



Recognizing Your Generosity

How RMHF celebrates our donors

We all give for different reasons — to say thanks, to celebrate, to remember — but the desire to help, to make a difference, is the same. Whatever your reason for making a donation to the hospital, we want you to know how much your generosity is appreciated.

Every donor who makes a contribution receives a personalized thank you letter and may have his or her name inscribed on our Donor Roll. The Donor Roll is a book permanently displayed at our original donor wall on the second floor of the hospital.

Thanks to the community’s support, plaques filled the wall in less than ten years. Our current donor walls are adjacent to the main lobby and recognize cumulative giving to the Foundation. The Tradition of Giving program not only recognizes our generous supporters, it encourages others to make a difference. Campaign specific walls are also located throughout RMH. Plaques vary in size and location, and recognize those who have reached the following levels:

<u>Category</u>	<u>Cumulative Gift</u>
Supporter	\$5,000
Provider	\$10,000
Benefactor	\$20,000
Patron	\$50,000
Founder	\$100,000



Original Donor Wall



Main Floor Donor Wall



Expanded Main Floor Donor Wall

For more information, please contact:

RMH Foundation
at 705-328-7317
or email foundation@rmh.org

Frequently Asked Questions

How do I know when I qualify for a plaque?

We keep records of every donation and will contact you each time your cumulative giving reaches the next level of recognition. If you choose to have a plaque, we will assist you to ensure it is meaningful to you. Plaques do vary in size and location and orders for new plaques are placed quarterly.

How do I get on the donor wall?

If you, your family, your company or organization would like to be included on our donor wall, please contact us at 705-328-6183.

Will I have public recognition?

If you wish, yes. We're happy to arrange a photo, which we'll post on our website and in our Foundation publications. We will also submit the photo and your story to the local media for their consideration.

How will my plaque read?

We want your plaque to be special to you, and reflect the sentiment behind your donation. Take a look at our donor walls. We will work with you to get your wording just right. Please note that logos are not permitted.

Some of the common plaques you will see on our donor walls are in honour of:

Individual donor/s

In Memory of a Loved One

Special Occasions

Families

Businesses

Events

Estates

Clubs/Organizations

Thanks to the Hospital Team

How many words can I include on my plaque?

The size of the plaques varies with the level of support. For example, the Supporter and Provider plaques can fit 4 lines of text with 28 characters and spaces on each line. The Benefactor and Patron plaques fit 4 lines of text with 50 characters and spaces on each line. The Founder plaques fit 6 lines of text with 30 characters and spaces on each line. All plaque wording is subject to approval and must be in keeping with Foundation policies and procedures.

Naming and Dedication of Facilities

Donor recognition plaques can be found throughout the hospital, outside some patient rooms, procedure rooms and patient care units.

The Ross Memorial Hospital Foundation ensures the appropriate utilization of a very limited number of recognition opportunities and follows policy guidelines for approving proposals.

The authority to accept or decline any naming and dedication recognition proposal ultimately rests with the Hospital's Board of Governors on the recommendation of the Foundation's Board of Directors. The RMH Board of Governors also has the authority to revoke naming and dedication recognition in consultation with the RMH Foundation.

