



your circle of care

Dear Friend,

During the holidays, we wish each other health and happiness and joy in the year ahead. These warm sentiments become profoundly meaningful when you or a loved one is ill or injured.

It's hard to be happy or optimistic when you're sick or in pain.

As an orthopedic surgeon, it's my life's work to help people like this. People whose lives are on hold due to broken bones, wearing joints, limited mobility, and critical injuries.

It gives me great satisfaction to be able to help—to really impact a patient's health and happiness.

I often see former patients out in the community, who will demonstrate how well their knees are bending or how effortlessly they can raise their arms after their surgeries.

Orthopedic surgery at Ross Memorial can be as straightforward as setting a broken bone, to a full hip replacement surgery, which can involve multiple trays of tools.

Our team also helps patients who have been in a collision or a farming or industrial accident—patients who need emergency surgery and precision care to survive.

In times such as these, we need many people in the OR to help: surgeons, anaesthetists, nurses—and you. **You are an important part of the circle of care.**

Did you know that it's donors like you who help us to purchase the operating tools and specialized equipment we need to perform these life-saving procedures?

In order to be prepared to operate at a moment's notice in emergency situations – in addition to a full day of scheduled surgeries – the Hospital must have multiple sets of surgical tools at the ready.

With a full team of orthopedic surgeons, the OR at Ross Memorial is busy every single day.

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Foundation

Yes, I want to help surgical patients and be
part of their circle of care.

www.rmh.org/foundation ☐ \$25 ☐ \$50 ☐ \$100 ☐ Other: \$

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☐ Enclosed is a cheque made payable to the
Ross Memorial Hospital Foundation

☐ Place my donation on my credit card:



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Use the enclosed envelope or mail to: 10 Angeline St. N., Lindsay, ON K9V 4M8
Please see other side for information on making monthly donations. All donations
are tax creditable however, tax receipts will not be issued for donations under \$10,
unless requested. Charitable Business Number: 11912 4121 RR0001

Each patient deserves exceptional care. That’s why I am writing to you.

Our Hospital needs to purchase more orthopedic surgical tools, cardiac monitors for the recovery room, and a transport cardiac monitor, which is used to move critical patients within the Hospital, and also for those patients who must be transported to another hospital for specialized care. They’re all part of the circle of care.

The cost of this equipment is \$185,500. The Hospital doesn’t receive provincial funding to cover these important needs. **We’re hoping that you will consider giving a gift of health and happiness this holiday by making a donation to the Ross Memorial Hospital Foundation.**

You can be a part of a patient’s safe surgery and strong recovery. You can help put patients back on their feet and give them joy in the year ahead. You can show the community that **the circle of care involves all of us.**

Please accept the enclosed ornament as our gift to you. Sign the ornament, dedicate it to a loved one, or send holiday greetings to the patients and team at the Ross. When you return it with your contribution, we’ll hang it on the Hospital’s Christmas trees in the main lobby, and the circle will be complete.

Thank you for your exceptional support. Have a safe and happy holiday.

Dr. Charles Noronha

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Orthopedic Surgeon
Ross Memorial Hospital

P.S.—For your convenience, the Ross Memorial Hospital Foundation accepts online donations. Please visit our website **www.rmh.org/foundation** for details.

P.P.S.—Should you receive another appeal delivered to your home in the near future, I would like to ask for your understanding. We are delivering unaddressed appeals in many areas so that we can give local residents the opportunity to show their support for Ross Memorial. Despite our best efforts, this process occasionally delivers more than one letter per household; however, we thank you for your patience.

I’d like to support Ross Memorial by making monthly gifts

Making a monthly gift can make it convenient and easy for you to lend your support. Your monthly gift supports work done throughout the year and helps us meet a wide variety of patient needs.


I wish to make a monthly gift of:

☐ \$10 ☐ \$15 ☐ \$20 or ☐ \$ per month for months.

Deduct it from my bank account:

☐ I’ve enclosed a cheque marked VOID. Bank deductions will be made on the 1st of each month.

Signature

Charge it to my credit card: ☐ **VISA** ☐ 

Cardholder’s Name Card Number/...../.....

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Make a lasting gift

☐ Please send me information on how I can include Ross Memorial Hospital Foundation in my Will.

☐ I have already included Ross Memorial Hospital Foundation in my Will.

☐ Please send me information on planned gifts which can offer tax advantages now, while providing for the Ross Memorial Hospital Foundation in the future.