

St. Paul's Hospital & St. Paul's Hospital Foundation

2013-14 Annual Review



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St. Paul's Hospital

Statue of Jesus in front of St. Paul's Hospital.

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Welcome to St. Paul's Hospital



St. Paul's Hospital (SPH) is an acute care teaching facility offering a comprehensive range of services to the people of Saskatoon and Saskatchewan. Owned by the Saskatchewan Catholic Health Corporation, St. Paul's Hospital was Saskatoon's first permanent hospital. Founded by the Grey Nuns in 1907, our Catholic Hospital is dedicated to delivering compassionate care that is respectful of the whole person, augmenting medical care with spiritual care and welcoming family and community into the healing process.

St. Paul's Hospital is deeply committed to its partnerships, working in harmony with Saskatoon Health Region (SHR) and the people within the communities we serve. When a partnership agreement was negotiated with Saskatoon Health Region in 1996, SPH became the first independently affiliated hospital in Canada to manage health services across the continuum of care in tandem with a regional authority.

Inspired by the example of the foundress of the Grey Nuns, Saint Marguerite d'Youville, leadership in the tradition of Catholic health care is provided by SPH Mission Office, encouraging employees to share in the call to reveal the goodness and love of the creator God for all people.

Today, St. Paul's Hospital is a 230-bed facility offering a comprehensive range of medical departments and services to residents of Saskatoon and Northern Saskatchewan and is supported through the Saskatoon Health Region. A progressive teaching and applied research hospital, SPH is well known for its leadership in the areas of palliative care, urology, renal care and holistic care.

Palliative Care

Palliative Care is one of St. Paul's Hospital's flagship services. We pioneered palliative health care in Saskatchewan in 1985 with the development of the province's first Palliative Care Consultation Team, followed by the opening of a hospitalized 12-bed Regional Palliative Care Unit at SPH in 1990.

Holistic Care

At St. Paul's Hospital, we believe physical, emotional and spiritual health are equally important and are best achieved within an atmosphere of caring, respect and understanding. We offer both a Healing Arts and a Spiritual Care program to foster the spiritual and emotional health and well-being of patients, families and caregivers. St. Paul's Hospital caregivers, while recognizing the sponsorship through the Catholic Church, work diligently to respect and serve the needs of each patient's religious practices and spiritual and cultural traditions, or absence thereof.

Urology

St. Paul's is known for its care in urology. The state-of-the-art Leslie and Irene Dubé Urology Centre of Health, opened in 2013, includes the Ambulatory Unit on the main floor and the 18-bed Rawlco Radio Surgical Unit on the fourth floor.

Renal Care

A leader in the treatment of renal care since the use of the first kidney dialysis in Saskatchewan in 1960, St. Paul's Hospital established a Home Dialysis Program in 1980, the Chronic Kidney Disease Program in 2001 and the Cameco Community Renal Health Centre in 2006. SPH physicians were an integral part of the first kidney transplant performed in Saskatchewan in 1963 and today, our Hospital houses the Saskatchewan Transplant Program and performs each and every kidney transplant in Saskatchewan.

ST. MARGUERITE D'YOUVILLE

We are called to trust in God's love, and to participate fully in the work this healing love would accomplish in our world.

- Grey Nuns Constitution
(Articles 1 and 25, adapted)



About St. Paul's Hospital

St. Paul's Hospital Five Core Values

Collaborative Partnerships

We work together with organizations, groups and individuals in fulfillment of our mission. Our partnership with the Saskatoon Health Region is a key collaborative partnership.

Holistic Care

We extend Christ's healing ministry of care for the whole person: mind, body, spirit and relationships.

Respect for All

We honour the mystery of life and the dignity, worth and uniqueness of each person, from the time of conception to life's natural end.

Compassionate Caring

We provide care with understanding and compassion for all in the tradition of Catholic teaching and health care, with particular attention to the voiceless.

Stewardship

We exercise prudent and ethical stewardship over the resources entrusted to our care.



St. Paul's Hospital Mission

At St. Paul's Hospital, we are inspired by the healing power of God to meet the needs of those served through quality health care and education in collaboration with the Saskatoon Health Region.



History of St. Paul's Hospital

The story of St. Paul's Hospital is rooted in eighteenth-century Montreal, when a young widow named Marguerite d'Youville began caring for the sick and homeless in her neighbourhood. Despite many obstacles, she devoted herself to helping the poor and marginalized, and touched the lives of the needy and forgotten in many wonderful ways. Other compassionate women joined her, eventually becoming the Grey Nuns of Montreal.

The Grey Nuns began to set up hospitals across Canada. A group of Grey Nuns happened to be passing through Saskatoon during an outbreak of typhoid in 1907, and they stayed to help. Shortly after, Sisters Phaneuf and Guay took up the Grey Nuns' call to action to "share, with everyone we meet, the sanctity of God's healing love" when they opened St. Paul's Hospital on

March 10, 1907, in a two-storey farmhouse formerly owned by Dr. Willoughby. In 1913, a new hospital building was opened; in 1963, the current B-Wing of St. Paul's Hospital was built with the A-Wing added in 1989.

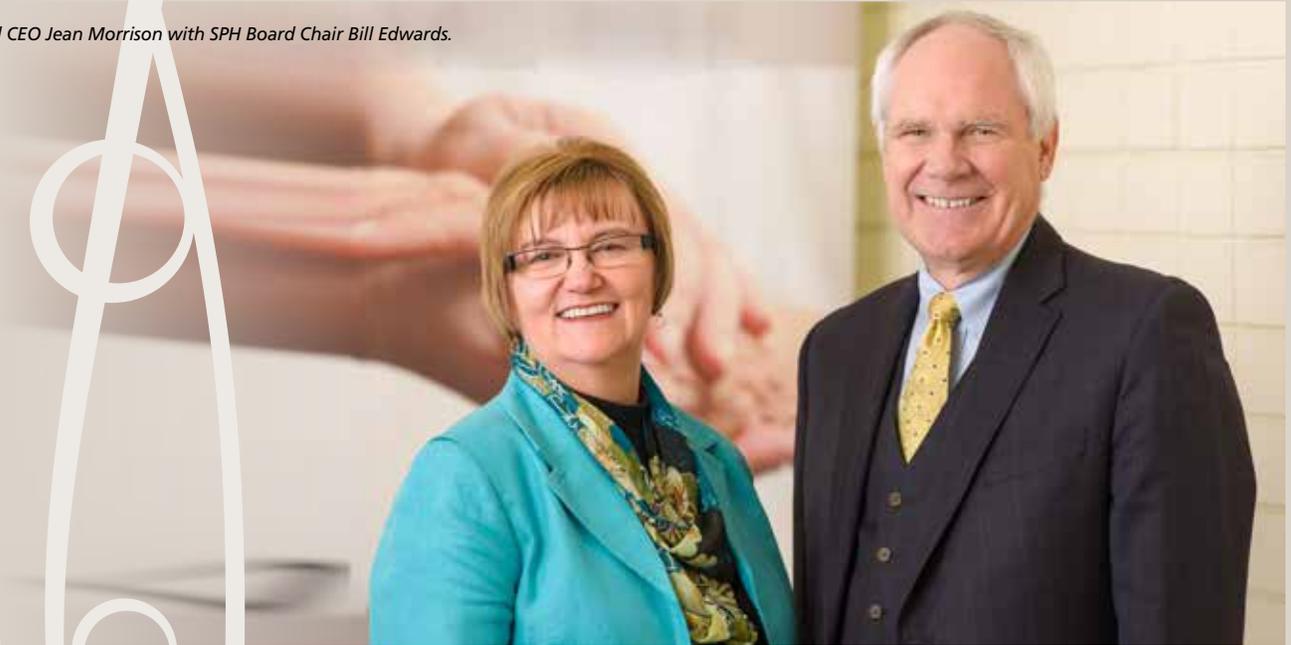
On October 12, 1999, after 92 years of faithful service, the Grey Nuns officially transferred the sponsorship of St. Paul's Hospital to the Bishops of Saskatchewan through the Saskatchewan Catholic Health Corporation.

To celebrate the continuing legacy of the Grey Nuns, an endowment fund – the Grey Nuns Legacy Fund – was established in 1999, creating a significant and lasting contribution to the Spiritual Care Program at our Hospital.

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St. Paul's Hospital Foundation (SPH Foundation) was established in 1982 as an independent body responsible for the fund raising programs and activities of St. Paul's Hospital.





Message from the Hospital CEO and Volunteer Board Chair

“Together We Are Stronger” – what a fitting theme for this year’s Annual Review!

St. Paul’s Hospital has a long history of community engagement and strong partnerships and we are pleased to celebrate those relationships as we look back on the past year. At the center of our many collaborations is the rewarding partnership with the Saskatoon Health Region, as together we continue to implement improvements and explore new solutions to advance the quality of our health care.

We were honored to host and participate in the 50th Anniversary Celebration of Saskatchewan’s first kidney transplant. This event highlighted the Province’s transplant history and the ongoing life-changing impact of this work, as well as the formative and continuing core role of SPH in this success.

Furthering our belief that physical, emotional and spiritual health are all equally important, the Healing Arts and Spiritual Care programs continued to receive strong support from our community. We celebrated the unveiling of a new mural on the Emergency Ramp Wall, which showcases the many helping hands of its creators: community members, school groups, sponsors and Hospital staff.

St. Paul’s is a progressive teaching and applied research Hospital where opportunities for learning and sharing are of paramount importance. This coming year we look forward to an expansion of our Spiritual Care Clinical Pastoral Education program. Through the generous support and leadership of Dr. George and Shelda Pylpchuk, who recognize the value of education, positive learning opportunities and state-of-the-art teaching facilities, we celebrated the Grand Opening of our fully upgraded auditorium.

These are but a few of the highlights of our 2013/2014 year. St. Paul’s Hospital is truly blessed by the strong and unwavering support received daily from our partners, donors and community. This support is gratefully acknowledged and humbly received in support of our ongoing stewardship of the SPH Vision: ***A Community of Health, Hope and Compassion for All.***

Jean Morrison
President and Chief Executive Officer

Bill Edwards
Volunteer Board Chair

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The Board Chair and CEO of St. Paul’s Hospital both hold a seat on the Board of Directors for the St. Paul’s Hospital Foundation. The Hospital Chair of the Board performs the Commissioning Ceremony for new SPH Foundation Board members.



St. Paul's Hospital Volunteer Board Of Directors

St. Paul's Hospital has a long history of working with community members to achieve its vision. As early as 1941, a group of prominent, civic-minded citizens brought valuable assistance to the Grey Nuns through formation of the Lay Advisory Board, offering expertise and advice in matters of public relations and policy for the promotion of excellence in patient care. That tradition continues today with ongoing recruitment of community leaders who are committed to the vision, mission and values of the Hospital and its healing ministry. These community leaders comprise St. Paul's Hospital's Board of Directors, which oversees governance of the Hospital on behalf of the Saskatchewan Catholic Health Corporation. The members of the Board of Directors serve voluntarily, and are very active in a wide range of Hospital activities.

SPH Board Chair 2013-14

William (Bill) Arnold Edwards was a member of the St. Paul's Hospital Board prior to his

appointment as Chair. As President and CEO of the Edwards Group of Companies and Senior Partner and Vice-President of Edwards Edwards McEwen Architects, Bill is also actively engaged with his community and he has received many honours for his work. Bill and his wife Eleanor received CTV's Citizen of the Year Award in 2011.

SPH President and CEO

Jean Morrison assumed the responsibilities of President and Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of St. Paul's Hospital on February 15, 2009. With over 30 years of experience in health care, including rewarding positions in administration and nursing, Jean Morrison has a deep commitment to the contributions that faith-based health care brings to the regional and provincial health care systems. In addition to her Masters degrees in Nursing and in Health Services Administration, Jean will become a certified Lean Leader in 2014.



St. Paul's Hospital 2013-2014 Board Members

Back row (l-r): Dr. Sarah Oosman, Dr. Bruce Berscheid, Sr. Ludvina Scheck, Robert (Bob) Kirkpatrick (Vice-Chair), Dr. Hugh Wood.

Middle row (l-r): W. A. (Bill) Edwards (Board Chair), Jean Morrison (CEO), Terrance (Terry) Kimpinski.

Seated (l-r): Katherine Daniels (Past Chair), W. Roderick (Rod) Donlevy, Colleen Cameron-Bergan (SPH Foundation Board Chair).

Missing: Bishop Donald Bolen, Lise de Moissac, David Patola, David Eberle.

Dr. Rick Jaggi, Head and Neck Surgeon, Facial Plastic Surgeon, Otolaryngologist in Surgery 4B at St. Paul's Hospital.



Service Analysis 2013-14

	2012-13	2013-14
Service Capacity		
Acute Care Beds (Available Beds)	236	251
Acute Care Beds (Planned Beds)	233	245
Avg Daily Census (Actual Patient Days / Days in the Year)	231	251
Palliative Care Beds (Included in Above Totals)	12	12
Service Activity		
In-patient Admissions	9,635	9,800
Emergency Room Visits	41,748	41,821
Out Patient Visits (Estimate Only)*	16,270	15,187
Surgical Cases (In-patient) OR Only	3,596	3,712
Surgical Cases (Day Surgery) OR Only	5,859	6,465
Dialysis – Hemodialysis Treatments**	34,987	35,489
Kidney Transplants***	10	27
Occupancy Rate	98%	101%
Average Length of Stay	8.7	9.4
Admissions		
Average patients admitted per day	26	28
Busiest day of the week (on average most admissions)	Tues	Tues
Busiest month of the year (most admissions)	Jan '13	Jan '14

* Registered and Non-registered Out Patients - does not reflect visits

**Dialysis – Hemodialysis Treatments (SPH Hemo/CRHC/RUH)

***Excludes KPs (Kidney/Pancreas Transplants)

SOURCE: Census Report, Admitting Report, Volume Schedule Report, Ambulatory Care Report, Omni, Budget Volumes, SK Transplant Program (MON)

Available Beds: Physical beds available on the unit that could be utilized if staffed. 'Acute Beds' include medical surgical, med/surg undifferentiated, ICU, CCU, PICU, obstetrics and other short-term acute beds. Excludes NICU, delivery unit, psychiatry, rehabilitation, extended care and palliative care.

Planned Beds: This is the number of beds forecasted to be used to provide service to patients for the upcoming year. Also referred to as Approved Bed Numbers and based on approved patient days, planned slowdowns and anticipated occupancy.

Available Beds: The maximum number of beds that are capable of being open and staffed where patients can be admitted.

Average Beds Open and in Operation: The actual average of daily bed numbers that were staffed and in operation.

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St. Paul's Hospital Foundation has raised over \$80 million in support of St. Paul's Hospital since the Foundation's inception in 1982.





(l-r): Registered Nurses Rachel Ayers, Jennifer Shirtliff and Sara Maximiuk in Surgery 4B: ENT, Plastics and Urology at St. Paul's Hospital.

Collaborative Partnerships



Together with our physicians, practitioners and other staff; together with our patients; together with our donors, community and partners, St. Paul's Hospital has thrived on its commitment to create a healthy, thoughtful, caring world.

At the heart of its relationships is our Hospital's rewarding partnership with the Saskatoon Health Region. SPH became the first independently affiliated hospital in Canada to manage health services across the continuum of care in tandem with a regional authority. Through the Joint Partnership Committee of the Saskatoon Health Region and St. Paul's Hospital Board of Directors, SPH has implemented the management of select programs within the region and continues to complement programs and services managed by the Saskatoon Health Region within the framework of the unique Partnership Agreement.

Regional Programs managed by St. Paul's Hospital:

- Chronic Disease Management
- Emergency
- Ethics Services
- Laboratory Medicine
- Medical Imaging and Nuclear Medicine
- Mental Health and Addiction
- Palliative Care Services
- Renal Services
- Saskatchewan Transplant Program
- Spiritual and Cultural Care

The Saskatoon Health Region manages all other programs at St. Paul's Hospital such as General Surgery; Day Surgery; Operating Room; Critical Care; Ambulatory Care; Urology; Medicine; Ear, Nose and Throat; Plastics; Nephrology; Therapies and First Nations and Métis Health Services. In

addition, St. Paul's Hospital houses several Saskatoon Health Region administrative offices including Primary Care Offices, Mental Health and Addictions Offices and many more.

Saskatchewan is the first jurisdiction in Canada to apply Lean processes across its entire health system. Working in partnership with the Government of Saskatchewan and the Saskatoon Health Region, Lean is an exciting patient-first approach that puts the needs and values of patients and families at the forefront of compassionate care and uses proven methods to continuously improve the health care system.

Fuelled by their own creativity and energy, employees are encouraged and empowered to implement innovative solutions and continuously improve the patient experience. St. Paul's Hospital, in partnership with the Saskatoon Health Region, uses Lean methods to improve processes and explore and implement innovative solutions, thereby providing the best quality health care possible.

2013-14 Highlights for St. Paul's Hospital Managed Programs

Medical Imaging and Nuclear Medicine participated in Lean management initiatives aimed at modifying staffing and workflow to provide better support and more prompt service to the emergency and in-patient departments. Working closely with laboratory medicine, improvements were made in how renal biopsies are completed, increasing effectiveness and improving the patient experience. Other improvements enabled more reliable booking of patients requiring interventional exams and better coordination with other units in the Hospital.

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Like the Hospital we serve, St. Paul's Hospital Foundation is deeply committed to its partnerships. This is reflected in our core values of Community Support and Partnerships. We work to continually foster and strengthen relationships with donors, stakeholders and the communities we serve.



Spiritual Care began planning the development of three intensive units to be offered annually as part of a Clinical Pastoral Education Residency program. These intensive units give participants an opportunity to fast-track training toward a specialist designation in spiritual care.

Emergency Services incorporated a number of Lean Management processes, and we are now extremely proud of our “pivot triage” process which gets patients into beds 50 percent faster, with an improved assessment process for our Waiting Room patients. We now have Emergency Room staff and physicians who work at all three Saskatoon hospital Emergency sites, thereby providing better consistency and continuity of emergency services throughout the region.

Chronic Disease Management focused on improving the standard of care, increasing referrals to Chronic Disease Management programs, and bridging connections to outpatient diabetes programs and other services.

Mental Health and Addictions has reduced wait times across the spectrum of community services. Our 30-day re-admission rates for acute in-patient psychiatry remain below national averages.

Palliative Care Services moved to a Collaborative Care Nursing model that sees Licensed Practical Nurses (LPNs) and Registered Nurses (RNs) working together at their full scopes of practice, including an increase in LPN hours per shift and coverage to include nights. Palliative Care services welcomed a new Medical Co-director, Dr. Vivian Walker, and received the support of a part-time Clinical Nurse Educator this year.

Renal Services initiated a process to standardize all hemodialysis machines across the province. Following a request for proposals and a rigorous machine evaluation, initial machine training and deployment occurred in the larger centres of Saskatoon and Regina with the intent to replace all provincial machines within the next few years.

In the **Laboratory**, the Hematology department began operating new Blood

Analyzers. The Anatomical Pathology department realigned clinical staff to support on-site work and arranged for the transfer of a Medical Laboratory Technologist to St. Paul's in preparation for the opening of a new state-of-the-art Digital Transmission Electron Microscope (TEM) Laboratory, the first of its kind in Saskatchewan hospitals, one that will serve patients from across the province.

Ethics Services continues to build ethics capability across the region. This year, we provided an introduction to ethics for all new staff and engaged in a roll out of the Health Ethics Guide at Catholic facilities in Saskatchewan.

Through the **Saskatchewan Transplant Program**, 16 patients received a kidney transplant and 44 received a cornea transplant. On December 10, 2013, people gathered at St. Paul's Hospital to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the first kidney transplant in Saskatchewan, only the second of its kind in Canada, successfully performed by a pioneering team of physicians and nurses on Stella Mossing, an 18-year-old from rural Saskatchewan. At the gathering, wonderful stories were heard from physicians and patients celebrating the history of kidney transplant, highlighting the present and outlining our hopes for the future.



Recognizing that people often visit the Chapel at St. Paul's for comfort and healing, the Columbian Ladies #1517 and #9538 generously donated \$27,217 toward chapel upgrades in 2013. The Columbian Ladies have been strong supporters of St. Paul's Hospital for many decades and even commissioned a stained glass window for the Chapel. This year's donation brings their total support to St. Paul's to \$79,717.

Jenna Frey, Nuclear Medicine Technologist in Medical Imaging and Nuclear Medicine at St. Paul's Hospital.





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Because of the generosity of St. Paul's Hospital Foundation donors, an additional seven high-quality specialty beds will be purchased for the Palliative Care Unit.



Spiritual Care Services – Listening With Heart

Donors Leonard and Helen Kutz pointing out Helen Kutz's 1951 nursing graduation photo to Manager of Spiritual Care Connie Lachapelle (standing, centre) and Manager of Major Giving Lecina Hicke. Leonard and Helen Kutz recently made a gift of \$75,000 to St. Paul's Hospital Foundation –\$37,500 for a state-of-the-art SPECT-CT and \$37,500 toward the holistic Spiritual Care program. Helen and Leonard are both cancer survivors who have used the services of St. Paul's Hospital and appreciate both the medical and spiritual care they received.

St. Paul's Hospital Managed Programs

Spiritual Care

Spirituality has long been an integral part of the holistic health care provided at St. Paul's Hospital. Our Hospital was entrusted with leading Spiritual Care throughout the region in 2000, and today we lead Saskatoon Health Region's Spiritual Care Program, which assists patients and families of all faiths and backgrounds with their spiritual needs. Spiritual Care workers are available to pray and to listen, and also will make arrangements for a member of the patient's own faith community to visit as requested. They also provide spiritual care bereavement follow-up and regularly hold inter-denominational memorial services.

At SPH, the third-floor Chapel, fifth-floor Multi-faith Stillness Room, fifth-floor First Nations Prayer and Ceremonial Room as well as various Quiet Rooms throughout the facility are important places of sanctuary and revelation, both for patients and for their families in times of need. The First Nations Prayer and Ceremonial Room was founded in 1998 and was the first of its kind in Saskatoon, dedicated to meeting spiritual needs as identified by First Nations peoples.

The Saskatoon Health Region First Nations and Métis Health Services opened in 2013 at St. Paul's Hospital, and it works closely with SPH's Aboriginal Spiritual Care staff to ensure spiritual needs are met and ceremonies provided.

St. Paul's Hospital is a teaching hospital and has offered nationally accredited programs in Clinical Pastoral Education since 1992. The program includes instruction, group work, and student clinical practice in Saskatoon hospitals.

Palliative Care Services

As a pioneer in the development of Palliative Care in Saskatoon, St. Paul's Hospital is pleased to partner with SHR to provide Palliative Care Services for the Region, providing compassionate attention primarily directed toward improving the experience for people nearing the end of life. Delivered by an interdisciplinary team of professionals, the program provides sensitive and skilled care to meet the needs of the patient, family and other loved ones.

Ethics Services

Ethics is at the heart and soul of quality health care. The Ethicists and members of the Ethics Committees in the Region are valuable resources to patients, families, physicians and other staff. They facilitate the processes required to make decisions and policy regarding issues that may include conflicts of values.

Emergency Services

Emergency serves the community of Saskatoon and surrounding areas 24 hours per day, seven days a week, and supports other Emergency Rooms across the Region.

Emergency's environment is dynamic, challenging and fast-paced. The dedicated team of physicians, nurses and support staff deliver expert care with compassion and regard for not only the physical but also the spiritual and cultural needs of their patients.

Chronic Disease Management

An inter-professional team of experts assists clients and families adapting and adjusting to living with chronic disease. A variety of program and service options are available to assist this population including education sessions, supervised exercise programs, individual counselling, disease management clinics and self-management and stress management workshops.



Donors Eileen and Gordon Bonnor in front of the Palliative Care Wall at St. Paul's Hospital. The Bonnors generously provided a gift to support the purchase of specialty beds and mattresses for the Palliative Care Unit.

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SPH Foundation continues its annual commitment of \$200,000 to enhance Spiritual Care Services and support the Catholic Health Administrative Fellowship at St. Paul's Hospital. Mentored by the Hospital CEO, the Catholic Administrative Fellow provides leadership in Catholic health care, liaison, facilitation and administrative services to St. Paul's Hospital.





50th Anniversary Kidney Transplant

(l-r): St. Paul's Hospital Board Chair Bill Edwards joins kidney transplant survivor Larry Kreklewich, Dr. Richard Baltzan and St. Paul's Hospital CEO Jean Morrison in cutting the cake to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the first kidney transplant in Saskatchewan.

Laboratory Services

St. Paul's manages laboratories in the city which, in turn, provide laboratory leadership across the Region. The laboratories test and interpret results for in-patients and out patients. The High Volume Lab at SPH performs blood and body fluid testing, drug level monitoring, and referral of research work for the Region. Pathology and Laboratory Medicine support patient care by providing diagnostic testing in Anatomical Pathology, Microbiology, Clinical Biochemistry, Hematology, Transfusion Medicine and Cytogenetics.

Mental Health and Addictions

Mental Health and Addiction Services provides a range of in-patient, residential and out patient clinical services for clients of all ages. Our team of professionals uses a variety of strategies for care including individual, group and family therapies. Mental Health and Addiction Services participate in Police and Crisis Team (PACT), an important partnership between police and Saskatoon Crisis Intervention Services. We are standing members of the Violent Threat Risk Assessment process with schools and the inter-sectorial HUB and COR processes that bring together police, health care professionals, social service workers and others in the prevention and reduction of crime. We also work with the Whitecap Dakota Primary Health initiative to develop services in that community.

Renal Services

A leader in the treatment of renal diseases, St. Paul's Hospital provides a number of specialized services for the region as well as rural and Northern communities.

Health promotion and disease prevention work is carried out by the Chronic Kidney Disease (CKD) Outreach program, whose mandate includes working with First Nations communities across Northern Saskatchewan. Once diagnosed with renal disease, patients and their families work with a multidisciplinary team to slow the progression of the disease at the CKD Clinic at St. Paul's Hospital.

Renal Services provides in-hospital hemodialysis as well as training and support for patients who wish to perform their own dialysis at home. The Home Based Therapies program which includes peritoneal dialysis and home hemodialysis allows patients to take a more active role in their health and regain more independence and control by performing their own care at home. Individuals living outside Saskatoon and not able to manage their own treatment may be eligible to receive conventional dialysis at one of the four satellite units (Lloydminster, North Battleford, Prince Albert and Tisdale) that are co-managed by the Home Based Therapies Unit at St. Paul's. Since 2001, all kidney transplants in the province and chronic conventional hemodialysis within the Region occur at St. Paul's Hospital.

Saskatchewan Transplant Program

Since 1963, over 800 kidney transplants have been performed in Saskatoon and currently all such transplants are performed at St. Paul's Hospital through the Saskatchewan Transplant Program. This program, established in 1989, also provides cornea transplants and supports patients who need a heart, lung, combined kidney-pancreas or liver transplant.

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We believe that an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure! In 2013, St. Paul's Hospital Foundation committed to raising \$100,000 in support of the Chronic Kidney Disease (CKD) Outreach program to educate people from all over Saskatchewan on how to prevent and, if necessary, manage kidney disease.



Medical Imaging and Nuclear Medicine

A wide range of diagnostic imaging services are provided for patients with the Saskatoon Health Region and the province of Saskatchewan. The skilled staff use a variety of highly technical equipment to provide detailed images that can be analyzed to help identify and treat medical conditions. Some of the procedures performed at St. Paul's Hospital include General Radiology (X-Ray), Fluoroscopy, Angiography/Interventional, Computed Tomography (CT), Lithotripsy, Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI), Ultrasound and Nuclear Medicine.



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In 2013 St. Paul's Hospital Foundation committed to raising \$2.4 million to support the purchase of a SPECT-CT for St. Paul's Hospital. A SPECT-CT combines a nuclear medicine gamma camera with the latest diagnostic CT technology for advanced medical imaging and faster diagnosis for patients suffering from cancers, brain tumours and diabetic complications.



(l-r): Jenna Frey, Nuclear Medicine Technologist with Dr. Sundee Nijjar, Division Head, Nuclear Medicine in Medical Imaging and Nuclear Medicine at St. Paul's Hospital.

Artist-in-Residence Marlessa Wesolowski in front of the SPH Rainbow Collective art piece at St. Paul's Hospital. The SPH Rainbow Collective was imagined by Marlessa and collectively created with individual hand-painted pieces of recycled wood by patients, families, caregivers and community members. Together, this rainbow brings to life the intricate diversity within the community and bridges unity, hope and love.



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Recognizing the value of St. Paul's Healing Arts program, the Dakota Dunes Community Development Corporation generously approved a gift of \$25,000 for the program and Affinity Credit Union provided a \$10,000 gift toward the development of the Emergency Ramp mural.



Holistic Health Care

The Healing Arts

Rekindle the Gift of God that is within you. – Timothy 1:6

In keeping with our mission to provide a more humanized, whole-person approach and experience in health care, our Healing Arts program was formally created in 2005 as part of SPH Mission Office. In addition to supporting our patients and their loved ones, the program aims to build positive collaborative partnerships with community organizations, with special focus on at-risk youth living in the vicinity of St. Paul's Hospital.

Through the use of a "mobile drop-in art studio," the Healing Arts program facilitates bedside arts activities with patients.

Artist-in-Residence Marlessa Wesolowski and volunteers assist patients by distributing art supplies, providing basic instruction and encouraging art creation in a healing and supportive environment. Over 350 Healing Arts program works of art are displayed throughout St. Paul's Hospital.

Healing Arts activities extend to poetry, written word and music. Music Therapist Lisa Wutch uses music and its beauty as a therapeutic tool for the patients' benefit. The artwork and music created by patients, families, caregivers, community artists and youth transform what can often be viewed as a sterile hospital environment into one full of joy, warmth and inspiration.

New Artwork for the Aboriginal Prayer and Ceremonial Room

Because Aboriginal values and customs are part of our Hospital's rich cultural fabric, the Aboriginal Prayer and Ceremonial Room on the fifth floor exists as a centrepiece

of respect and kinship amongst all of the Hospital's populations. 2013 saw the development of additional artwork by Fred Spyglass under the leadership of Spiritual and Cultural helper Delores Wuttanee, for the Aboriginal Prayer and Ceremonial Room.

St. Paul's Hospital Ceiling Tiles

St. Paul's Hospital thoughtfully provided patients in hospital beds with the opportunity to easily view beautiful and healing artwork by placing it on the ceiling. In 2009, the Hospital engaged fourteen professional Saskatchewan artists in the creation of ceiling tiles. Each tile was painted with the intention to help patients and their families connect with beauty, release stress and find inner hope at a time of illness or health crisis. The project was warmly received by patients and staff, and soon expanded to include community youth groups to create a gallery of tiles for the Patient Registration Department. Today, patients and their families experience the therapeutic effects of painting our growing collection of ceiling tiles under the guidance of SPH Artist-in-Residence Marlessa Wesolowski.



SPH Ceiling Tile created by Saskatoon artist Cheryl Buckmaster in 2009.



Artist Fred Spyglass painting a mural in the Aboriginal Prayer and Ceremonial Room at St. Paul's Hospital



Erin Schimpf, Manager of Chronic Kidney Disease and Home-Based Therapies at SPH Community Day with her daughter Alexis.

Community Engagement

Who could imagine, or who could want, Saskatoon without St. Paul's? It's not merely another community asset...but an institution woven into the lives of countless individuals.
 – Dr. J. Francis Leddy, Dean of U of S College of Arts and Sciences, 1957.

Community is a powerful factor in healing and growth, and has always been an integral aspect of the development of St. Paul's Hospital.

Situated in the centre of one of Saskatoon's oldest neighbourhoods, St. Paul's Hospital has been a landmark and gathering place for many individuals and groups for more than a century. Since 1907, the Hospital has been a special place where many generations have felt welcome. Today, SPH Mission Office provides leadership in community engagement. The neighbourhoods that surround SPH are culturally rich, ethnically diverse areas, and we strive to include people from all backgrounds and traditions by recognizing their beliefs and celebrating their culture with them.

Community Day

Many young people live near St. Paul's and so we celebrate the children and youth of our neighbourhoods through Community Day, an annual event we have been hosting and organizing since 1992. Every year, more than

600 students join volunteers and staff on the front lawn of St. Paul's Hospital to participate in entertainment, treats and fun on that special day. It's just one more way St. Paul's is able to give back to our community, and another example of how we put into practice our vision of a community of health, hope and compassion for all.

New Community Mural

On September 13, 2013, St. Paul's Hospital celebrated the unveiling of the new sixty-eight-foot mural fronting the Emergency Ramp block wall at St. Paul's Hospital. The design reflects our vision of "A community of health, hope and compassion for all." Staff, sponsors, community groups, school groups and community artists all came together to develop the mural, and artist Candice Grosenick incorporated their various visions into one design that was "brought to life" by SCYAP's Mural Team. Many community groups contributed financial support for the mural, which depicts the many people, cultures, and even animals that comprise our community.

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We are very grateful for the many volunteers who offer their services to keep the St. Paul's Hospital Gift Shop open six days a week. All proceeds from the Gift Shop are directed to St. Paul's Hospital Foundation in support of the Hospital.



(l-r): SPH President and CEO Jean Morrison, SCYAP's Tammy Krueckl and Affinity Credit Union representatives Cecilia Zerr and Myrna Hewitt with community members making hand imprints on the mural at its unveiling in September.

St. Paul's Hospital Foundation



If one advances confidently in the direction of his dreams, and endeavours to live the life he has imagined, he will meet with success unexpected. – Henry David Thoreau

St. Paul's Hospital Foundation was founded in 1982 as an independent body responsible for fund raising programs and activities in support of St. Paul's Hospital. The Foundation advances St. Paul's Hospital's mission, vision and values by raising, prudently managing and allocating funds in keeping with donors' wishes and to the best advantage of St. Paul's Hospital. SPH Foundation has a vision of philanthropic leadership in support of St. Paul's Hospital as inspired by the spirit of charity and compassion of the Grey Nuns.

SPH Foundation Core Values

Donor-Centered Philanthropy

Our fund raising, fund management, fund allocation and stewardship activities reflect the interests and aspirations of our donors.

Accountability

We demonstrate accountability in all of our actions and fulfill our commitments to St. Paul's Hospital, donors, stakeholders and the community.

Community Support and Partnerships

We work to continually foster and strengthen relationships with donors, stakeholders and the communities we serve.

Innovation

We constantly strive to be the best by encouraging and celebrating creativity and demonstrating excellence.

SPH Foundation Employees and Volunteers

St. Paul's Hospital Foundation has an experienced, dedicated and dynamic group of professional employees who regularly liaise with donors, physicians, practitioners and other Hospital employees to carefully manage donor gifts and allocate funds to best meet the needs of the patients we serve. The Foundation is blessed also to have wonderful volunteers who help with a variety of important tasks for the Foundation, providing over 40 days of office support annually.



*St. Paul's Hospital Foundation Volunteer Board Chair
Colleen Cameron-Bergan.*



SPH Foundation Board Member Barb Berscheid talking to children at SPH Community Day.

SPH Foundation Board of Directors 2013-2014

Administered by a volunteer Board of Directors, St. Paul's Hospital Foundation has raised over \$80 million since its inception. The commitment of our Board of Directors continues to develop our strong and vital presence in our community. The SPH Foundation Board of Directors meets nine times a year, including an annual general meeting in April. Each Board member is appointed for a three-year term and can serve two consecutive terms. The officer positions (Chair, Past Chair, Vice-Chair, Treasurer and Secretary) are appointed annually, with the Chair allowed to serve two consecutive years in that position.

SPH Foundation Committees

Governance and Board Development Committee:

John Agioritis (Chair), Barb Berscheid, Linda Arnot, Mercedes Montgomery, Darlene Cooper, Colleen Cameron-Bergan (ex-officio)

Human Resources Board Committee:

Mercedes Montgomery (Chair), Barb Berscheid, John Agioritis, Judy Klassen, Glenn Sinden (at-large) and Colleen Cameron-Bergan (ex-officio)

Audit and Finance Board Committee:

Denise Frey (Chair), Melanie Hilkewich, Alan Koop, Colleen Cameron-Bergan, Ken Horsman, Arne Paus-Jenssen

SPH Foundation Employees:

Bruce Acton (Chief Executive Officer), Michelle Baumann (Manager of Operations and Accounting), Cass Cozens (Manager of Major Giving until July), Lecina Hicke (Manager of Major Giving as of August), Shannon Harnett (Manager of Annual Giving), Jacquie Berg (Manager of Communications and Stewardship to July), Sandhya Padmanabh (Manager of Communications and Stewardship as of August), Valerie Hunt (Database Manager), Darlene Hawes (Gift Shop Manager), Mariette Jean (Donations Administrator), Carrie Church (Administrative Assistant)



SPH Foundation Board of Directors 2013-2014

Standing (l-r): Barb Berscheid, Alan Koop, Denise Frey (Treasurer), Linda Arnot (Secretary), Colleen Cameron-Bergan (Board Chair), Bruce Acton (CEO), Jean Morrison (SPH President and CEO), Melanie Hilkewich, Darlene Cooper, Dr. Arne Paus-Jenssen, Dr. Judy Klassen, Mercedes Montgomery (Past Chair), Kathy Daniels (SPH Board Past Chair)

Seated (l-r): John Agioritis (Vice-Chair) and Ken Horsman.

Absent: Sister Ludvina Scheck

SPH Foundation Volunteer Board Chair
Colleen Cameron-Bergan with CEO Bruce Acton.



Message from the Foundation CEO and Volunteer Board Chair

It's no accident that both St. Paul's Hospital and St. Paul's Hospital Foundation share core values that focus on building a more caring world through partnership and community engagement. We know that we are at our best when working together with our donors, volunteers, families, communities and practitioners in support of St. Paul's Hospital. With the critical need for specialized equipment and services continually on the rise, we thrive on working side-by-side with these dedicated people to create positive and lasting change.

2013 was a record-setting year for St. Paul's Hospital Foundation, which raised an impressive \$6.1 million in support of St. Paul's Hospital. Donors showed their enthusiastic support for our holistic approach to health care by directing generous gifts toward the Spiritual Care and Healing Arts programs. Following on the heels of last year's grand opening of the new Leslie and Irene Dubé Urology Centre of Health, we successfully completed fund raising for the purchase and installation of Saskatchewan's

only Digital Transmission Electron Microscope, and began a new round of fund raising for an advanced 3D imaging SPECT-CT scanner. In recognition of the ongoing need for disease prevention, we expanded our fund raising this year to include a chronic kidney disease education and prevention component.

We would like to offer a heartfelt thank you to our community of friends, whose generous gifts bring much-needed hope to countless patients and their families. Our Foundation's Board of Directors and dedicated staff are consistently thrilled to be able to steward these gifts into meaningful support for the Hospital. We know that by working together we can enjoy the practical, emotional and spiritual rewards that come with making a difference in the lives of so many deserving people.

Bruce Acton,
Chief Executive Officer

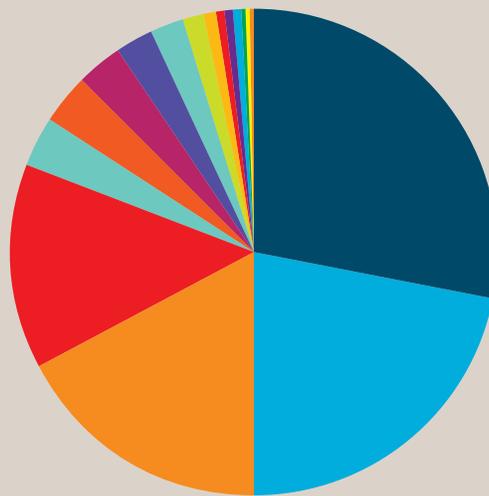
Colleen Cameron-Bergan,
Volunteer Board Chair

2013 Foundation Allocations

2013 St. Paul's Hospital Foundation Allocations

Through the generous support of our donors, St. Paul's Hospital Foundation allocated \$3,177,911 to St. Paul's Hospital in 2013. Highlights of the year included the opening of the Leslie and Irene Dubé Urology Centre of Health, the total renovation of the auditorium and the completion of fund raising for the purchase and installation of a Digital Transmission Electron Microscope that will be in operation in 2014.

Total: \$3,177,911



- Digital Transmission Electron Microscope \$900,000
- Leslie and Irene Dubé Urology Centre of Health \$690,702*
- Auditorium (Pylypchuk Hall) Upgrade \$552,500
- Departmental Funds \$429,105
- SPH Foundation Draws \$111,071
- Spiritual Care \$100,000
- Catholic Administrative Fellowship \$100,000
- Professional Development \$82,025
- Healing Arts Program \$69,970
- Code Carts \$38,180
- Named Endowments \$31,533
- Urology Flexible Cytoscope \$18,536
- Emergency Ramp Mural \$17,380
- Chronic Kidney Disease Program \$13,802
- Hemodialysis Chairs \$11,707
- Community Relations \$9,146
- Additional Purchases \$2,253

** Includes Rawlco Radio Surgery 4B, Ambulatory Unit, Nurse Navigator, Urology Symposium and related Professional Development*

Total Allocations to St. Paul's Hospital from the Foundation's inception in 1982 to December 31, 2013: \$48,271,116

Report Of The Independent Auditors On The Summary Financial Statements

To the Board

The accompanying summary financial statements of St. Paul's Hospital Foundation, Inc., which comprise the summary statements of financial position as at December 31, 2013, and the summary statement of operations and fund balances for the year then ended are derived from the audited financial statements, prepared in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations, of St. Paul's Hospital Foundation Inc. as at December 31, 2013.

We expressed an unmodified audit opinion on those financial statements in our report dated March 27, 2014. The summary financial statements do not contain all the disclosures required by Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations applied in the preparation of the audited financial statements of St. Paul's Hospital Foundation Inc. Reading the summary financial statements, therefore, is not a substitute for reading the audited financial statement of St. Paul's Hospital Foundation, Inc.

Management's Responsibility for the Summarized Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation of the summary financial statements in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations.

Auditors' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the summary financial statements based on our procedures, which were conducted in accordance with Canadian Auditing Standard (CAS) 810, "Engagements to Report on Summary Financial Statements."

Opinion

In our opinion, the summary financial statements derived from the audited financial statements of St. Paul's Hospital Foundation, Inc. as at and for the year ended December 31, 2013 are a fair summary of those financial statements, in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations.

KPMG LLP

Chartered Accountants
Saskatoon, Canada
March 27, 2014

SUMMARIZED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

December 31, 2013, with comparative information for 2012

	2013	2012
Assets		
Current assets	\$ 4,191,202	\$ 6,720,971
Investments	7,991,102	3,894,026
Cash and investments in trust for endowment funds	4,139,224	4,243,619
Equipment	4,205	6,330
Grey Nuns residence	395,878	395,878
	<u>\$ 16,721,611</u>	<u>\$ 15,260,824</u>
Liabilities and Fund Balances		
Current liabilities	\$ 258,366	\$ 214,288
Fund balances	16,463,245	15,046,536
	<u>\$ 16,721,611</u>	<u>\$ 15,260,824</u>

SUMMARIZED STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS AND FUND BALANCES

Year ended December 31, 2013, with comparative information for 2012

	2013	2012
Revenue:		
Donations	\$ 3,929,204	\$ 2,802,145
Investment income	812,311	605,056
Gaming	938,938	1,007,519
Project revenue	423,462	392,361
Other	-	109,164
	<u>6,103,915</u>	<u>4,916,245</u>
Contributions to St. Paul's Hospital	3,177,911	2,290,473
Operating expenses	1,509,295	1,434,836
	<u>4,687,206</u>	<u>3,725,309</u>
Excess of revenue over expenses	1,416,709	1,190,936
Fund balances, beginning of the year	15,046,536	13,855,600
Fund balances, end of the year	<u>\$ 16,463,245</u>	<u>\$ 15,046,536</u>

*Dr. George and Shelda Pylypchuk
seated in Pylypchuk Hall at St. Paul's Hospital.*



Major Giving

Dr. George and Shelda Pylypchuk and Family

St. Paul's Hospital received teaching accreditation back in 1926 and ever since, countless medical students, interns and residents have trained here in both clinical and practical experience. Our Hospital's standing as a highly reputable learning and training facility with a family-oriented, co-operative atmosphere continues to the present day, now expanded to include acute-care clinical training for residents and internships in a wide variety of fields from Respiratory Medicine to Spiritual Care to Food and Nutrition.

Dr. George and Shelda Pylypchuk, a husband and wife physician and nurse team who have been working at St. Paul's since the 1970s, believe that a strong commitment to ongoing education is an integral aspect of quality health care. Deeply committed to the Hospital and its success, the Pylypchuks ushered in a new era in health education at the Hospital when they brought forward their idea to modernize the previously underutilized auditorium and provide access for distance education. The Pylypchuks made a significant gift in support of the upgrade, and on March 12, their vision became reality when the newly renovated facility, Pylypchuk Hall, was unveiled.

The auditorium boasts comfortable seating, great ventilation, a 3-D projector and state-of-the-art two-way video-conferencing via Telehealth Saskatchewan, thereby extending the learning opportunities far beyond the hospital walls. The Telehealth audio-visual equipment was generously funded by Areva Resources Canada and Areva Foundation in their continued support of Renal Telehealth and Chronic Renal Insufficiency Outreach programs at St. Paul's Hospital. As well,

a meeting room for educators has been incorporated into the redesign. The story of St. Paul's legacy of teaching excellence dating back to when the Grey Nuns opened the Hospital in 1907 is depicted in a mural in the auditorium lobby.

David and Karen Holst

David and Karen Holst followed their hearts to St. Paul's Hospital, making a generous donation to the area of greatest need. The St. Paul's Hospital Foundation Board of Directors have chosen to allocate the donation to the purchase of advanced medical imaging equipment known as SPECT-CT. Both David and Karen Holst have been closely attached to the Hospital since they were young, and wanted to help in the most valuable way possible. They are hoping their donation will inspire others to give as well. By supporting the current area of greatest need, the Holsts can ensure their \$500,000 donation will be put to its best possible use.



Dr. George Pylypchuk speaking to a full house at the Grand Opening of Pylypchuk Hall – the newly renovated auditorium at St. Paul's Hospital.



(l-r): Donors Karen and David Holst speaking to Jean Morrison, SPH President and CEO at St. Paul's Hospital.



(l-r): Rock 102 Morning Hosts Watson, Whitney and Shack interview Dr. Kishore Visvanathan during "Rock 102's Caged for the Cure"

Community Supported Initiatives

Each year, St. Paul's Hospital Foundation welcomes the support of community members who host fund raising events in support of the Hospital.

On May 23 and 24, Rawlco Radio hosted the third annual "Rock 102's Caged for the Cure" live radio marathon. The event raised \$105,545 in support of the Leslie and Irene Dubé Urology Centre of Health.

2013 brought forth the inaugural "Evening Under the Stars" musical fund raising event held on August 21 at Whitecap Dakota First Nation. The event was so popular that planning has already begun for 2014, with proceeds from the event supporting the Palliative Care Unit at St. Paul's Hospital.

The "Prostate Cancer Canada Wake Up Call Breakfast" was held for the first time in Saskatoon on September 18. The first "Saskatoon Local Hero" award was presented to Dr. Joyce Davison for her work in the fight against prostate cancer. The event raised \$17,362 for the Leslie and Irene

Dubé Urology Centre of Health.

On September 27, the "Autumn Style Extravaganza" fashion show hosted by Tanya and Jack Wur and featuring the stunning styles of Klassique Designs raised over \$5,000 for SPH Foundation.

The fifth annual "Mogathon," Saskatoon's most exciting running event of the year, was held on September 28, 2013, with participants generously allocating a portion of their proceeds in support of St. Paul's Hospital.

The "Gormley Gathering" is a cocktail party presented by PotashCorp and hosted by Rawlco Radio's John Gormley. The third annual event was held on November 4 and featured musician Dan Hill, who both performed and spoke of his own journey with prostate cancer. Our most successful and glamorous community-hosted event this past year, the Gormley Gathering raised more than \$133,000 to improve services for patients living with prostate cancer and other urological diseases in Saskatoon and across the province.



Host John Gormley speaking to a guest at the Gormley Gathering

Foundation Signature Event

Mistletoe Ball

This year's Mistletoe Ball, presented by PotashCorp, was one of the most impressive and successful fund raising events ever. Celebrating its 24th year, the gala charity ball raised \$187,300 in support of the purchase and installation of an advanced SPECT-CT digital scanner at St. Paul's Hospital. Since its inception, the Mistletoe Ball has raised

more than \$1.5 million for St. Paul's Hospital Foundation. The success of the event would not be possible without the ongoing dedication and support of a committed volunteer group. We look forward to an exciting year ahead with the upcoming 25th anniversary of the Mistletoe Ball.



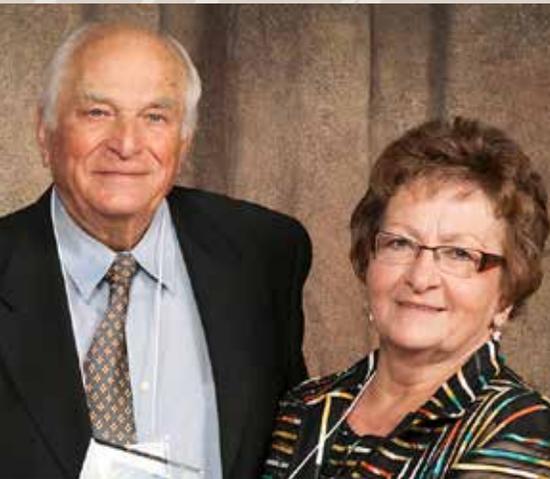
2013 Mistletoe Ball Committee

Back row (l-r): Dr. Helen Horsman, Barbara Berscheid, Carrie Church (SPH Foundation Administrative Assistant), Cindi Gaucher (Co-Chair), Renée Bokshowan.

Front row (l-r): Shannon Harnett (SPH Foundation Manager of Annual Giving), Anne Reddekopp, Tanya Wur, Carol Yelland (Co-Chair).



Guests enjoying their evening at this year's Mistletoe Ball.



Russel Muzyka and Delphine Winter plan to donate to St. Paul's Hospital throughout their retirement, so they've established an endowment in which to invest those funds. The Russel Muzyka and Delphine Winter Endowment Fund was created with an initial donation of \$25,000. The principle investment will remain intact while generating investment income for the Foundation and thereby supporting the area of greatest need at St. Paul's Hospital.

Planned Giving

Legacy Giving

Planned giving is a meaningful way for donors to ensure lasting gifts and a poignant illustration of the donor concern for the maintenance of our mission well into the future. Planned gifts integrate personal financial and estate planning with the donor's intention to give through a variety of mediums, such as a Will, a Trust, or a life insurance policy. St. Paul's Hospital Foundation Planned Giving Advisory Committee maintains a strong liaison with local professional advisors – lawyers, accountants, financial advisors and life underwriters – who help donors effectively steward their legacy gifts.

Endowments

Endowment funds provide a great opportunity for those who wish to make a lasting contribution to St. Paul's Hospital. The principal amount of the donation is held for a 10-year minimum, while the distributable earnings are allocated annually to an area of the donor's interest within the funding scope of SPH Foundation.

Planned Giving Advisory Committee

Terry McBride, Alan Koop, John Benesh, Lecina Hicke (Manager of Major Giving)

St. Paul's Hospital Endowment Funds

Saint Marguerite d'Youville Endowment Fund

In honour of the unique inspiration of St. Marguerite d'Youville, the fund supports special initiatives such as professional development and scholarships for SPH employees.

Grey Nuns Legacy Fund

Supports special activities in spiritual care, mission and ethics at SPH.

Joseph E. Knox Endowment Fund

Supports SPH greatest needs.

Russel Muzyka and Delphine Winter Endowment Fund

Supports SPH greatest needs.

Dr. Ivan Jen and Dr. Suzanne Yip Endowment Fund

Supports non-invasive cardiology.

Dr. Ivan Jen and Dr. Suzanne Yip Health Endowment Fund

Supports patient care through the Leslie and Irene Dubé Urology Centre of Health and MRI services at SPH.

Humanitas Endowment Fund

Supports the Palliative Care Resource Library.

Sheila Cooper Endowment Fund

Supports Palliative Care programs and training.

Janice Bergan Endowment Fund

Supports LPN education and related activities.

The William F. Mitchell Endowment Fund

Supports the annual Bioethics Seminar.

Sr. Carmen Marquis Endowment Fund

Supports the Emergency Department.

Roy E. Lloyd Endowment Fund

Supports SPH greatest needs.

Eleanor Marie McKay Reichardt Endowment Fund

Supports annual nursing student scholarships.

Evelyn Burkitt Endowment Fund

Supports the Leslie and Irene Dubé Urology Centre of Health at SPH.

Iris and Barry Maber Endowment Fund

Supports Palliative Home Care, scholarships in Occupational Therapy and/or Speech Language Pathology programs, and new initiatives in collaboration with the College of Medicine at the University of Saskatchewan.

Foundation Programs

Hospital Employee Educational Development

Our mission at St. Paul's Hospital is to provide everyone who walks through our doors requiring medical assistance with the best in compassionate care. As an acute care teaching hospital, education is top of mind and the importance of circulating that knowledge is paramount.

In 1991, a General Endowment Fund was established with a gift from the St. Paul's Hospital Nurses' Alumni. The Foundation has stewarded this endowment to provide learning opportunities for employees through funding directed to the Saskatoon Health Region Professional Development Fund and to the St. Paul's Hospital Foundation Professional Development Awards.

Saskatoon Health Region Professional Development Fund

The Saskatoon Health Region Professional Development Fund is a fund supporting learning opportunities for Saskatoon Health Region employees including participation in seminars, conferences and workshops. All three Saskatoon hospital foundations equally support the fund and in 2013, St. Paul's Hospital Foundation provided \$63,500 to the fund.

SPH Foundation Professional Development Awards

In 2013, SPH Foundation allocated \$13,500 to the St. Paul's Hospital Foundation Professional Development Awards, granting three groups and nine individuals the financial support to advance employee job knowledge, skills and qualifications. Every year, in conjunction with

the Feast Day of Saint Marguerite d'Youville during Mission Week in October, these awards are presented to employees by St. Paul's Hospital Foundation Board Members. Award Categories are: Urban A. Donlevy Excellence and Innovation Award, In-Hospital Program Assistance Award, Janice Bergan Endowment Award, Saskatoon Leadership Award and Les Dubé Scholarship Awards.

St. Paul's Hospital Foundation Draws

SPH Foundation recognizes that our larger fund raising initiatives do not always take into consideration the smaller but no less important needs that Hospital staff may encounter. The annual "St. Paul's Hospital Foundation Draw" is one of the Hospital's most popular programs, giving employees the opportunity to identify and request support for programs and purchase items that benefit patients and their families at our Hospital. Items funded through the annual SPH Foundation Draws include equipment, furniture, services and programs that would otherwise not receive funding from other sources, but do much to improve the Hospital experience for our patients, their families and our dedicated staff.

The following are some of the improvements made possible in 2013 due to this past year's Foundation Draws: five "Staxi Chairs" for patient use; security monitoring equipment in various areas of the hospital; patient and family room furniture for the Intensive Care Unit and the Brief/Social Detox Centre; equipment for the laboratory; equipment for our Volunteer Workforce; vital signs machines for Day Surgery; linen carts and a blanket warmer for Diagnostic Imaging.



SPH Foundation Board Vice-Chair John Agioritis presenting the In-Hospital Program Assistance Award to Erin Schimpf.



A few of SPH Foundation 2013 Professional Development Award Recipients with members from the SPH and SPH Foundation Volunteer Boards of Directors.

Inspired to Give

Recognizing donors with cumulative giving to SPH Foundation \$500 and greater from January 1, 2013 to December 31, 2013.

\$500,000+

David and Karen Holst
PotashCorp

\$100,000 - 499,999

Jack and Shirley Brodsky Family
Estate of Katherine Daley
Kinsmen Foundation
Beatrice and Fred Kuechle
Dr. Janet J. Markland
Joe Remai

\$25,000 - 99,999

Gordon and Eileen Bonnor
William and Verna Braid
Estate of Harold Bronson and Edith Bronson (Falkeid)
The Canadian Progress Club, Saskatoon Downtown
Columbian Ladies #1517 & 9538
C. Harvey Craig
Estate of Michael (Mike) Huculak
Leonard and Helen Kutz
Estate of Gerald Leidl
Finlay and Faye MacKenzie
Russel Muzyka and Delphine Winter
Denis and Terry Sirois
Walton Capital Management Inc.

\$5,000 - 24,999

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CEL Electrical Contractors
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The Honourable Mr. Justice Grant Currie and Jean Currie
Estate of Dr. Bruce Davis
Una and Goldy DeWitt
William and Ann Douglas
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Sylvia Fenske Family
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Estate of Raymond Kenneth Gruza
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Each went and found a second stick and returned to his bed. "Take your sticks and bind them together in groups of two and three," instructed the old man. His family obediently tied their sticks together in small bundles of two and three sticks. Again he asked them to break the bundled sticks in half, but none were able to break their bundle. "When we join together we are strong and we are not easily broken."



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