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Our Community, Our Healthcare



The 2014-2015 Annual Report is now available! View it in the new 'flipbook' format.

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Be sure to check out the online companion page for more in-depth info about the

purchased equipment, our thank you video to all our supporters and full stories from the past year.

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Telemedicine at Sault Area Hospital

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The importance of Telemedicine at Sault Area Hospital is clear. The benefits it has to the patient and their family is measured by each kilometer, dollar and minute, but the immeasurable factors like

comfort and ease of mind are what truly make this program amazing. Telemedicine helps reduce the distance between the patient and special care needed. The Foundation received a generous contribution from **Brookfield Renewable Energy Group** to purchase the equipment needed to support this program and all the great this program does...

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We also received an amazing story about a family that was brought together during a difficult time using telemedicine. To read this incredible story...

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SooBoys Charity Golf Classic - Grand Finale



The tenth and final SooBoys Charity Golf Classic ended an era for this amazing fundraiser. Our community cannot thank the members of the organizing committee enough for their

efforts over the years. These former Saultites helped raise funds to purchase medical equipment for our hospital, even though they don't live in Sault Ste. Marie. Whether they have an

what equipment our hospital requires? [Click Here](#) to view the full list of medical equipment our Foundation will be raising funds for throughout the current fiscal year!

Got A Fundraising Opportunity?

We are always looking for new opportunities to raise funds to help purchase equipment for patient care. If you have any ideas,

[send us an Email!](#)

Pino's Get Fresh Invitational Golf Tournament

The Pino's Get Fresh Invitational Golf Tournament was once again the marquee golf event of the summer.

Golfers united to compete while supporting the healthcare in our

existing connection with our community or just love the city they grew up in, they stood by 'the Soo' and have made a difference. The SooBoys Charity Golf Classic has raised over \$300,000 in the ten years it's been running! Read the full story published in the Sault Star.

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5 Car Draw - 26 Years Strong



As we wrap up our first quarter, we have to look back at our longest running and largest scale fundraiser. The 26th Annual 5 Car Draw was once again supported by this great community. Our Foundation celebrated

another successful year; **raising over \$159,000**, awarding 20 lucky winners with 15 cash prizes of \$1000 and 5 brand new locally purchased vehicles. Each ticket sold has helped our Foundation purchase the PACS (Picture Archiving Communications System) for the Diagnostic Imaging Department to help deliver quality healthcare. We want to thank everyone for their support and we look forward to kicking off the summer of 2016 with another excellent draw!

A Gift for CIBC Miracle Day



Greg Zahn and Adam Slumskie, Investment Advisors from the **CIBC Wood Gundy Intrinsic Financial Group** made a very generous gift as part of CIBC Miracle Day. Their \$25,000 gift has been used to help purchase a Vision2

Veinviewer as well as a BiliSoft LED Phototherapy System for the Maternal Child Department here at SAH. Read more about

proceeds of this tournament go to the Sault Area Hospital Foundation to purchase essential medical equipment at Sault Area Hospital.

The Pino's Get Fresh Invitational Golf Tournament kicked off bright and early on Monday, August 10th at Crimson Ridge. Stay tuned for an update on how the success of this tournament!



The Garden of Remembrance

This fall the SAHF will launch a new 'In Memory' recognition element. A large number of donors have continued to make gifts

this generous contribution.

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Poppy Committee Continue Charitable Trend



The **Royal Canadian Legion Branch #25 Poppy Committee** made a donation to our Foundation to help purchase new CADD (Computerized Ambulatory Drug Delivery) pumps for use at SAH. The Royal Canadian Legion

Branch #25 has been a great supporter of the healthcare in this community. This donation comes specifically from the proceeds from the Poppy Drive of 2014, in the weeks before Remembrance Day. The Poppy Trust Fund has given over \$230,000 to our Foundation over the years and we thank the committee for their efforts and commitment to our community.

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The Beacon of Hope - In Honour Wall

loved ones over the years. Their names have been on the Celebration of Life Recognition Wall but gifts continue to accumulate in their memory. To honour this, we are creating a recognition element to acknowledge accumulated gifts of \$10,000 in their memory. This outdoor fixture will be installed in the fall with a reception to honour the inaugural additions shortly after. For more information on this recognition opportunity, please contact Melissa Watson.

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Thank You For Reading!

Keep your face always toward the sunshine -



The Beacon of Hope now has a new recognition panel displaying the names of individuals who the Foundation has received gifts 'in their honour'. The Foundation has received many gifts over the years to honour individuals for acts of gratitude or kindness, healthcare professionals for exceptional care, as well as to celebrate milestones. The individuals named have had gifts accumulate to over \$1,000 in their honour.

This new panel is proudly displayed on the Beacon of Hope. Click the following links if you would like to make a gift [In Honour Of](#) someone or to [Thank a Healthcare Professional for their Great Care.](#)

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Take a look at the panel!

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behind you.

- *Walt Whitman*

Enjoy the Warm Weather!

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