

Exciting New Mission for Hutt Valley Heart Trust

When cardiologist Dr. Stewart Mann retired last year his Capital Cardiovascular Research Trust was wound up and surplus funds were transferred into the Hutt Valley Heart Trust.

These funds totalling \$333,000 have been used to create a Hutt Valley Cardiac Research Fund and have been invested with the income generated being used to help fund local cardiac research.

This means that the Trust now has two roles.

We will continue to accept donations from patients and friends to specifically assist the Cardiac Unit at Hutt Hospital but it is an exciting development that the Trust can now also accept donations and legacies for the new Cardiac Research Fund.

Ways to donate

- 1 Online to Bank Account 03-0531-0608031-00
- 2 Post cheques to
PO Box 45127,
Waterloo, Lower Hutt.

Please provide contact details to receive a receipt for a tax refund.

Leave a Legacy

Speak to your solicitor or the Public Trust and make provision for a legacy in your will.

When a family member passes on it may be appropriate to ask in the funeral notice for donations in memory of your loved one be made to the Hutt Valley Heart Trust.

Charitable Status

Hutt Valley Heart Trust is registered at the Charities Commission with a reference number CC20233. Donations of \$5 and over qualify for a personal tax rebate.



History

The Hutt Valley Heart Trust was established in 1985 with its initial objective to purchase an Echocardiography Ultrasound Scanning machine. This allowed patients to be assessed quickly at Hutt Hospital rather than having treatment delayed by being sent to Wellington Hospital. It was instrumental in helping save a life on the very first day that it was installed.

Who are we?


The Trustees of the Hutt Valley Heart Trust have been appointed for their knowledge of the Coronary Care Unit as well as their managerial skills. Some of the Trustees have also been CCU patients

Linton Adams (Retired Accountant)	Chair
Brian Smellie (Retired Engineer)	Hon Secretary
Ronald Francis (Retired Accountant)	Hon Treasurer
Dr. Timothy O'Meeghan	Senior Cardiologist
Jennie Dean	Clinical Nurse Manager

A full list of Trustees can be found on the Charities Commission website.

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Your donation WILL make a difference!

Your support will help Hutt Valley LOCALS

Please donate to
The Hutt Valley heart Trust

- we use your donations to:

- help purchase patient comforts
- help continue education of staff
- help purchase the latest technologies
- help replace old equipment

The Trust relies entirely on donations.

Your support will be most appreciated and will directly benefit all heart patients.

Your donations help with:

Patients

More than 1100 patients pass through the Coronary Care Unit each year and there are almost 5000 Outpatient appointments. Trust funds are used to make patient's stay in the unit more comfortably by providing TV/video's, DVD player, cordless phones, water cooler etc. Recently the Trust funded two new two-seater couches for the Coronary Care Day Room and purchased a folding bed for those who wish to stay a night with a loved one.

Staff

Staff training and education have always been an important facet of the Trust's work. Staff are encouraged by providing financial assistance with course fees to undertake post graduate studies to study about the latest cutting edge treatments available for heart problems.

Equipment

Over the years the Trust funds have helped purchase equipment both large and small for the cardiac unit, including providing a car to enable the rehabilitation nurses to visit recently discharged patients in their own homes (one of the few cardiac units in New Zealand to provide this service).

Also a new echocardiography bed together with a second work station as well as MRI computer software to produce MRI enhanced heart scans.

Make a donation

Please fill in the form below and post in the prepaid envelope. If you would like a receipt please provide your postal address.

I would like to make a gift of:

- \$20 \$50 \$100
 My choice _____

Payment options:

- I enclose my cheque payable to:
Hutt Valley Heart Trust
 I have made an Electronic Transfer to **Hutt Valley Heart Trust** bank account **03-0531-0608031-00**

Please include your name so we can send your receipt.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

PLEASE RETURN THIS COUPON, ALONG WITH YOUR GIFT IN THE FREEPOST ENVELOPE PROVIDED OR POST TO:

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THANK YOU

