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Each year you, your family, friends and neighbours use the services of Chinook Regional Hospital over 160,000 times. People come for surgery, emergencies, births, tests, education, support for chronic illness – for all the things we depend on to help us all have the best of health.

Chinook Regional Hospital Foundation’s Care From the Heart Day celebrates our community’s support of the best of health for everyone, and provides the opportunity for us to support future health needs in our community.

Please join others in the community in making a gift to your hospital this Care From the Heart Day. See inside for how you can participate!

About the Chinook Regional Hospital Foundation

The Chinook Regional Hospital Foundation receives and distributes funds for equipment and programs that will enhance patient services and health programs in our community. This support goes to any area of need in the Chinook Regional Hospital, but specifically toward state-of-the-art healthcare equipment, vital programs and special projects in your hospital.

Our volunteer Board of Directors ensures that all funds are dispersed in keeping with the wishes of our donors. Each Director brings unique experience and expertise to the Board.

Our dedicated and professional staff, led by Executive Director Jason VandenHoek, is experienced in fund development for healthcare in general and in our community in particular.

Together, we commit to ethical practice and sound management of your donations – in order to provide the best possible support for the health of our community.

If you would like more information on how you can make a gift to support the efforts of the Chinook Regional Hospital Foundation, please visit us at www.crhfoundation.ca or call our offices at 403-388-6001.

We thank you! 

Great Ways to Give
Call us at 403-388-6001 for more information

Become a monthly donor
Automatic payments from your credit card are convenient and save you the time and money it takes to mail in donations. At the end of the year, you’ll be surprised by how your contributions and tax credits have added up, while providing a stable and reliable source of funding for the Chinook Regional Hospital.

Give the gift of securities
Save a significant amount of money at tax time by donating securities, such as publicly traded shares and mutual funds, even if you have a capital loss!

Honour a loved one
A gift made in honour of a family member or friend can be a special and unique way to pay tribute to them or their memory, or to celebrate a milestone occasion such as a birthday or wedding. Caring Heart Tribute funds can be viewed at www.crhfoundation.ca.

Make a bequest or a planned gift
Plan for a future gift either in your will or through another means such as life insurance, an RRSP or RRIF, or trust.

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2014 Care From the Heart Day

At some point in all of our lives, we know we will need the services of our local hospital. Whether it is a joyous occasion like the birth of a child or a sombre diagnosis, you can be assured that when you need it most, the best of care is waiting for your family at the Chinook Regional Hospital. This is due in large part to the generous supporters of the Chinook Regional Hospital Foundation.

To ensure that this high level of care remains, the fifth annual Care From the Heart Day and Radio-a-thon will be held on Thursday, February 13th. Once again at the helm of Care From the Heart Day is Honorary Chairman, Mr. Robert (Bob) Balog. In fact, because of his continued support of the Chinook Regional Hospital Foundation and many other not-for-profits in Southern Alberta, Bob was awarded the 2013 Lethbridge Citizen of the Year award!

“My family, just like yours, has utilized the services of the Chinook Regional Hospital. We have always experienced the best of care and I want to do all that I can to make sure that continues” says Bob. “To all of you who sent in a donation by mail or called in during last years Radio-a-thon, I was blown away and humbled by your support. I hope you will consider doing the same again this year!”

As with last year, funds raised by the 2014 Care From the Heart Day will be used to purchase state-of-the-art healthcare equipment, support vital programs and fund special projects at the Chinook Regional Hospital.

Special projects include funding enhancements to the Chinook Regional Hospital Redevelopment project. When the project is complete, Southern Albertans will see the opening of a new addition that will house several key departments and also the redevelopment and renovation of the Day Procedures and Emergency Departments. “Through your support of Care From the Heart Day, the Chinook Regional Hospital

Foundation will ensure that these newly created and renovated spaces will be equipped with everything they need to effectively and comfortably meet the needs of patients” says Jason VandenHoek, Executive Director of the Chinook Regional Hospital Foundation.

The 2013 Care from the Heart Day and Radio-a-thon was a remarkable success. Over \$216,000 was raised with the support of six local radio stations: 94.1 CJOC, CKVN 98.1, Country 95.5, B 93, 107.7 The River and Rock 106. Each station broadcast live from the hospital’s atrium and reminded listeners of the outstanding care provided at the Chinook Regional Hospital.

Please join others in the community in making a gift to your hospital this Care From the Heart Day. Tune into your favourite local radio station on Thursday, February 13th between 7:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. and call 403-388-6001, log onto www.crhfoundation.ca or come down to the hospital’s atrium to make a gift. For more information contact the Chinook Regional Hospital Foundation Office at 403-388-6001.



Pictured are Bob & Kim Balog. Bob is once again pleased to serve as Honorary Chair of Care From the Heart Day.



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