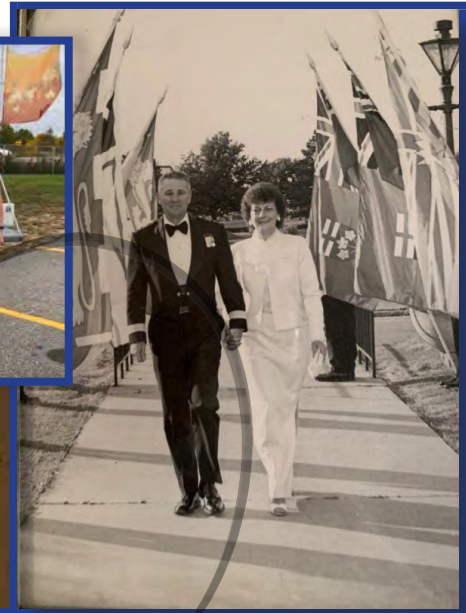


Our Community Our Hospital

2020/21 Impact Report



Greetings from our Board Chair and CEO

Over the last year we encountered many challenges and were presented with many opportunities. If we had to pick a word to define the year it would be “pivot”. When we wrote our letter for the Annual Impact Report this time last year, we had no idea what was still to come. As a community we adapted to a constantly changing landscape. One thing did not change though – the generosity and kindness our community shows our hospital. For this we are grateful and humbled.

Last year ended as the world quickly mobilized to respond to the impact of COVID-19, which rolled into our new fiscal year. The Foundation continued to focus on addressing the urgent and emerging needs of our community’s healthcare. Crisis is an incubator for creativity and innovation and we took the “whatever the hospital needs” approach.

No one knew what to expect and we needed to be prepared. Our community continued to generously support the Urgent Care Fund, which was established in March 2020, to help with the expenses of equipment, infrastructure and PPE. Partnerships were forged with organizations and businesses to secure accommodations for healthcare workers, and we facilitated donations of nourishment for weary frontline staff. More than \$236,769 in donations to the Urgent Care Fund were received over the last year. Thank you.



The pandemic took the spotlight this year, but there were two important 10-year milestones that deserve acknowledgement and celebration. First, NBRHC opened its doors January 29, 2011, and secondly the MRI machine arrived at the Health Centre February 11, 2011. These milestones wouldn’t have been possible without the generosity of our community. Thank you to businesses, groups and individuals from across the region. You helped build our hospital and purchase our first MRI.

Through generous gifts and the efforts of our volunteers, the Foundation was able to provide the Hospital a disbursement in the amount of \$950,410 helping fund and advance care, as well as facilitated \$207,455 in generous gifts-in-kind, supporting programming and enhancing patient experiences at NBRHC.

We thank you and recognize that so much has been accomplished over the course of this unique and challenging year because of the commitment of our volunteers, board, committees, and the generosity of our community.

In gratitude,



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Chair, Board of Trustees



Tammy Morison, CFRE
President & CEO





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**Dr. Jennifer Mihill,
COVID-19 Critical Care
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Dr. Ian Cowan, Assessment
Centre Lead**

Adaptability and Flexibility: Essential for the Future

It's been an unusual year. The world has changed dramatically as a result of the pandemic and we continue to adapt. It has taught us so much about ourselves and allowed us all to reflect on our personal values.

We witnessed incredible generosity towards NBRHC and frontline workers throughout these extraordinary times. Thank you. A few of these kind gestures include:

PPE donations from local families and businesses,

Random acts of kindness including vehicle parades around the Health Centre, signs on our neighbours' lawns and in windows of homes and businesses,

Nourishment for our dedicated and hardworking staff in the form of treats and lunches,

AND...

Generous monetary donations!

Our community generously responded to two appeal letters raising \$183,472. The Spring letter was authored by Dr. Ian Cowan, Assessment Centre Lead, and Dr. Jennifer Mihill, COVID-19 Critical Care Preparedness Lead, and featured a \$25,000 matching gift from OCP Construction and the Cousineau Family for the Urgent Care Fund. The Fall letter was authored by Dr. Donald

Fung, Chief of Staff and featured a \$25,000 matching gift from Mark and Mary Hurst for the Greatest Needs Fund and state-of-the-art lab equipment.

Each year, our hospital cares for thousands of patients in our region. The Greatest Needs Fund helps the community, Foundation and our hospital respond to unforeseen and urgently needed medical equipment purchases to care for our community – for example, flexibility responding to urgent health concerns such as the pandemic.

We don't know what the short and long-term outlook is. This year has taught us that priorities can change quickly. Donations to the Greatest Needs Fund allow our Health Centre to meet the emergent and future healthcare needs of our district.

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Feeling Grateful



Tim and Kelly who had recently returned to Canada after two years at Tyndall Air Force Base in Florida, were having their second child at NBRHC. Their daughter Maggie was born in Florida. They were a bit anxious about the birth, as it was during the second wave of the pandemic.

“We were nervous about our first Canadian birth experience,” says Kelly. “Our daughter was born during a posting to Florida just over two years ago. We knew things would be different – especially during a pandemic.”

“We were blown away by the compassion and care we received when we welcomed our son into the world in November,” Tim recalls. “The care provided by [nurses] Jill and Jordanne was beyond our expectations. Their dedication, empathy and attention brought us a sense of calm and confidence during our time in the Birthing Unit.”

Kelly and Tim made a donation through the *Grateful Family Program* to honour the two nurses who made such a positive impact on their experience.

“Thank you Jill and Jordanne for making our experience exceptional,” the McLean Family.

The *Grateful Family Program* is a meaningful way for patients and families to express their gratitude. By making a donation to the Foundation, patients and their families have the opportunity to say thank you for the care they or their loved one experienced at the hospital. Generous donations help purchase urgently needed medical equipment so that staff and volunteers can continue to provide the most advanced levels of care for our community.

Individuals honoured with your donation are recognized with a *Golden Heart Award* at staff meetings, on the hospital blog and a special badge for their name tag to wear with pride.

This fiscal year we were honoured to present a total of ninety-eight *Golden Heart Awards* to physicians, staff and volunteers – many over Zoom. This made an impact of more than \$70,000 towards the medical equipment needs of our community.

To learn more about the *Grateful Family Program* or to recognize someone who made an impact on your experience at NBRHC, please contact us at 705-495-8125.

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The McLean Family



The Mitchell's Generosity Lives On

Marylyn was an elementary schoolteacher in Hamilton in the 1950's and married Lloyd James "Bud" of North Bay in 1960. Marylyn was a private person with a close-knit circle of friends and worked at Memorial Gardens for many years. More than anything she loved music and singing in the St. Andrew's United Church choir. Marylyn was a classy lady, always dressed well, with matching shoes and jewelry, visiting her hairdresser every two weeks without fail. She had a strong personality that developed her character and made her the self-determined woman that she was. Marylyn was 83 when she passed away at NBRHC on March 2, 2017.

Marylyn chose to support the NBRHC in her Will, leaving a legacy and reinforcing her appreciation for the excellent local healthcare that was there for her when she needed it over the years – when she broke her hip, when she required knee replacements, and eventually end of life care. Marylyn's husband, Bud (deceased 2007), also benefitted from a dependable and efficient healthcare system. He was part of a bomber crew that was shot down in the Second World War. His sacrifice to his country earned him the Distinguished Flying Cross. Their lived experiences over the years instilled in both Marylyn and Bud's minds the importance of medical care and supporting their local hospital.



A generous donation to NBRHC through the Mitchell's estate has supported palliative care as part of the *Cancer Care, Close to Home Campaign*, assisting with the purchase of infusion and pain pumps throughout the hospital. Knowing that their donation served such a valuable purpose for end-of-life care would have pleased both Marylyn and Bud tremendously.

Expressing our gratitude for the legacy left by these generous community members from April 1, 2020 to March 31, 2021.

Emmett C. Watters
Douglas F. Wagner
Ernest Romain
Vivian E. Pentland
Doris J. Lovell
David J. Kubisheskie
Angela H. Pedley (Charity) Trust
The Quadrus Charitable Giving Program
Marylyn A. Mitchell



Please call or email to learn more about including your hospital in your Will.
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A Year of Milestones

2021 has been a big year. It marks 10 years since the Health Centre opened its doors. This incredible achievement was made possible because of YOU. Together, our community raised more than \$18 million toward the new hospital.

Patients from the former North East Mental Health Centre (NEMHC) moved on January 28, 2011, and patients from North Bay General Hospital (Scollard and McLaren sites) moved on January 29, 2011. It was a momentous day.

There has been so much to celebrate over the last 10 years. Our big celebrations include:

February 11, 2011: Arrival of MRI

June 6, 2012: *Seeing More Clearly Campaign* raises more than \$6.3 million

April 1, 2014: Six-bed Child and Adolescent Mental Health Unit opens

October 29, 2019: NBRHC's Health Information System goes live

October 5, 2020: Hummingbird Lodge opens, eight-bed provincial forensic inpatient service for adult women – Ontario's first high intensity treatment unit for women in the forensic mental health system

Be proud! This is our community. This is our hospital. Every day, your donations are working to help enhance healthcare, close to home.



Your Impact

Thanks to community donations, medical equipment purchases made between April 1, 2020 and March 31, 2021 include:

Cystoscopes – Operating Room
Lymphatic Mapping Probe – Operating Room
Endoscopes & Stacks – Operating Room
Anaesthesia Machines – Operating Room
Artwork for Cultural Grounds – Regional Outreach
Mental Health
Cataract Trays – Ophthalmology
Defibrillators – Cardiac Care
4 Bio Fire Analyzers for COVID testing – Laboratory

Priorities for 2021/2022

MRI Refurbishment
MRI Anaesthesia Machine
MRI Paediatric Patient Monitoring System
Urology Equipment
Specialized Surgical Table - Orthopaedics

Thank you!

It is an honour to recognize the following individuals, families, businesses and community groups who have donated \$1,000 and greater between April 1, 2020 and March 31, 2021.

\$100,000 +

Estate of Doris J. Lovell
Estate of Marylyn Mitchell

\$50,000 to \$99,999

Angela H. Pedley
(Charity) Trust
Friends of NBRHC-
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\$25,000 to \$49,999

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Fund Corporation
O.C.P. Construction Supplies
Osprey Links Golf Course
Pioneer Construction,
Fisher Way, and
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\$10,000 to \$24,999

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Estate of Vivian Pentland
Dr. Ravinder Singh
Russell & Nancy Thompson
Estate of Doug Wagner
Francis T. Watters
Kimberly & Todd Wilcox
& Family
Canadore College
CTV
Mark's Work Wearhouse
North Bay Hydro Services,
North Bay Hydro Distribution
& North Bay Hydro Social Club
North Bay Lions Club
Ontario Power Generation
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RBC Royal Bank /
RBC Foundation
Scotiabank
Vista Radio - Moose FM

\$5,000 to \$9,999

Steven & Natalie Aiken
Clarence & Marlene Brunet
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\$1,000 to \$4,999

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Jane Asselstine
Harold & Linda Beatty
Cindy Bethune
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Melvin & Doreen Cox
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Eric & Kathaleen Dudson
Dr. Howard & Kathrine Eckler
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Dr. Sarah Eckler
Gordon & Pauline Edwards
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Brian & Bernice Fawcett
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Dr. Donald & Sharon Fung
Gerald & Margaret Gaiser
Philip Geden
Greg Godin
Peter & Lucia Greco
Dr. Angela Guderian
& David Holloway



\$1,000 to \$4,999 (con't)

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Dale & Mary Lynn Hall
Mike Harris Family
Paul & Frances Heinrich
Karen Hill
Dr. William & Pat Hodge
& Family
John Holland
& Sylvia Cotgreave
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Nipissing Slo-Pitch
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Thank you!

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Remembering those honoured with memorial donations
from April 1, 2020 to March 31, 2021.

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Karel Zahradka

I Will Love Her Forever

Brigadier-General (retired) Ron Button grew up on the same street in Bellville, Ontario as a girl named Janet. Ron remembers Janet as the prettiest girl in school who loved to dance – and she was an excellent dancer. Ron and Janet eventually went out to the movies for the first time while still in school.

In 1948, Ron joined the Air Force and thought he had missed his chance with Janet, but three years later Ron learned Janet had not yet married. He returned home and proposed. Janet said yes.

Ron's career in the Air Force took the couple around the world until they made North Bay their permanent home. Janet was supportive and independent, dedicated to her family and her community. Together Janet and Ron had five daughters, 11 grandchildren and 14 great grandchildren. They had a wonderful life together and were married 66 years.

When Janet took her last breath at the North Bay Regional Health Centre, the family gathered in the hospital room to say goodbye to a dynamic woman, wife, mother and grandmother.

Their family was grateful for the excellent care Janet received from the staff at the hospital during her final days and the kindness and consideration extended to the family on the evening she passed. The nurses were so compassionate and frequently checked in on them. They supported Ron and his family as they said their goodbyes.

“Janet left us with a legacy of love and devotion. I was inspired to do something greater in her memory. I thought about the care she received at the hospital and connected with my friends at our hospital Foundation to make a donation in Janet's memory,” said Ron.

Ron learned about the *Celebrating Life Memorial Wall* at NBRHC and felt it was a beautiful and meaningful way to remember and celebrate Janet's life.



Memorial Giving is a meaningful way to honour a loved one

Memorial donations may be made at funeral homes throughout our region, online, or by calling the Foundation (705-495-8125).

When someone is remembered with an accumulation of gifts greater than \$2,000, their name is added to the *Celebrating Life Memorial Wall* at the hospital. The wall is updated annually and individuals are honoured during a remembrance ceremony.

In light of COVID-19, the 2020 reception was adapted into a video. We invite you to watch the video featuring the Button's here: nbrhcfoundation.ca/memorial.

What would you do if you won \$100,000?

I'm sure you've heard it. The buzz in our community about *Our Hospital 50/50*.

Inspired by the success of 50/50 raffles in other northern communities, the NBRHC Foundation launched *Our Hospital 50/50* November 1, 2020. We felt the energy and excitement of our community, especially as the prize grew to more than \$100,000! Everyone is talking about it – volunteers, neighbours, friends, family, NBRHC staff – and everyone wants to be our next big winner.

In the five short months *Our Hospital 50/50* ran during our last fiscal year (April 1, 2020, to March 31, 2021), \$540,990 was raised and \$270,495 awarded in prize money amongst five monthly winners!

Funds raised through the 50/50 are supporting the urgent

medical equipment needs, such as a defibrillator, infusion pump and the MRI refurbishment.

We are grateful for the support of our community and making *Our Hospital 50/50* a success, and we are excited to see the draw evolve with even more ways to win, such as early bird and bonus draws.

Purchase your tickets each month at OurHospital5050.com or call us 705-495-8125.

How are winners spending their prize money?

It's been fun to hear how everyone is planning to spend their winnings. Paying off debt, buying a house, children's education and future travel have been popular answers amongst the winners and hopeful ticket purchasers. *How would you spend your winnings?*



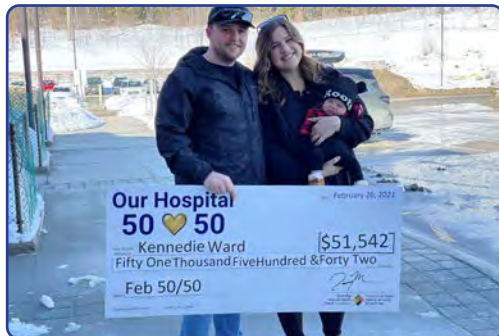
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November 2020



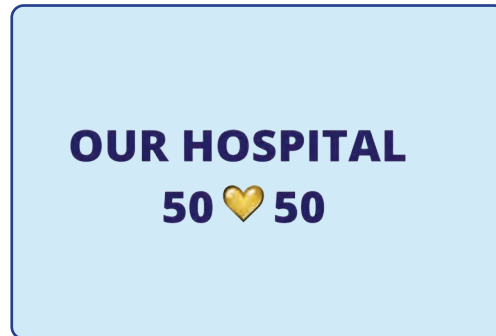
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\$2,590,826 Donations
\$207,455 In-Kind Donations

7,134
Donations Made

133
Monthly Donors

57
Donors with
gifts in Wills

610
Urgent Care
Fund Donations

704
Lottery
Tickets Sold

2,271,026
50/50
Tickets Sold

208
Walk/Run
Participants

389
Beds

189
Child & Adolescent Mental
Health Unit Admissions

42,850
ED Visits

2,624
Telemedicine
Visits

768
Births

1,907
Orthopaedic
Surgeries

18,798
CT Scans

8,187
MRIs

46,050
COVID swabs

197
NICU Patients

10,091
OR Cases

1 Million
Lab Tests

2,839
Chemotherapy Treatments

Virtual Events (in the era of COVID-19)

Every challenge creates an opportunity, as the saying goes. And last year proved very challenging for fundraising events. Fortunately, technology has provided us the tools to convert several of our fundraising events to virtual events!

With the desire to connect and support the Health Centre during 2020, Marianne Vander Dussen was inspired to offer a *Virtual Paint Class* and Dr. Ravinder Singh, General Surgeon, sharpened his kitchen knives to present two virtual cooking classes, *Cooking with Dr. Singh*. Marianne's paint class raised \$3,000, while *Cooking with Dr. Singh*, brought in over \$33,000 (including matching donations by Dr. Singh).

Several events were also reformatted to continue to engage our community. The *Maple Hill SAP Run* quickly adapted in April 2020 to offer a virtual race. *Farquhar*

Chrysler Charity Golf Tournament was postponed until 2021. The team still rallied together to offer their annual Quilt Raffle. *Osprey Links Charity Golf Gala* presented by OneLife Wealth Management adapted their format to offer tee-times, take away dinners and an online auction. Lastly, the *Festival of Trees & All Things Christmas* auction moved online, reaching new audiences.

The 14th annual *Our Hospital Walk/Run* was hosted on a virtual platform and featured more than 210 participants comprising 29 teams of businesses, families and friends who raised more than \$84,300 walking or running the Family Mile, 5k, 10k and 14k routes.

Virtual events are continuing in 2021 along with a few modified in-person events, when and where possible. Mark your calendars for the following upcoming events!

Osprey Links Charity Golf Gala

presented by
One Life Wealth Management

August 18, 2021

Register your foursome today!

705-752-5225 OR 705-495-8125
info@ospreylinksgolf.com



OUR HOSPITAL WALK/RUN

September 26, 2021

REGISTER NOW!

www.ourhospitalwalkrun.com



This year has been full of hard work, passion, challenges and hope. We came together and adapted in new and innovative ways to connect and raise funds to purchase state-of-the-art medical equipment to care for patients in our community.

We're celebrating some of the ways our community got creative and adapted fundraising events to support our hospital over the year.

A&W Coin Collection
Aramark Coin Collection
Bell Let's Talk
Canadore Social Service
Worker Program
NICU
Palliative Wishes
Patient Comfort
Nipissing Detox Substance Abuse
Program
North Bay's Got Talent
Trivia Night
Change for Kidneys
Chippewa Secondary School
Supporting Youth Mental Health

Christmas at the Hospital
Cooking with Dr. Singh (July &
December)
Cultural Mindfulness Calendar Sale
for Hummingbird Lodge
Farquhar Chrysler Quilt Raffle
Festival of Trees & All Things
Christmas Online Auction
Gift Shop Coin Collection
Gold Fleet Subaru Oil Changes
Homes for Hospital
Home Instead Seniors Care
Referral Program
Last Call for Ball "Mike Lalonde
Weekend Slo-Pitch Event"

Maple Hill Sap Run
Nipissing Wellness Week
feat. Cooking with Dr. Singh
North Bay Robotics Team Lego
Orange Shirt Day T-Shirt Sales for
Regional Aboriginal Mental
Health Services
Osprey Links Charity Golf Gala
presented by OneLife
Wealth Management
Virtual Paint Class with
Marianne Vander Dussen
Regional Aboriginal Mental Health
Services Spring Feast
Signature Authentics Sealed Bid
Auction Easels

Sponsors

We are grateful for and recognize the generosity of sponsors who supported events and/or programs with commitments of \$1,000 and greater from April 1, 2020 to March 31, 2021.

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For up-to-date information on fundraising events in your community
follow the NBRHC Foundation on [Facebook](#).

Want to host your own fundraising event?

The possibilities are endless: sports tournaments, casual Fridays, plant sales, coin collections or virtual paint or cooking classes... let your imagination be your guide.

When you fundraise for your hospital, you are having a direct impact on the quality of healthcare, right here in North Bay. Please reach out if you are interested in learning more about hosting your own fundraising event.

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705-495-7562

Endowment Funds

Bob Cunningham was President & CEO of the North East Mental Health Centre (NEMHC) until its amalgamation with NBRHC. He then served as Executive Vice-President for the new health centre until his retirement.

As a leader in mental healthcare management for more than 30 years, Bob and his wife Sharon established the *Cunningham Endowment Fund for Mental Health* to celebrate their family and Bob's life work. Their fund will provide annual grants in their name forever – a fitting legacy to the mental health programs at NBRHC.



The *Leslie Burt-Manary RN Leadership Award* was established by Leslie's mother to celebrate Leslie's memory. She was a respected and dedicated registered nurse at NBRHC. Leslie is fondly remembered by her peers for her leadership, compassion and sense of humour. The award was set up as an endowment fund in 2018 to generate an annual education bursary.

The 2020 award was presented to its second honouree, Lori-Ann Crittenden, RN, Inpatient Medicine.



Endowment funds are established through a significant donation that is invested to earn annual interest or income. A portion of the income is reinvested to grow the fund and a portion granted to the Health Centre to provide ongoing resources to a care area important to you.

Endowment funds can be established during your lifetime (as a one-time gift or over time) through your estate, or a combination of the two. Please reach out to the Foundation if you are interested in learning more 705-495-8125.

How to Donate



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