



## MESSAGE FROM OUR BOARD CHAIR



2023 was a fantastic year for the Foundation and the Board is appreciative of the overwhelming community support we received at our annual fundraisers while we were also in the middle of our \$10 million Capital Campaign. We cannot thank our communities enough for the support and encouragement we have received. For 2024, the Board remains focused on our annual commitments at BTHC while working with BTHC leadership to build capacity for expanded services at our hospital. Thank you for your gifts in 2023 and support in 2024.

## How You Helped this Year

\$3,500 Video Laryngoscope -ER \$300,000 Specialty BTHC Programs

\$60,000
Digital Imaging
Plate Diagnostics

\$3,830 Crash Cart -

2023-2024
Programs &
Equipment

\$34,000
Palliative Care
Beds Medical

\$4,500 Cast Bed -ACC \$19,000
Pediatric
Intubation
Equipment ER

\$9,500 AccuVein -ER \$12,000 Pediatric Crib -ER



## 2024 Golf Tournament is a Sell Out!

Our 23rd Annual Charity Golf
Tournament will be held this year
at the Winkler Centennial Golf
Course. This sold out event is
taking place Thursday, August 15th.
We are excited to welcome back
Pembina Valley Canvas and Winkler
Canvas as our tournament
sponsors.



#### **Tournament Sponsors**





## Save the Date



The Fall Fundraising Gala will be held this year at the Access Event Centre.

Come on down Friday, October 25th

for an evening filled with fun as we embrace a "Price is Right" theme in support of special programming and equipment purchases at BTHC.

This can't miss event has been a sold out affair so contact the Foundation office early for sponsorship details and tickets.

### **Event Sponsor**



Contact the Foundation office at 204 331 8808 ext. 2 or email office@bthcfoundation.com to express interest in attending our signature event.

# THE FUTURE IS NOW

## **Capital Campaign & Construction Update**

It was back in 2022 at our annual Gala, that we launched the Future is Now Capital Campaign with great excitement and a \$10 million fundraising goal. One incredible year later, the BTHC Foundation Board of Directors announced at the 2023 Gala that our goal has been met. This unprecedented achievement could not have been possible without the belief, support and confidence of our local governments, businesses and individual donors who trusted the Foundation to make this happen. We have said time and time again what an overwhelmingly generous community we live in and the Board continues to be amazed at the gifts freely given to expand healthcare at BTHC. Thank you!

Although our capital campaign has officially concluded, we remain engaged with BTHC leadership and Southern Health-Santé Sud to identify priorities and enhance capabilities for expanded services in the upcoming years. Donations earmarked for future services and programs within the expanded facility will be welcomed under the banner of "Building for the Future."

We will continue to keep our donors updated with construction photos and progress reports. The Board of Directors would like to thank each and every one of you for your contributions to the Campaign. It has been a very exciting year and we look forward to the completion of an expanded and enhanced BTHC that our communities can be proud of for years to come. It could not have been possible with you!



## THE FUTURE IS NOW

Major construction work on the expansion site began in June. Southern Health-Sante Sud has been sending the Foundation drone photos as the project progresses. Pictured here is foundation work underway for the BTHC addition in June. There are 271 piles pounded in for the entire project.

In August, work moved to the Community Services Building. Did you know, that if you took all the reinforcing steel in the concrete used in our construction project, and lay it end to end, you could go from Boundary Trails Health Centre to Darlingford (about 29 km)?





Warmer than usual December temperatures helped keep construction on track and crews comfortable on the job site! To date, crews have poured 336 cubic meters of concrete, enough to produce two Olympic size hockey rinks.



## **Start Your Engines!**



The Foundation was thrilled to be named the chosen charity for Valley Motorsports Association's inaugural season last year at the Dead Horse Creek Speedway (formerly ALH Motor Speedway). VMA organized two race weekends last summer with the net proceeds supporting the Future is Now Capital Campaign.

For 2024, VMA is once again supporting the Foundation and hosting three thrilling weekends of dirt track racing action. Mark your calendars for May 24th-26th, July 4th-6th and August 22nd-24th. For event and ticket information, visit <a href="https://www.deadhorsecreekspeedway.ca">www.deadhorsecreekspeedway.ca</a>.









Our staff payroll 50/50 continues to grow, giving away biweekly jackpots over \$9,000 to healthcare employees. Last year we awarded over \$201,000 to staff across the health region. Money raised through this draw supports the three regional hospitals, BTHC, Portage District General Hospital and Bethesda Regional Health Centre.

This 50/50 is closed to healthcare employees in the Southern Health-Santé Sud region.



## **A Tasty Partnership with Tim Hortons**

The BTHC Foundation is smiling this spring thanks to a new partnership with Tim Hortons in Morden and Winkle for the 2024 Smile Cookie Campaign, held **April 29th-May 5th.** The final numbers were incredible, with over 25,000 cookies sold and over \$40,000 raised. Thank you for your support! We can't wait to do it all over again next year.





## It's a Backyard Blast!

#### The BTHC Foundation Backyard Blast

Tickets are \$20 each, or 6 for \$100 and available online at the Foundation's website, or in person at the Foundation office. Watch our social media accounts for pop up sales at Winkler's Canadian Tire!

The prize package is valued at over \$11,000 and includes everything you need to create a summer getaway in your own backyard. The winner also has the option to take a \$7,500 cash prize. Full prize details are available at <a href="https://www.bthcfoundation.com">www.bthcfoundation.com</a>.



## **Ways to Give**

Your continued support of the Boundary Trails Health Centre Foundation is essential. Our Palliative and Spiritual Care Programs could not exist without your gifts. Advanced medical equipment could not be purchased without your help. If you'd like to contribute to enhanced health care at Boundary Trails, there are a number of ways to give.

#### Become a monthly donor

Choose an affordable amount and make a monthly impact on the programs and services that mean the most to you at Boundary Trails Health Centre. Monthly donations can be processed securely online at <a href="https://www.bthcfoundation.com">www.bthcfoundation.com</a> and under Frequency, select Reoccurring. You can also choose your receipting preference and receive individual receipts or a consolidated one at the end of the year.



#### Host a party with purpose!

Consider hosting an event on behalf of the BTHC Foundation. You determine the details and we can help promote your fundraiser. Contact the Foundation office for more information.

#### Donate online

Gifts can be made securely online at www.bthcfoundation.com

#### Mail your gift

Donations can be mailed to our office at Box 2000 STN Main, Winkler MB, R6W 1H8

#### Call the office

Call the office at 204 331 8808 ext. 2.

#### Visit us

Drop your gift off in person at the Foundation office, Monday-Friday, 8:30 am- 4:30 pm

#### Scan to securely donate online now





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