS**

We are so very grateful for every single donation we have received since the Hospice Project began. In June of 2021, we launched the Every Moment Matters Campaign and individuals, families, businesses and community groups have joined our quest to raise the funds needed to open the doors of the province's first community-based hospice.

The generosity of our caring community means that those who spend their last days at Lionel Kelland Hospice receive the care, respect and dignity they deserve. Every donation we receive is helping create a comfortable and private place that will allow families to be together and say their last goodbyes, when every moment matters.





The Every Moment Matters campaign has been blessed with generous donations from individuals, companies, families and foundations. A complete list of our supporters may be found on our website at:

https://lionelkellandhospice.ca/support/

We are grateful to these donors and to those who give anonymously.



#### On Air - October 12, 2022 - Every Moment Matters Radiothon

Our signature Every Moment Matters Radiothon event is coming up on October 12! You can donate in advance by giving online at

https://www.canadahelps.org/en/charities/killick-hospice-care-inc/

Or tune in to CKGA and CKCM on October 12 and call us with your donation. We are hoping that we'll exceed our total from last year - \$44,000. Help us get there!

# HIKE FOR HOSPICE SUCCESS

We couldn't be more proud of our very first Hike for Hospice Event held in June! There were a total of 194 participants in virtual hikes and in our community hike. We had 22 Teams participate from all over the province. We are grateful to everyone who participated and to the 1004 people who donated to Hike for Hospice 2022.













Together we raised a total of \$64,454!

## SENDING HEARTFELT THANKS TO OUR HIKING TEAMS!

Marathon Miners Hospice Board Team

George, Bill, Wally and Ben Team Every Moment Matters Team

The Lovelies

Forest Park Rangers

The Bay Mollys

Randy Whiteway Team

Frampton Duo

DHTHCC Nurses

GFW Lions Club

Woodland ROCKS Team

**Bottom Dwellers** 

EVI Eagles
Prime Creative

Madonna's Madcaps!

Central Clerks

Anna's Angels

Sprucewood Sprinters

Popsy's Trotters

Town of GFW Staff and Families

We couldn't have done this without all of our hikers, supporters, our presenting sponsor Marathon Gold Corporation, the Town of Grand Falls-Windsor, and the Hike Planning Committee. Thank you for making our first Hike for Hospice an incredible success!

## You can donate safely and securely here:

## Make a Donation

### Third Party Events

So many people in the community support Lionel Kelland Hospice. We are encouraged by those who organize events that raise funds to help build our hospice. In the past year, there have been many community-level activities to include Jeans Days, Smile Cookie Campaign, a Lemonade Stand, paddling events by Kayak Central and Crescent Lake Kayak Group, Last Call at the Oasis, and Mount Peyton Hotel. Stay tuned for an event coming up in December, Dinner Theatre in Botwood.

If you or your group would like to organize an event in support of Lionel Kelland Hospice, get in touch at info@lionelkellandhospice.ca.

#### Learn More

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