



What's New at Stevenson Memorial Hospital?

Request for Qualifications Released for the Stevenson Memorial Hospital Redevelopment Project.

On August 30, 2024, Brian Saunderson, MPP for Simcoe-Grey, announced that the Request for Qualifications (RFQ) for the Stevenson Memorial Hospital redevelopment project has officially been issued. This crucial step initiates the process of selecting a contractor for our upcoming expansion.

We're thrilled to be moving closer to breaking ground on our new facility!



Stevenson Memorial Hospital (SMH) has been providing health care services to our local community and beyond for almost 100 years. It is the heart of the community, and has been here for individuals and families providing compassionate care for patients at the beginning of life, the end and all stages of life in between. SMH has a dedicated team of staff and physicians whose goal is always to deliver safe, quality care. We welcome the opportunity to strengthen our hospital and make improvements that will provide a solid foundation for the future, as well as have a lasting positive impact for our staff, physicians and the lives of those we serve.

Our team will act upon the recommendations found in the investigation report in a timely, professional and transparent manner. Coupled with the redevelopment of our hospital, the future is bright at SMH.



Earlier this year, an investigation was launched to review hospital operations. As a result, the Ministry of Health announced the appointment of Eric Hanna, an experienced healthcare executive, along with the report from the investigation led by former Royal Victoria Hospital CEO Janice Skot.

The Foundation fully supports the report's recommendations and is excited to work with the hospital to strengthen community services. This positive step further bolsters our **Because of You, We Can** campaign.

We welcome Mr. Hanna and thank Barbara Steed, Interim CEO of SMH, and the Senior Leadership Team for their guidance.

For more information, visit stevensonhospital.ca

We are thrilled to announce the launch of the \$1 million matching initiative "Building Your Stevenson for Tomorrow, Together," generously gifted by Brian and Kathy Gibson!

Donations to Stevenson Memorial Hospital's new building will be **DOUBLED**, making twice the impact on the future of our healthcare.

What an incredible opportunity to help fund essential equipment, technology upgrades, and the much-needed expansion of our Emergency Department. With visits far exceeding capacity, your support will help us build the hospital our community deserves today and for future generations.

Let's come together and make it happen!
Visit transformingstevenson.ca to make your contribution



Community Support

We are incredibly grateful to our Community Supporters whose generosity continues to fuel our Because of You, We Can campaign.

Each donation, no matter the size, brings us closer to realizing the vision of Stevenson Memorial Hospital's new build. Your support is not just a gift - it's an investment in the future of healthcare in our community. Together, we are making a lasting impact that will benefit future generations. Below, you'll find photos and a collage of our recent cheque presentations, celebrating the contributions that are helping to turn our vision into reality. Every gift truly makes a difference!

Thank you for standing with us and supporting Stevenson Memorial Hospital.



We are excited to share news of a generous \$100,000 donation from the Nottawasaga Foundation - marking the 8th installment towards their \$1 million pledge to our Because of You, We Can campaign.

The Nottawasaga Foundation's ongoing support ensures accessible, high-quality healthcare for our community.

We are thrilled to share news of a \$8,450 contribution from the Township of Essa to support our Because of You, We Can campaign.

This donation is a testament to their commitment to our community and helps us move one step closer to ensuring that quality healthcare remains accessible close to home.



Because of You, We Can!



Thank you!

- Arlene, Stacy, & Tim Daly Spirit of Giving Pig Roast \$5,500
- Scotia Wealth \$3,000
- Angus Lions \$2,000
- Kevin Lord Foundation \$2,500
- Mohan Dhabba \$1,100
- New Tecumseth Optometry Clinic \$1,000
- Tottenham Public School \$940
- Alliston Physiotherapy & Sport Rehabilitation \$739

Bringing the Community Together!



Stevenson: The Next Chapter, Harvesting Connections

The "Harvesting Connections" event occurred on September 26, 2024, at Adjala Acres. Brian and Patricia Snell generously hosted it, and they presented a \$10,000 installment towards their \$50,000 pledge.

Wayne Willcott, Stevenson's Senior Director of Corporate Infrastructure and Redevelopment, provided an update on the progress of Stevenson Memorial Hospital's new build, addressing questions on parking, the helipad, and the project timeline.

Frank Cerisano, CEO, Stevenson Memorial Hospital Foundation introduced the Foundation's mission and emphasized the importance of the Because of You, We Can campaign.

Thank you to Janet Vandavis for providing delicious food and refreshments and to all our guests who attended.

Legacy Giving Event

Our Legacy Giving event was held on October 10, 2024, at the Gibson Centre in Alliston.

Sponsored by TD Wealth, presenters Shawn Long and Jo-Anne Ryan delivered an engaging and educational presentation, offering valuable insights into the benefits and opportunities of legacy giving.

They walked attendees through the steps of creating investment and wealth plans and highlighted strategies for incorporating charitable giving into financial planning.

The event provided an informative look into how thoughtful planning can leave a lasting impact on the community. Thank you to all those who attended!



Streets for Stevenson

An online auction in support of



Streets for Stevenson

OPEN FOR BIDS!!!

We have officially begun the Streets for Stevenson online auction!

Here's your opportunity to bid on naming privileges for up to three streets, one in each town of Tottenham, Beeton, and Alliston.

For more information, visit the "Events" tab on our website, transformingstevenson.ca

Mark your calendars!

2024 Night Lit Santa Claus Parade

Join us on November 16, 2024, at 6 PM for the 2024 Night Lit Santa Claus Parade! Watch for the Stevenson Memorial Hospital Foundation as we partner with the Faris Team for this fun event.

Interested in volunteering?

Contact Dayna Dunn by email at ddunn@smhosp.on.ca or call (705) 435-6281 ext. 1262 for more details.



Win Big, Give Back!

Since our 50/50 Raffle Series began in November 2023, participants have helped to raise \$44,487

CONGRATULATIONS, WINNERS and THANK YOU, SPONSORS!

June 50/50 Winners!!



Early Bird Winner
Annette B.
\$1,000



Grand Prize Winner
Laura S.
\$5,085



Early Bird Winner
Ralph L.
\$500



July 50/50 Winners!!



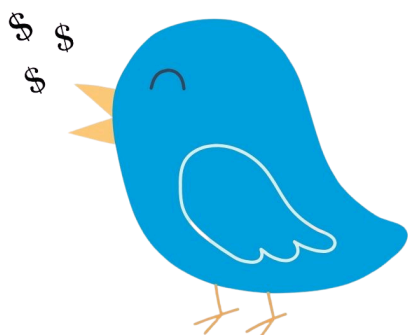
Early Bird Winner
Margaret F.
\$1,000



Grand Prize Winner
Yvonne N.
\$5,690



Early Bird Winner
Debbie P.
\$500



August & September 50/50 Winners!!



August Grand Prize Winner
Betty J. \$4,485



September Early Bird Winner
Betty M. \$500



September Grand Prize Winner
Jeffrey J. \$3,667

Out In Our Community



All of us from Stevenson Memorial Hospital and the Foundation were thrilled to participate in the 2024 Potato Festival Parade, hosted by the Rotary Club of Alliston.

We thank our community partner, Faris Team for sponsoring our float and to the New Tecumseth Memorial Run Committee volunteers for being alongside us in the parade!

We extend our heartfelt thanks to FM 92 South Simcoe for inviting us to participate in this year's "All Hands on Deck" food drive, which supported the Alliston Food Bank.

Events like this truly demonstrate the power of community.



We were honoured to be at the Kyle Coleman Memorial Golf Tournament 2024 at Bear Creek Golf Course, on September 14th, supporting mental health awareness in our community, highlighting the mental health services available at Stevenson Memorial Hospital, and sharing how we will be growing to help serve those in our community.

Stories of Gratitude



I was honoured
by a
Grateful Patient



Dr. Stephens, Dr. Ozon, and Dr. Dhindsa were recently honored with a heartfelt tribute gift through our Grateful Patient program at the Stevenson Memorial Hospital Foundation!

We extend our sincere thanks to all our Grateful Patients for their contributions, which are making a significant impact in our community!

Because of You, We Can!