

What's Happening

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Healthy Harvest Winners

March 21, 2016 \$1,287.50

Mariana Svobodova - CGH

April 4, 2016 \$1,285.00

Jennifer Sahamis - ARH

April 18, 2016 \$1,342.50

Erin Boyd - ARH

Upcoming Events

May 7, 2016

Run For Mom 5/10K Run/Walk Canadian Education Park (UFV)

May 14, 2016

Suds, Spuds and Burger Fundraiser for CGH Eye Centre Mt. Cheam and Steller's Jay Lions Centennial Legacy Project 6pm – 8:30pm Triple Play Pub

June 17, 2016

Golf Classic Fraser Glen Golf Course

June 26, 2016

Scotiabank Vancouver 5km & Half Marathon
Discount Code: 2016FVHCF

Aug 14, 2016

FVHCF Car Show SevenOaks Shopping Centre

Oct 1, 2016

Education Event Ramada Inn

Run for Mom

Supporting MOMs at Chilliwack General Hospital.

This year, the goal is to raise \$30,000 to buy a fetal monitor

A fetal monitor measures the vital signs of both the baby and the mother. It detects heart rate, uterine activity, fetal movement and helps reduce complications.

Please help us provide baby and mom the best possible care.

Register today at www.FVHCF.ca

Your help can make a difference.



Pediatric Observation Unit



Having health concerns can be a scary time for a child and their parents. The new unit will support children who require 24-hour observation, an overnight stay at the hospital or outpatient services such as dressing changes, wound care, tube feeding or IV therapy. The unit provides child-friendly expert care in collaboration

with family physicians and the emergency department.

"While some children will still begin their journey in the emergency department, we are now able to quickly transfer them to an environment with specialized pediatric nurses and pediatricians to attend to their care needs," said Petra Pardy, executive director of Chilliwack Health Service Area and Chilliwack General Hospital.

Fraser Health provided funding for renovations and ongoing operations, while the Fraser Valley Health Care Foundation funded equipment and the children's décor with the help of organizations including the Rotary Club of Chilliwack-Fraser, Chilliwack Hospital Auxiliary, Fraser Valley Shrine Club #11 and Kiwanis Club of Sardis.

Shout Outs

Mt. Cheam and Steller's Jay Lions Club Centennial Legacy Project



Lions Club International is celebrating 100 years in 2017. Mt. Cheam and Steller's Jay Lions Club have a Centennial Legacy project and their goal is to raise \$600,000 by December 2016 for the Chilliwack General Hospital Eye Centre.

Learn more at:

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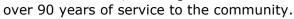
Volunteer Week



Auxiliary to the Abbotsford Regional Hospital are pillars of the community and excellent role models of tradition, commitment, and service; reaching 95 years of service and over \$1,000,000 in donations. Staff and volunteers at Abbotsford Regional Hospital honoured the Auxiliary at a 95th Anniversary Tea during National Volunteer Week.

Jean MacFarlane, Past President and Life Member, receives a kiss of appreciation from staff for her service and dedication to the Auxiliary for 58 years.

On April 7th, the Mission Health Care Auxiliary was presented with a Lifetime Achievement Award by The District of Mission, in recognition of





On April 12, we celebrated Volunteer Appreciation Week for our Chilliwack General Hospital volunteers. Thanks you for all the work you do to keep the hospital running.

Chilliwack Chiefs

On February 21st the Chilliwack Chiefs Minor Hockey Night not only ended in a win for our home team, but also saw more than \$4,000 raised by community members attending, and organizations hosting the fundraising game. The majority of the funds were raised through the silent auction of players jerseys. The proceeds will go towards bolstering adolescent Mental Health programs at Chilliwack General Hospital."

Demonstrating the importance of youth involvement and engagement in mental health initiatives targeted towards them, the evening showcased a mental health awareness video that has been produced and led by local youth. It features Chilliwack Chief players and coaches, and youth and service providers in the community and aims to reduce the stigma associated with mental health illnesses. The video reinforces the message that there are local resources available, such as the Chilliwack Youth Health Centre, and encourages youth to reach out and talk today.

Efforts to raise awareness for mental health are ongoing and will be ramped up during Mental Health Awareness Week, from May 2 to May 8. For the latest updates, visit www.facebook.com/chilliwackyhc.