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MESSAGE

from the President & CEO

Woodstock Hospital (WH) is a full-service community hospital with more than 1,300 staff providing high-quality care that is *Centered on You*. Together with our patients, families, staff, physicians, volunteers, donors, and community partners, we strive to deliver exceptional healthcare experiences, close to home.

In this edition of our newsletter, you will read about the many ways that Woodstock Hospital, the Woodstock Hospital Foundation, and our valued partners are working collaboratively to strengthen programs and services for Woodstock and Oxford County.

As featured on the cover, thanks to the generosity of our donors and the continued support of the Woodstock Hospital Foundation's online 50/50 draw, Woodstock Hospital is bringing leading-edge healthcare technology to our community. Inside the newsletter, our Diagnostic Imaging team shares how these new technologies are improving image quality and enhancing the care we provide.

You will also find an update on the Oxford County Homelessness and Addiction Recovery Treatment (HART) Hub. Through this collaborative initiative, people in Oxford County now have access to voluntary addictions treatment and recovery services locally. The Wellness Centre offers withdrawal management followed by a 90-day bedded supportive treatment (BST) program. On page 9, Keith shares how the program made a meaningful difference in his recovery journey.

We also share details about the additional programs and services that make up the HART Hub network of care, including mobile health outreach, community group therapy programs, and transitional and supportive housing. Working with our partners at the



Perry Lang, Woodstock Hospital President & CEO.

Oxford County Community Health Centre, Oxford County, and Canadian Mental Health Association (CMHA) Thames Valley Addiction and Mental Health Services, we are building a more connected system that offers people the opportunity to achieve long-term recovery by ensuring support continues following treatment at the Wellness Centre.

Whether through supporting innovative technology, expanding access to care, or helping someone on their journey to recovery, we believe that true progress happens when a community works together.

Warm regards,

Perry

Did You know? *Centered on You* is the tagline for WH's Strategic Plan. Read the plan: woodstockhospital.ca/strategic-plan

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AWARDED

for Emergency Care

You know the saying, "They'd give you the shirt off their back"? Well, Emergency Department Charge Nurse Janet Belore is the kind of person who would give a mother her own child's car seat to make sure they got home safely after being discharged. That act of kindness was just one of many heartfelt stories shared in a nomination recognizing Janet for her exceptional care of children and families in the Emergency Department.

"Emergency care has evolved a lot over my career," explained Janet. "We are seeing higher acuity visits, partly because the community is growing, the population is aging, and there is still a lack of primary care solutions. The need for us to work together as a team is more important than ever."

On April 15, 2026, Janet received the Susan J. Ready Award of Excellence in Paediatric Emergency Medicine during an annual conference hosted by Children's Hospital and Western University's Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry.

The award recognizes outstanding patient care, mentorship, leadership, and collaboration in paediatric emergency



Janet received a regional award for paediatric emergency care.

medicine. Janet was nominated by her colleague, Andrea McPherson. As part of the nomination, Andrea shared stories about her remarkable ability to connect with children, whether it was speaking their latest lingo, tracking down a favourite comfort item, or using her famous "warm blanket trick" to help ease anxiety during what can be frightening moments.

"I am a mother of three, so I feel like I can relate to children of all ages," shared Janet. "I see how they appreciate you getting down to their level, taking the time to explain tasks, using distraction techniques, and finding something that interests them to bond over."

Thank you for bringing kindness and empathy to every shift, Janet!

HONOURING

Retiring Employees



After 40 years of dedicated service, **Collette Wilhelm** is retiring from her role as a Health Record Technician. Throughout her career at Woodstock Hospital, she also worked as a dictatypist in Health Records and as a Senior Medical Secretary in Outpatient Mental Health.

"I enjoyed sharing special moments and milestones with staff throughout the years," shared Collette. "Woodstock Hospital has been such a big part of my life, and I will truly miss the day-to-day work involved with the hospital."

As she begins her retirement, Collette looks forward to spending more time with her family and grandchildren, as well as enjoying travel, recreational activities, crafting, and time with friends.

BECOMING

RNAO BPSO Designated

Great healthcare doesn't happen by chance. It happens when you combine compassionate professionals with care decisions that are guided by evidence-based best practices.

That's why Woodstock Hospital has pursued and received approval from the Registered Nurses' Association of Ontario (RNAO) to begin its Best Practice Spotlight Organization® (BPSO) journey.

"To become designated as a Best Practice Spotlight Organization, we have to implement three Best Practice Guidelines over a three-year period," explained Cindy Smart, Vice President of Patient Care and Chief Nursing Officer.

As part of RNAO's BPSO program, two Best Practice Guidelines are required: Transitions in Care and Person and Family-Centred Care. Woodstock Hospital selected Engaging Clients Who Use Substances as its third guideline to reflect the evolving needs of our patients and community.

"One of the metrics we track as a hospital is readmissions, and we see patients returning to the hospital due to complex health conditions caused by substance

use," explained Cindy. "By improving how we engage and support these individuals, we have an opportunity to improve health outcomes, strengthen the patient experience, and help connect patients with the care and resources they need. We believe this work will benefit not only our patients and families, but also our staff and the broader community."

Research has shown that organizations participating in RNAO's BPSO program improve patient experiences, strengthen quality and safety, and create healthier work environments for care teams.

We look forward to sharing updates on pursuing BPSO designation with our community! WH is active on social media, including [Facebook](#), LinkedIn, and Instagram.



(LtoR) Marita Vroom and Andrea McPherson are Performance Improvement Specialists and co-leads for WH's BPSO designation journey.

HONOURING

Retiring Employees



After a 26-year career as a Registered Dietitian at WH, **Angela Utting** is retiring. Throughout her career, Angela took pride in elevating the importance of nutrition in the healing process.

"I really enjoyed how well our team worked together to provide patients with the best possible care throughout their healing journey," she shared. "In retirement, I will definitely miss the people at WH. Many of them became my work family."

As she begins this next chapter, she is looking forward to spending more time with family and friends, especially her new grandson. She also plans to enjoy camping on Georgian Bay and embarking on new adventures.

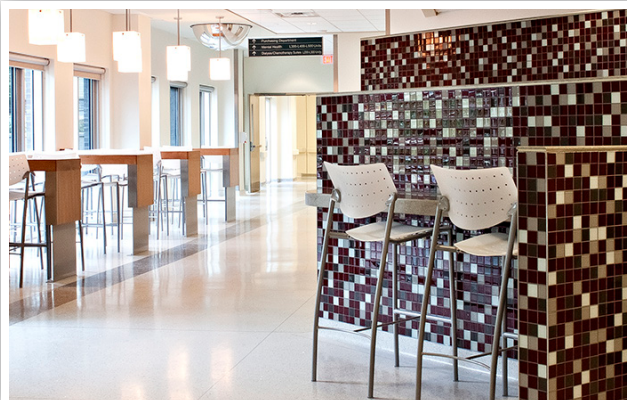
ENHANCING

the Hospital Cafeteria

Visitors to the hospital will notice some exciting changes are underway in our cafeteria this summer. Our Tim Hortons location is undergoing renovations as part of Tim Hortons' standard refresh program.

The renovation project began on June 15, 2026, and is expected to be completed by September 2026. Once reopened, the location will have several enhancements, including offering the full Tim Hortons menu, mobile ordering through the Tim Hortons app, and the ability to earn and redeem Tim Hortons Rewards.

While Tim Hortons is temporarily closed during construction, food and beverage services remain available within the cafeteria. The Grill continues to operate regular hours, Monday through Friday from 6:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Premade items and snacks



We look forward to enhancing our cafeteria space and creating an improved experience for patients, visitors, and staff.

including sandwiches, salads, coffee, tea, and other beverages, are available daily from 6:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. in the Grill and fridges. There are also vending machines for an after hours option.

We appreciate everyone's patience and understanding while this work is being completed. We think the new Tim Hortons will definitely be worth the wait!

OPTIMIZING

Energy Conservation

Enbridge Gas has recognized our hospital for excellence in energy conservation with a \$100,000 incentive cheque. Through our 2025 Boiler Plant Optimization project, we integrated advanced controls to improve the efficiency of our heating system. This work reduces the amount of natural gas needed to operate the hospital, while maintaining a safe and comfortable environment for patients and staff.

This 2025 project is anticipated to lead to 2026 energy savings of:

- 220,502 m³ of natural gas
- 403 tonnes of CO₂e emissions

That's equivalent to taking approximately 90 passenger vehicles off the road for a year, or



(LtoR) Chris Marion, WH Director of Capital Projects; Adam Trela, Enbridge Senior Advisor Energy Solutions; Perry Lang, WH President & CEO; Sean Moore, WH Capital Projects Coordinator.

the annual energy use of about 50 Canadian homes.

This project was made possible through the collaboration of Enbridge, WH's Capital Projects team, WalterFedy Engineering, AIM Industrial, and Honeywell.

A GRATEFUL

Patient: Linda's Story

I have a family history of diabetes. In December 2023, complications led to my left leg being amputated at Victoria Hospital in London. Just over two years later, my right leg was amputated, and after spending five days in London, I was transferred to Woodstock Hospital's Rehabilitation Unit.

Having my second leg amputated took a tremendous emotional toll on me. The first time I looked at myself in a full-length mirror, it was incredibly difficult.

I spent seven weeks at Woodstock Hospital, and at times, it felt like a long journey. I'm very close with my family, and I became homesick. Thankfully, they were able to visit often, and I also had the support of my beautiful friends and the care team at WH.

Dr. Binh Vu, my family physician, never missed a visit. Dr. Lauren Cormier, a physiatrist at the hospital, helped relieve tension that built up in my neck. Both doctors had wonderful bedside manner and took the time to explain things to me. I really liked how Dr. Cormier always entered the room with a smile on her face and she made me feel comfortable opening up about how I was feeling emotionally.

The nurses also took the time to talk with me. There were moments when I would have little pity parties, but they would encourage me and remind me how positive I continued to be - despite everything I was facing. Their support gave me the strength to keep going and I started to believe that I could get through it. They also arranged for me to meet with a social worker, and Dr. Cormier connected me with Donnie, a chaplain at the hospital, who spent time visiting with me.

The occupational therapists and physiotherapists were wonderful as well. There were days when I didn't want to get



Linda shares her experience in our hospital's Rehabilitation Unit following a second leg amputation surgery in London.

out of bed or do my exercises, but they motivated me and reminded me that the sooner I got stronger, the sooner I could go home.

While the food sometimes left something to be desired, I did enjoy using the patient TV system to order my meals. After being discharged in March, I continued with the Intensive Rehabilitation Outpatient Program (IROP), attending sessions twice a week for two hours to keep building my strength. I appreciated that we worked together and assessed my progress to determine what support I still needed.

I still stop by the hospital to visit the team who supported me during one of the most difficult times in my life. We are truly blessed to have this hospital in our community. It's my hope that by sharing my story, someone going through a similar experience will feel less alone. One thing I wish I had during my journey was access to resources and peer support from others who truly understood what I was going through.

With gratitude,

Linda



PARKING

Improvements

Since introducing our new cashless parking system in January, many patients, visitors, staff, and physicians have adjusted to the new parking gates at Woodstock Hospital.

The new parking gates were installed to replace the previous system, which had reached the end of its operational lifespan. Cashless parking systems are the industry standard across most healthcare organizations and public facilities, as digital payment systems offer greater convenience and enhanced security. Visitors can now pay the \$4.00 parking rate using debit or credit cards, including tap, as well as mobile payment options such as Apple Pay and Google Pay. Pick-up and drop-off parking continues to be available free of charge for up to 30 minutes at the front of the hospital off of the Juliana Drive entrance.

We recognize that any change to a long-standing process takes time, and we sincerely thank everyone for their patience and understanding during the transition. Feedback from our community has been

valuable as we continue to support users and ensure the system works as smoothly as possible.

For individuals who do not have access to cashless payment methods, alternative payment options remain available through the Cashier's Office in the main lobby during regular business hours. After hours, through the Switchboard/Security Desk in the Emergency Department.

Looking ahead, Woodstock Hospital is also taking steps to help address parking capacity. Plans are underway for a parking lot expansion at the Athlone Medical Professional Building that will create approximately 100 additional staff parking spaces. By increasing staff parking, we hope to improve parking access in our main patient and visitor parking lots.

We appreciate the continued support of our community as we work to improve both access and convenience for everyone who visits Woodstock Hospital.

Patient Meal Ordering

Available on free patient TVs and through mobile app!

This August marks one year since we integrated the CBORD Patient Meal Ordering App into our free patient TV system. Patients can browse menu options and conveniently order their lunch and dinner directly from their TVs. Family members and caregivers can use their mobile devices to order meals for patients through the CBORD app. [Click here](#) to learn more. Our Food Services staff also continues to take meal orders in person.

Care, Hope, and Stability

For Oxford County

The Oxford County Homelessness and Addiction Recovery Treatment (HART) Hub is a made-in-Oxford network of care, supporting adults 18+ experiencing mental health, addictions, or housing instability. It is not a single building. It is a simple, connected system that helps adults move to recovery and stability.

The HART Hub is an initiative by the Oxford Ontario Health Team (OHT), led operationally by Woodstock Hospital. WH and the Oxford OHT are working closely with Oxford County Community Health Centre (OCCHC), Oxford County, and CMHA Thames Valley Mental Health and Addiction Services to implement the core programs and services listed below. HART Hubs are funded by the Ministry of Health.



Withdrawal Management

Clients receive 24-hour support while withdrawing from alcohol and other drugs through a Nurse Practitioner on-site at the Wellness Centre. Recovery Workers help clients explore substance use patterns, identify triggers, and develop practical coping strategies to support lasting change. Withdrawal Management may be up to 14 days.



Bedded Supportive Treatment

A structured 90-day residential treatment program at the Wellness Centre that helps individuals build the skills, confidence, and resilience needed for long-term recovery. Clients participate in core and elective programming while working with a Recovery Worker to develop a personalized treatment plan based on their goals and aspirations.



Supportive Recovery Program

Provides continued support for adults who have successfully completed the 90-day Bedded Supportive Treatment program and are committed to sustaining their recovery journey. The 12-month program combines safe, stable housing with individualized recovery support, creating an environment to strengthen the skills needed for long-term success.



Transitional Housing Program

Housing for adults experiencing homelessness or housing instability for up to 364 days. Individuals receive person-centred case management, goal planning, life skills development, and connections to community resources, employment, and education to help them secure affordable housing and achieve long-term stability.



Community Group Therapy

Community-based group therapy, starting with **Pathfinders**, an introductory group session that helps individuals explore available services, identify goals, and develop an individualized treatment plan. Programs such as **Reset** and **Revive & Thrive** build foundational recovery skills, emotional wellness, healthy routines, and resilience.



Mobile Health Outreach

The Mobile Health Outreach Bus supports individuals experiencing homelessness by reducing barriers to health and social services. Its team, including a Nurse Practitioner, Registered Nurse, Outreach Worker, and Program Lead, delivers care directly in encampments, on the streets, and at community partner locations.

Wellness

Centre Experience: Keith's Story

Keith says his drinking reached a turning point during the height of the COVID-19 pandemic in March 2020.

"I started drinking every day, and before I knew it, everything started spiraling," he shared. "You don't realize it's happening. Your addiction just builds and builds and builds."

Eventually, Keith says alcohol was affecting every area of his life, including his health, finances, employment, and relationships. He was frequently in and out of the hospital with liver and pancreatic issues and eventually left his job.

Keith first heard about the Wellness Centre through a CMHA counsellor. The Wellness Centre at 369 Huron Street in Woodstock is one component of the Oxford County HART Hub. It has four withdrawal management beds and six supportive treatment beds where clients participate in a 90-day bedded supportive treatment (BST) program. This temporary location is in place while a permanent location at 16 Graham Street in Woodstock is under construction.

"Once I got here, I immediately felt safe. I felt safe from the habit and safe from the problems I had."

What stood out most to Keith was the friendly and caring staff. "They truly cared and wanted to listen," he said. "I was also prescribed medication that helped me think more clearly and feel more level-headed. When you're battling addiction, your mind feels like a blender, and you can't think straight."

Throughout the program, Keith says he developed coping and life skills that he now uses every day, including how to communicate more effectively with others.



Keith shares his story and experience following completion of the 90-day BST program through the Wellness Centre.

"I learned how to express myself better and how to really listen to people and understand that they could be going through things, too."

Keith says one of the biggest realizations during his recovery journey was understanding that he needed to seek help, not for someone else, but for himself. "At first, I thought I was doing this for my family," he said. "But you can't truly be there for others if you're not showing up for yourself first."

Today, Keith says he feels like a better version of himself and hopes others struggling with addiction know they are not alone. "You have to want to change," he said. "For me, I don't want to touch alcohol again because of the problems it caused. Now I can look at a can of beer and think, 'Do I want this beer, or do I want my life back?'"

If you or someone you know is experiencing mental health challenges, addiction, or homelessness, support is available locally.

Adults ages 18+ can call 519-537-2382 at any time. A team member will listen and help guide individuals to the right supports.

For up-to-date information about the Oxford County HART Hub, including a list of FAQs, [click here](#).

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REPORT

to the Community



Tyna Crockford

Woodstock Hospital

Board of Trust, Chair

As I reflect on the past fiscal year ending March 31, 2026, I am incredibly proud of what our community hospital continues to accomplish for the patients and families we serve.

In May 2025, Woodstock Hospital launched a new three-year Strategic Plan with the tagline, "Centered on You," which reflects our commitment to building programs and services around the needs of our patients, families, staff, and community.

This year, we made progress in expanding care closer to home. Thanks to donor support, our Chemotherapy/IV Infusion Clinic expanded from eight treatment chairs to 15 treatment chairs, while also creating a more comfortable and private space for patients to receive cancer treatment.

We also advanced mental health and addictions care through the Oxford County Homelessness and Addiction Recovery Treatment (HART) Hub. In December 2025, a temporary Wellness Centre opened in Woodstock, providing withdrawal management and supportive

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Together, we are building a stronger, healthier Oxford for everyone.

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- Tyna Crockford,
Board of Trust, Chair

treatment beds for the first time in Oxford County. Group therapy, mobile health outreach, and transitional and supportive housing programs are also available.

As the operational lead for the HART Hub, Woodstock Hospital demonstrates its commitment to meeting the evolving needs of our community by working alongside service providers to improve access to care, treatment, housing, and support for individuals experiencing mental health challenges, substance use concerns, or homelessness.

While WH ended the year with a deficit, the Board continues to work closely with Senior Leadership to support long-term financial sustainability.

I'd like to end my report by sincerely thanking WH staff, physicians, volunteers, community partners, and my fellow Board members for your dedication and support of our local hospital.

Together, we are building a stronger, healthier Oxford for everyone.

OPERATING STATEMENT

	2024/25	2025/26
REVENUE		
Ministry of Health/Ontario Health Allocation	\$ 127,988,598	136,657,649
Program and Patient Revenue	28,071,663	33,282,947
Other Operating Revenue	30,140,753	29,543,404
	186,201,014	199,394,000
EXPENDITURES		
Salaries, Wages and Benefits	\$ 108,898,876	115,350,182
Supplies and Other Operating Expenses	39,679,082	45,599,262
Drugs, Medical and Surgical Supplies	18,672,764	21,250,581
Equipment and Building Amortization	8,839,371	9,309,693
Long Term Building Expense	9,641,928	9,354,888
	185,732,021	200,864,606
EXCESS OF REVENUE OVER EXPENSES	\$ 468,993	(1,470,606)

Audited reports are available by contacting the Finance Department at (519) 421-4227.



BY THE NUMBERS

2025/26

Surgical Procedures	11,402
Admissions	8,493
Births	1,157
Emergency Visits	50,439
MRI Exams	7,594
CT Scans	19,286
Chemotherapy	3,405
Outpatient Mental Health	22,415
Total Hip/Knee Replacements	554

45 YEARS

of Supporting Patient Care

Some people leave their mark on a workplace. Others become part of its foundation.

This June, Heather Yeck celebrates 45 years at Woodstock Hospital, making her one of our longest-serving employees. For nearly five decades in nursing, she has cared for countless patients, witnessed remarkable changes in healthcare, and has become a familiar face to generations of families in our community.

Recently, one of those families reminded her just how far her impact reaches. “I recently met a family whose father I cared for years ago,” Heather recalled. “They told me I was a household name and instrumental in keeping him alive. They said they would be forever grateful.”

For Heather, moments like that are a reminder of why she has dedicated 45 years to caring for patients at Woodstock Hospital. “I feel so much satisfaction and a deep sense of belonging at the hospital,” she said. “I’ve had the opportunity to grow in my role and spread my wings.”

Throughout her career, Heather has seen firsthand how advances in technology have transformed patient care.



Heather Yeck is one of WH's longest serving employees. She is also a heartfelt donor to the Woodstock Hospital Foundation.

“Technology has changed procedures and improved the patient experience in ways we couldn't have imagined when I started working at the hospital,” she said.

That experience is one of the reasons Heather also supports the Woodstock Hospital Foundation as a donor. “It’s really meaningful to know that I am making a difference for others and for our patients,” she said. “That’s what not only keeps me coming to work day in and day out, but it’s also why I donate.”

Employees, like Heather, make a difference to the hospital through the Foundation’s We Care Campaign. This past year, staff and physicians pledged to donate \$18,473 in support of new equipment and technology.

YOUR SUPPORT

Matters to our Hospital

Excellent patient care is a top priority at Woodstock Hospital and keeping equipment up-to-date allows us to meet our patients' needs. Technology allows us to provide prompt diagnosis, quicker recovery, and overall better patient care to Oxford County residents. But it is constantly evolving and improving, which makes the need to update our existing equipment and purchase new technology ever present.

There are many ways to give to hospital foundations, ranging from simple cash gifts to complex estate planning. If you are ready to discuss a giving option tailored to you, give the Foundation a call at 519-421-4226 or email foundation@woodstockhospital.ca

MESSAGE from the Woodstock Hospital Foundation



Jocelyn Jenner

Senior Development

Officer, WH Foundation

Every image tells a story. It could mean answers for a worried parent about their child, early cancer diagnosis that leads to life-saving treatment, or peace of mind for someone waiting to understand what is causing their symptoms.

At Woodstock Hospital, our Diagnostic Imaging team performs thousands of exams each year using advanced technology including CT, MRI, X-ray, ultrasound, mammography, nuclear medicine, and bone mineral density imaging. These services are often the first step in diagnosing illness, guiding treatment, and ultimately, helping patients receive the care they need as quickly and efficiently as possible.

Diagnostic imaging relies on specialized equipment and highly trained technologists and radiologists to produce clear, accurate images that support early diagnoses and better outcomes for patients.

The equipment that makes this possible isn't funded by the provincial government. That's where our generous and supportive community (including heartfelt WH staff - see the page to my left!) makes an incredible impact. Through our donors and the steadfast support of the Woodstock Hospital Foundation's online 50/50 draw, WH has acquired leading-edge diagnostic imaging technology that allows our care teams to provide faster, more precise imaging, in calming environments.

Every donation, every fundraiser, and every act of generosity is ensuring that when you, your loved one, or your neighbour needs an imaging procedure, they don't have to travel elsewhere to receive it.

Thank you for investing in healthier futures for our community.

Jocelyn

RAISING Golf Clubs and Funds for WH

The Woodstock Hospital Foundation had 204 golfers participate in the 28th Annual Charity Golf Tournament to raise funds for GlideScopes. You can learn more about the importance of this vital piece of equipment on the following page.

Thank you to all of our sponsors, participants, volunteers, and staff who made the tournament a great success once again this year.

We can't wait to see what next year brings!



The 28th Annual Charity Golf Tournament was held at Craigowan Golf Club on June 10, 2026.

THANK YOU

from Surgical Services

When patients undergo surgery, there is a dedicated team working behind-the-scenes to ensure their comfort and safety every step of the way. One of those team members is Dr. Leo Rozenfeld, a family practice anesthesiologist at WH.

Why did you decide to pursue a career in anesthesiology?

My path to anesthesiology was somewhat unexpected. During my family medicine training, I completed a rotation in anesthesiology to improve my airway management skills and quickly realized, then and there, that it was the specialty I wanted to pursue.

What do you enjoy most about your work?

One of the most rewarding aspects of anesthesiology is being able to make an immediate and significant difference in a patient's experience and comfort. Whether it's providing pain relief through a nerve block or placing an epidural during labour, it's rewarding to see the impact of those interventions right away.

What is a GlideScope?

It's an advanced video device used for intubation. Intubation is the process of placing a breathing tube into a patient's windpipe when the patient is asleep for surgery, allowing the care team to safely support their breathing during the procedure.

Why does it matter?

There are many patients where intubation without a



Dr. Rozenfeld has worked at WH since July 2023.

GlideScope or similar tool can be difficult. The GlideScope gives us a better view of the airway, making the procedure easier for the medical team and safer for the patient.

Is there anything about the new GlideScopes you're excited about?

The newer Glidescopes have higher-resolution and the ability to attach specialized fiber-optic bronchoscopes (camera on a flexible wire) to help with more complex procedures. They are also easier to position, which helps improve efficiency and allows us to focus on delivering the safest possible care for our patients.

This year's WH Foundation Annual Charity Golf Tournament supported the purchase of new GlideScopes for Woodstock Hospital.

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Donations are helping us invest in technology that is rapidly becoming the standard across Canada. Your support allows us to bring these advancements close to home to continue improving care for patients in our community.

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- Dr. Leo Rozenfeld,
Family Practice Anesthesiologist at WH





SEEING

the Difference

A patient arrives at the Emergency Department with severe abdominal pain. Based on their symptoms, physicians suspect appendicitis. But after a CT scan, the diagnosis completely changes. It's a kidney stone.

Cases like this happen every day, and they highlight the critical role diagnostic imaging plays in patient care.

"Almost every patient who comes through our doors will require some form of diagnostic imaging," explained Dr. Lawrence Saunders, Chief Radiologist at Woodstock Hospital. "Whether we're identifying a stroke, diagnosing cancer early, or helping guide treatment decisions, timely imaging helps ensure patients receive the right care as quickly as possible."

Over the past several years, Woodstock Hospital has invested in new CT, nuclear medicine, X-ray, ultrasound, and mammography equipment, helping provide faster, more accurate diagnoses for patients close to home. "Many of our updated systems allow for faster scan times, improved image quality, fewer repeat scans, and lower radiation exposure," added Dr. Chad Lavallee, Radiologist. "This translates to a more efficient and comfortable experience for our patients."

These advancements are possible thanks to the ongoing support of the Woodstock



(LtoR) Jillian Paradoski, Medical Radiation Technologist; Jenn De Luliis, Director of Diagnostic Imaging; Dr. Lawrence Saunders, Chief Radiologist at Woodstock Hospital.

Hospital Foundation's online 50/50 draw. Every ticket helps fund equipment, giving physicians the clear and precise images they need to help diagnose and treat patients. "We've made tremendous progress in modernizing our imaging services, and we have more planned," added Jenn De Luliis, Director of Diagnostic Imaging. "This includes upgrades to fluoroscopy, X-ray, and MRI technology to ensure our community has access to leading-edge diagnostics today and into the future."

To help support the next generation of diagnostic imaging equipment at Woodstock Hospital, consider purchasing tickets through the WH Foundation online 50/50 draw. Early Bird prizes have increased from \$1,000 to \$2,500, and memberships make it even easier to support local healthcare.

More information is shared on the back of this newsletter.



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Supporting Local Healthcare

Proceeds from the 50/50 draw support enhanced imaging technology at Woodstock Hospital.



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