



Accolades

FROM THE BETHELL HOSPICE FOUNDATION • FALL 2015 ISSUE

**September 30, 2015
is your last chance**

to make a gift to the Bethell Hospice Foundation
5th Anniversary Matching Gift Challenge.



*"Bethell House is in the most awesome setting
for anyone to spend their end-of-life days...
and all the people who keep this facility running
so smoothly do it with such love and dedication...
Thank you all from the bottom of our hearts."*

Yvonne, Ivan & Trevor Phillips
IN MEMORY OF YASMIN LOBO

In honour of Bethell House's fifth year serving the community, the Foundation Board of Directors will match **dollar for dollar** every gift to the 5th Anniversary Fund, to a total of \$85,000. That means every gift to the Fund will help twice as much!



Please make your gift today!

**Donate online at www.bethellhospice.org
or call the Fundraising Office at 905-838-3534.**

Remember to designate your gift to the Matching Gift Challenge Fund when you call.



Here when you need us



Hike for Bethell Hospice

Hikes Raise a Record \$115,000



Two Hikes for Bethell Hospice were held again this year – Sunday, May 3 in Inglewood and Saturday, May 9 in Bolton.

Hundreds of participants gathered pledges and hiked the Caledon Trailway in Inglewood, or Dick's Dam Park & Boston Mills Park Trail in Bolton. Hikers received a commemorative hike t-shirt, participated in the balloon release ceremony, and filled the memory board with photos and remembrances of friends and family members.



"As long as I am able, I will be there to support Bethell Hospice, as I know personally how valuable a service it provides. Thank you for being there."

Nell Crathern

CAPTAIN OF NELL FOR CALEDON EAST

Special thanks to all our hikers

Your participation and gathering of pledges made this year's hike the most successful event ever!

Congratulations to our Top Individual Fundraisers and Top Hike Fundraising Teams – we are so grateful for your belief in the importance of Bethell Hospice in our community.

Top Hike Fundraisers

Kasia Seydegart
Shirley Cain
Tricia Cain
Tim Powell
Richard Paterak

Nora Martin
David Lyons
Cheryl Brolley
Pamela Porter
Roger Crathern

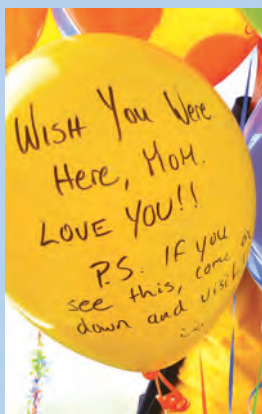
Top Hike Fundraising Teams

Board Walker
Life is Good
Cavalier Crusaders
Woodhall Park
Team Katy

Girls in the Woods
Don's Angels
Nell for Caledon East
Georgia Girls
Di's Daisies

Many thanks to our Platinum Community Partners





"My mother, as well as my entire family, were treated with such dignity, warmth and care... and the staff and volunteers were just incredible... I feel indebted to this lovely place, and feel that this is the way I can give back to other families... [We hike] in honour of my mom, and it is my mission to do so as long as I can. It is a time for my family and friends to come together and continue her memory and, at the same time, give to a great cause."

Nelia Senra

CAPTAIN OF TEAM MARIA PONTES



Thanks also to our Sponsors

Silver Sponsors

Hogg & Nevills Electric, Lafarge Canada Inc., Mowbray Wright Financial Investment Planning Counsel, Thomas Carberry Insurance

Bronze Sponsors

Balzan Truck Centre Inc., BDO Financial Services, Choice Auto, Dods & McNair Funeral Home Chapel & Reception Centre, Egan Funeral Home, James Dick Aggregate, J.S. Jones & Son Funeral Home, TD Bank

Route Sponsors

Arbor Memorial Inc., Butcher Family Funeral Home

Refreshment Sponsors

Caledon Lions Club, Fortinos, MacGregors Meat and Seafood, Shoppers Drug Mart, Spring Meadow Bakery, Tim Hortons.

Plan to join us for next year's Hikes
for Bethell Hospice on

**May 1, 2016 in Inglewood
and May 7, 2016 in Bolton**



"[At the hike, we] honour the memory of our dear friend, Laurie Torikian, and support Bethell Hospice. We see the hike as time for the Whitehead Crescent Girls to reminisce about Laurie, support her children (Tara, Christina and Wesley), share some laughs and create new memories. For us, involving our children has also been a very special aspect of the hike, as they understand the money that they raised will help other families like the Torikian's in their time of need. We are proud to walk, and look forward to creating another sea of purple shirts at next year's hike."

Wanda Buote

CAPTAIN OF THE FILTER QUEENS

Community Champions 2015

Thank you for all the wonderful Community Fundraisers held already this year in support of Bethell Hospice Foundation. You make the work of Bethell Hospice possible:

Bolton Oldtimers Hockey League
 Bookworms Book Group
 Bowlathon in Memory of Kaitlin Bolton & Al Bolton
 Brampton Flight Centre Light Up the Runway Walk
 Caledon Senior Men's Hockey League – Team Rutherford
 Catholic Women's League Bake Sale
 Cavalier Employee Golf Tournament
 Chinguacousy Lions Club 45th Annual Steak BBQ Dinner
 Corvette Club of Ontario 50/50 Draw
 Cycle for Bethell Hospice Team at the Healing Cycle Ride
 Downsizing Divas Storage Room Organization
 Friends of Brian Swatuk Crown & Anchor Fundraiser
 Garage Sale Fundraiser in Memory of Don Olson
 Glen Eagle Golf Tournament for Bethell Hospice
 Halton-Peel District Association Guest Speaker,
 Dr. R. K. House
 Hearts for Bethell Hospice Jewellery Sales in Memory
 of Darlene Cain
 Hope with Art Easels
 Joy of Music Benefit Concert
 Royal Bank of Canada, Mayfield Road Branch,
 Gardening Blitz at Bethell Hospice
 Spirit Horse Reiki Meditation Evenings
 Spirit Tree Cidery Family Day Wassailing Festival
 Wasaga Beach Rotary Polar Plunge Participant,
 Michelle Santos



DONOR PROFILE



Bethell Hospice Foundation has a real friend in Scotiabank!

Through the Scotiabank Team Community Program, Scotiabank provides support for charities within their local communities.

Unlike more traditional corporate sponsorships, the Scotiabank program is built on the concept of matching funds for events that Scotiabank's own employees volunteer their time to support.



Photo: Pete Paterson



Branch Manager, Janet Eichholz, and her team at the First Street Orangeville Branch have supported Bethell Hospice Foundation events for many years. More recently, Bolton Branch Manager, Frank Macellaio, and his team came on board for the 2014 Hike for Bethell Hospice in Bolton, and have been strong advocates ever since.

In addition to volunteering at the Hikes for Bethell Hospice each year and being heavily involved in the *Caring for Our Community* Lottery last summer, teams from Scotiabank have also supported community events benefitting Bethell Hospice, including the Glen Eagle Golf Tournament, Palgrave Rotary Wines of the World, and a fundraiser with celebrity chef Christine Cushing at Broadway Farm's Market to name a few.

Since 2010, Scotiabank volunteers have matched over \$85,000 in community support for Bethell Hospice. Many thanks to everyone at Scotiabank for your belief in the importance of Bethell Hospice in our community.

Thank You!

The Board of Directors wishes to thank all those who recently made gifts to Bethell Hospice Foundation in memory of a loved one.

Your support ensures that Bethell Hospice services are available at no cost to residents, program participants or their families.

Thank you for your belief in the importance of palliative care in our community.

For a list of past Bethell Hospice residents, please visit the 'Memorial Book' section of our website www.bethellhospice.org. Donations always gratefully accepted online or by phone 905-838-3534.



C E L E B R A T E

Light & Love at Bethell Hospice



As the holiday season approaches, friends of Bethell Hospice are encouraged to buy a light to honour someone special in their lives, or in memory of someone they loved.



Last year, almost \$125,000 was raised during our Celebration of Light & Love, and 325 individuals were honoured at a beautiful tree lighting ceremony at Bethell Hospice.

This year, our tree lighting ceremony and reception will take place at Bethell Hospice on December 17 at 6:00 p.m. to honour all those remembered.

To remember someone special with the gift of Light & Love, call the Fundraising Office at 905-838-3534 anytime or donate online at www.bethellhospice.org beginning in October.



"In the quiet of the night, our loved ones names were read aloud... Then each of their names were quietly repeated back by the large crowd... Every person there knew how important this was... You could hear the reverence in their voices... It was comforting to stand with so many others that understood... To hear my sister's name was so overwhelming and so very healing... It stands out to be one of the most important moments in working through my grief... I will be buying a light once again for my sister, and for my father who has also since passed."

Jane Skeffington

UPCOMING COMMUNITY EVENTS IN SUPPORT OF BETHELL HOSPICE

Bethell Hospice Annual General Meeting

Celebrate 5 Years of Bethell House & 25 Years in the Community

Thursday, September 15, 6:30 p.m. | Millrace Room at the Alton Mill

1402 Queen Street, Caledon

For information or to RSVP, contact Teresa Waldner at twaldner@bethellhospice.org



Caledon Pit Run

Organized by Lafarge & Aecon

Saturday, September 12 | Caledon Pit

2nd Concession of Caledon within the Caledon Pit
(west of Willoughby Road & south of Charleston Sideroad)

Registration opens at 9 a.m., first event begins at 10 a.m.
1K Kids' Fun Run, 5K Run/Walk, 1K Family Walk.

For information or to register, go to www.caledonpitrun.ca



Don Olson Classic

Organized by 310 Running

Saturday, October 3 | Albion Hills Conservation Area

16500 Highway 50, Bolton

Registration opens at 9 a.m., first event begins at 10 a.m.
2.5K Run/Walk (for Athletes 14 & Under), 5K Run/Walk for All Ages.

For information or to register, go to www.310running.com/don-olson-classic/



Bethell Hospice Christmas Bazaar

Organized by Bethell Hospice Foundation Board

Saturday, November 21, 9 a.m. – 3 p.m. | Inglewood Community Centre

15825 McLaughlin Road, Inglewood

Handmade items, homemade baking & jams, jewellery, unique gift ideas & more!

For information, contact Tricia Cain at **416-432-0085** or tricia.cain@hotmail.com



Caring | Compassion | Comfort | Respect | Empathy | Love | Serenity | Peace | Beauty

**Watch our Spring 2016 Newsletter as we celebrate
25 Years of Hospice Care in our Community.**

Your support makes the work of Bethell Hospice possible.



Wellness, Pain and Symptom Management Clinic

Caledon Specialist Clinic

Thursday Afternoons

12:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

18 King Street East, Unit L9, Bolton

Led by Dr. Michael Gagnon, Medical Director
at Bethell Hospice

A caring environment where individuals living with a life-limiting illness can interact with others experiencing similar challenges and gain support from a dedicated team of staff and volunteers.

Referrals accepted from physicians, other health and human service providers and self-referral.



For more information or to register for the Clinic, please contact Intake at 905-838-3534, ext. 2240 or email info@bethellhospice.org.

Donate Now!

Bethell Hospice programs and services are only partially covered by our Ontario health care system. Each year, 40% of the funds necessary to operate Bethell Hospice must be raised through local fundraising efforts.

I would like to contribute:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000 (Bethell Benefactor) | <input type="checkbox"/> \$500 (Companion) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$5,000 (Leader) | <input type="checkbox"/> \$250 (Friend) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$2,500 (Partner) | <input type="checkbox"/> \$100 (Donor) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$1,500 (Supporter) | <input type="checkbox"/> Other Amount _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$1,000 (Mentor) | |

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Postal Code: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

(for tax receipt and communication)

DONATION OPTIONS

- ☐ I have enclosed a cheque (payable to Bethell Hospice Foundation)
☐ Please charge my ☐ Visa ☐ Mastercard ☐ American Express
One Time Gift, Monthly, Bi-Monthly, Annually (please circle one)

Card # _____ Expiry Date: _____

Name on Card: _____

Amount: \$ _____

Signature: _____

- ☐ I would like my gift to remain anonymous.
☐ I have included Bethell Hospice Foundation in my will.

To donate today, please complete form and mail to:

Bethell Hospice Foundation
P.O. Box 75, Inglewood, Ontario L7C 3L6
or go to www.bethellhospice.org to give securely online

Charitable Registration #82636 7948 RR0001 Tax receipts are issued for all gifts of \$20 or more.




Donations should be payable to:

Bethell Hospice Foundation
P.O. Box 75, Inglewood, Ontario L7C 3L6

For more information, please call:

Tel: 905.838.3534

Email: foundation@bethellhospice.org

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