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MESSAGE FROM CHAIRMAN

For the past six years, I have had the great privilege of serving our community as a member of the Granville Health System Foundation Board. During that time, and particularly in my last 2 years as Chairman, I have watched the evolution of health care with great fascination. Medicine has had a huge impact on our quality of life since the Foundation started in 1984. Simultaneously, I have seen Granville Health System grow in order to meet the complex and constantly changing health care needs of Granville County and surrounding areas. Certainly, things look much different today as compared to 1920 when the hospital first opened. Yet while we have made incredible leaps in regard to technological advances and medical treatments, one thing has remained the same—our commitment to serve the health care needs of our community. Today, this same commitment is at the heart of our most pressing challenge—to continue expanding and create a medical facility for the future. As a community health system, Granville Health System is owned by you, and the hospital is here to serve you. But with any type of ownership comes a responsibility, a responsibility to grow and evolve this community resource while maintaining the highest standards of health care for generations to come. The business of health care has changed and created sizable challenges. But they are not without solutions. Today I am asking you to commit yourself to continuing to have a healthy and vibrant hospital for the future. You can start by making a gift to the GHS Expansion Plan, which is focused on transforming a patient’s experience of hospitalization and treatment. We hope you will help us make this a pivotal moment in Granville Health System’s history. You’ll be helping to create a legacy of health that will ensure the future of health care in our community. Your gift truly makes a difference.

Gary Bowman

Gary Bowman
Chairman
THE FOUNDATION

The Granville Health System Foundation is the fund raising arm of Granville Health System. Its mission is to provide philanthropic support to the health system through the generosity of individuals, corporations and foundations in the community. Donations enable the Foundation to enhance the health system’s present and future services by providing funding for the expansion and renovation of facilities, the development of new programs and services, and the purchase of new equipment and furnishings.

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In special memory of Foundation Board members Paul Kiesow, who served 22 years, and Rev. Harrison Simons, who served 10 years. Both men provided dedicated service throughout their Board careers.

GHS FOUNDATION TO RAISE $500,000

The mission of Granville Health System Foundation is to serve as a charitable resource for Granville Health System, supporting its commitment to provide quality health care to all citizens of the community, where they work and live. The Foundation builds support for GHS and provides financial resources to purchase new equipment, develop new services, maintain and improve facilities, and recruit new health professionals to Granville County.

In the past 3 years, the GHS Foundation has experienced significant growth as a result of holding a number of successful fundraising events, establishing a visible presence in the community and building productive relationships with local businesses and community leaders. In 2010, the Foundation made a commitment to raise $500,000 over the next 5 years on behalf of the Health System. Recently, GHS Foundation Board Chairman Gary Bowman presented L. Lee Isley, CEO of Granville Health System, with a check for $100,000 from the funds raised by the Foundation in 2010.
For more than 90 years, Granville Health System has been delivering quality health care close to home. To meet the growing needs of our community, GHS has expanded its services throughout Granville County, offering convenient access to medical care where you work and live.

GHS has recently received a number of national awards, including the Hospital of Choice Award which named Granville Health System as one of the top 10 hospitals in the country in 2010 and 2011.

In 2010 Granville Medical Center was recognized as a Blue Distinction Center for Knee and Hip Replacement. This designation is awarded to facilities that have demonstrated an objective commitment to quality care, resulting in better overall outcomes for patients who undergo knee and hip replacement procedures.

GHS also received the Community Value Index Five-Star Hospital Award, placing GHS in the top 20% of hospitals in the country in offering financial value to the communities they serve, while reinvesting back into their facilities in order to provide for current and emerging health needs.

By demonstrating compliance with the Joint Commission’s national standards for health care quality and safety, Granville Health System earned the Joint Commission’s Gold Seal of Approval™. The award covers Granville Medical Center and Brantwood Nursing & Rehab Center.

Granville Health System…dedicated to quality…quality physicians and staff…providing the personal attention you and your family deserve.

OUR MISSION

The mission of Granville Health System is to provide the community we serve with the very best health care delivered with compassion and pride. It is our vision that Granville Health System will be the preferred health care resource for the communities it serves, working in partnership with physicians and staff to deliver exceptional care.
THE GRANVILLE HEALTH SYSTEM EXPANSION PLAN

MOVING FORWARD: THE GHS EXPANSION PLAN

The GHS Expansion Plan is Granville Health System’s response to the present and future health care needs of our expanding and aging community. The Plan is an ambitious 32,000 square foot expansion and renovation project – the largest in the health system’s history. Through the expansion plan, we are assuring the community that Granville Health System continues to deliver the highest quality care and customer service to our patients, where they work and live.

SUPPORTING OUR COMMUNITY

The GHS Expansion Plan supports the health system’s mission during a critical time. In addition to keeping pace with advances in health care technology and national patient safety requirements, we face major local challenges. Our community has seen a dramatically expanding and aging population, and with it, an increase in the need for health care services. In addition, GHS has experienced an ever-pressing rise in the hospital’s annual admissions and emergency department visits.

DETAILS

Phase I is designed to provide a balanced environment for staff, patients and their families.
- 25,145 square feet of new space
- 6,720 square feet of renovated space
- A new Emergency Department that will grow from 3,135 to 18,000 square feet
- New Energy Plant
- Expanded Surgical Services
- A larger Laboratory Department, expanded by 1,100 square feet
- A new, larger lobby and admissions area that will make visiting Granville Medical Center more comfortable and convenient for patients and visitors alike
- Additional patient and visitor parking
- More efficient and usable roadway and entrance system
SAM PERRY SCHOLARSHIP

2010 RECIPIENT

The Granville Health System Foundation awarded Peyton Elizabeth Roberson, a baccalaureate program nursing student at East Carolina University, the first annual Sam Perry Scholarship.

2011 RECIPIENT

Kaitlin Elisabeth Mize graduated with honors from N.C. State University with a B.S. degree in psychology and will be entering the Duke University accelerated bachelor of science in nursing program.

ABOUT SAM & THE SCHOLARSHIP

The Foundation established the scholarship in honor of Sam Perry, a physician’s assistant (PA), whose specialized medical care earned him deep respect from both patients and peers throughout his career.

The Granville Health System Board of Trustees and Granville Health System Foundation Board support and manage the scholarship in order to promote Sam Perry’s legacy of compassionate care and personal leadership by providing financial help to Granville County residents pursuing an allied health career.

The scholarship recipients are selected by the Foundation Board using an established criterion. Sam Perry graduated from the Agricultural Institute of NC State University. He was a field medic in the United States Army while serving a tour of duty in Vietnam. Sam graduated from the Surgical Technician/Surgeon’s Assistant Program at NC Memorial Hospital at UNC, Chapel Hill.

Sam went on to serve the Granville community for more than 30 years, working tirelessly to advance Granville Health System’s services and provide medical care with the utmost compassion. His work ethic was exceptional, his leadership essential, his service extraordinary, and his love for his fellow man exemplary.
PROGRAMS FOR OUR COMMUNITY

MEAL AND MORE: OXFORD & SOUTH GRANVILLE

Granville Health System continued to host its successful Meal and More program in both Oxford and Butner/Creedmoor. The popular program has been offered at Granville Medical Center in Oxford since 2007. To date, the Meal & More program has featured presentations on over 30 health care topics and hosted more than 2,700 participants from Granville County and the surrounding communities.

GHS SPONSORS GRANVILLE SCHOOLS WELLNESS INITIATIVE

Granville Health System sponsored the 2010 Kids Living Healthy Art Contest at Creedmoor Elementary School.

The program is a wellness initiative designed by GHS to encourage students and their families to live healthy lifestyles. Students are challenged to select themes such as nutrition, exercise or other ways to stay healthy and illustrate their ideas through individual pieces of art. More than 1,200 students have participated in the contest, which was also held at the Stovall-Shaw Elementary School and Butner-Stem Elementary School in 2009.

EAT SMART, MOVE MORE GRANVILLE-VANCE WEIGHT LOSS CHALLENGE

GHS partnered with Granville-Vance District Health Department and Maria Parham Medical Center to offer the third annual Eat Smart, Move More (ESMM) Granville-Vance Weight Loss Challenge, to encourage participants to lose weight and exercise more. The ultimate goal was to challenge participants on an individual and team level to improve the overall health of residents in both North Carolina counties.
PARTNERS IN HEALTH

A COMMUNITY HOSPITAL, PROVIDING QUALITY CARE

Chip Fudge had thought larger hospitals provided better care, until he had surgery locally through Granville Health System. With the expertise of Dr. Michael Wegener and Granville Surgical Associates, he was able to recover quickly. Turns out, the smaller hospital was a better fit for Chip and his family.

When Chip was discharged, being that he lives in town, he asked for local medical rehabilitation services. He found that through Granville Health System he could receive excellent treatment as an outpatient at Granville Medical Rehabilitation.

“Without these local medical services, I’d have a long commute to receive treatment at a larger hospital,” said Chip. “I cannot stress enough the importance of receiving care locally when you are recovering from a health condition. It’s such a relief to be able to receive a high level of professional, quality care locally, where it’s literally 10 minutes away.”

“Granville Health System is my hospital,” said Chip, “and I’m thankful every day for their commitment to me, my family and the community.”
GHS FOUNDATION ART GALA RAISES MORE THAN $77,500

The Granville Health System (GHS) Foundation held its second annual Art Gala on November 6 at the Henderson Country Club. The event raised more than $77,500 in support of the upcoming GHS Expansion Plan.

Close to 200 people attended the lively “Everything About Art” Gala, which kicked off with music by F. O. Finch III Jazz Quartet, cocktails, hors d’oeuvres and a silent auction. Later in the evening, a live auction featured donated items, such as framed paintings and prints, custom hand-made necklaces, themed holiday wreaths, and stoneware, all by well-known area artists such as Sid Oakley, Val Cushing, Lisa Oakley, Sandra Cole Rodger and Bob Timberlake.

ROYAL TEA

The Granville Health System Foundation held the 2nd Annual Royal Tea Party in May 2010 and the 3rd Tea on August 6, 2011. At both events, guests were entertained by classical and Broadway show tunes played by the Evelyn Snyder String Trio, a Parade of Hats, and a silent auction. Proceeds from the two events will be used to support services and programs for Granville Health System. For photos of the event, visit www.facebook.com/granvillehealthsystem and select 2011 GHS Foundation Royal Tea.
HOW CAN YOU SUPPORT THE GHS FOUNDATION?

You can assure the continuation of our mission in many ways: your gift or pledge to the fund, your gifts in memory or in honor of friends and family, or your thoughtfully planned bequest – all these are just a few of the ways you can help us grow in the future.

DOES ONE GIFT MAKE A DIFFERENCE?

Yes, your gift matters! Advanced patient care, state-of-the-art facilities, life-saving technology, health education and specialized services are supported by charitable gifts made to the Granville Health System Foundation. Every year, through the generosity of individuals, businesses, and organizations, the Foundation helps fund vital equipment purchases and programs for Granville Health System. We invite you to explore how donor gifts are making a difference in our community’s health care. There are many ways you can help bring healing to your community and make a difference now – and well into the future. Each gift is important to providing care and comfort to those served by Granville Health System.

ARE THERE NAMING OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE?

Yes, there are a number of exciting naming opportunities available. Please contact Scott Thomas, Director of Marketing, at sthomas@granvillemedical.com or 919.690.3459.

ARE GIFTS TAX DEDUCTIBLE?

The Foundation is a non-profit 501(c) 3 organization and all contributions are tax-deductible to the extent permitted by law.

TO LEARN MORE

We encourage you to contact the Granville Health System Foundation to discuss how your gift can have the greatest impact and to explore strategic, tax-wise ways to make a gift.

To discuss possible planned giving options, please contact Scott Thomas, Director of Marketing at 919.690.3459.

To learn more about the Granville Health System Foundation, please visit www.ghsFoundation.org
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Granville Health System is conducting an ongoing employee giving campaign called “Paving the Way.” The initiative benefits the Granville Health System Foundation and a portion of the money raised will be used to construct a brick walkway leading to the entrance of the new GHS Emergency Department. Employees and volunteers who sponsor a brick for the walkway may have their name, or a name of their choosing, imprinted on the brick. To date, the campaign has raised over $27,000.
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