

LOCAL PHILANTHROPIST CREATES A LASTING EXPRESSION OF CARE IN SUPPORT OF THE NORTHUMERLAND HILLS HOSPITAL FOUNDATION

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Northumberland County – Lynn Hardy loves this community. As a resident of Northumberland County for the past twelve years, Lynn has supported and involved herself with many different local organizations in this community she now calls home.

One of the many organizations that Lynn currently works with as a volunteer Board Member, and the Chair of the Planned Giving Committee, is the Northumberland Hills Hospital Foundation. It was this committee that developed and launched the Endowment Program in June 2005.

An endowment is an investment fund that is set aside to provide a source of long-term support for the hospital. Only the investment income earned, or a portion thereof, will be annually disbursed, leaving the principal in intact, providing permanent financial support to the hospital.

Lynn believes strongly in the benefits that an endowment fund provides and by being true to her beliefs, Lynn has recently created the “**Lynn Hardy Endowment Fund**”, in support of medical excellence in our community.

“Choosing the hospital as the recipient of this gift was an intuitive decision for me”, states Lynn. “My grandfather, Dr. E.B. Hardy, was a well recognized and respected physician in Toronto and by doing this I honour him and his work.”

“In addition, I will always be grateful for the excellent care provided to my mother when she was admitted to the former Cobourg hospital after suffering a stroke while visiting with me here in town.”

“I feel very fortunate to live and work in Cobourg and it brings me great pleasure to help the hospital with this endowment. I believe in and encourage philanthropy for those of all ages.”

For more information on Endowment Funds, please contact Rhonda Cunningham, Executive Director, Northumberland Hills Hospital Foundation at (905) 377-7767.

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