

20 YEARS ANNIVERSARY

20 Years of Caring & Coming Together For Our Patients



In 2022, we marked our *20th Anniversary*. As we reflect back, we extend a tremendous *thank you to our community* for two decades of caring & coming together to fund the needs of Groves Hospital! By giving to the Redevelopment, Oncology, CT Scan, Digital Mammography, New Groves Hospital, \$151, COVID-19 Relief, and Annual Campaigns, you have collectively contributed *over \$37 Million*; and changed the lives of countless patients. We are grateful for the ongoing support of our amazing community. We thank all of the many volunteers, including founding, past, & current Board Members and the GHVA for enabling us to continue our work of supporting GMCH.

Last year, donors contributed *\$2.54M*, funding items including; 2 Vital Signs Monitors, Ultrasound Machine, 2 Bassinets, Cardiac Monitor, Defibrillator, Picture Archiving & Communication System, & Medinet Interface. We unveiled the new Memorial Forest behind Groves (*planned, funded, & planted by Grand River Agricultural Society*), with trees & benches dedicated by donors in memory of loved ones. A small number of trees remain available to dedicate.

We remain focused on fundraising annually to allow staff & physicians to continue their vital work for the patients of GMCH, close to home. *Thank you!*



Board of Directors 2022-23:

Ilse VanderMeulen (*Chair*), Barbara Evoy (*Vice-Chair*), Adrian Carreiro (*Treasurer*), Cindy Lindsay (*Past Chair*), Dr. Greg J. Boland, Dr. Khalid Enver, Jerry Kooiman, Lisa MacDonald, Nate Martin, Butch Medemblik, Dr. Keegan Quadros, Ted Smith

Staff:

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Top 10 Highlights 2022-23

1

Celebrated our 20th Anniversary as a Foundation and over \$37M donated by the community.

2

Exceeded our fundraising goal with \$2.55M donated for vital equipment & technology upgrades at GMCH.

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Incredible community support, gratitude, & gifts for staff & physicians (gift cards, food, beverages, etc).

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Unveiling of the Memorial Forest; sponsored by Grand River Agricultural Society (\$105,000 raised to date).

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Next generation of donors gave back to Groves with car washes, birthday fundraisers, & ornament sales.

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Volunteers returned to GMCH & Celebrated their 90th Anniversary with a \$90,000 gift to fund 9 items.

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Honoured the retirement of several beloved physicians & staff, including our own Dr. Enver.

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Community Events returned to Centre Wellington & many chose Groves as the recipients for funds raised!

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Larger scale educational opportunities for staff were funded by our Endowments & RBC Nursing Bursary.

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Participated in the 2nd National Will Power Campaign; to raise awareness of Legacy Giving.