We are fortunate to have a great teaching hospital/trauma centre in our midst so we are able to stay in our own community when we require hospital care. Now, more than ever, our hospital needs the support provided by volunteers and the KGH Auxiliary to continue to assist in the provision of great patient care. We would be pleased to have you join us. Please note that membership is free.

For more information please contact: 613-549-6666 Ext. 6352 or Email: KGH.Auxiliary@kingstonhsc.ca or mail this form to: Kingston General Hospital Auxiliary 76 Stuart Street, **Kingston ON K7L 2V7** Name:_____ Address: Phone: Email: _____ I wish to join the KGH Auxiliary. I am interested in helping on a regular basis or occasionally I wish to receive my Newsletter & information by email I wish to make a donation of \$ Cheque enclosed Credit card ____Visa___ MC___ Card Number Exp.

Security number (MC only)

The Kingston General Hospital Auxiliary has been active in raising funds and providing services for patients for over 100 years. We welcome new ideas and enthusiasm.

We are always looking for new volunteers to help us both on our services in the hospital and with our fundraising activities. Once a week, once a month, once a year — whatever you can do will be appreciated

Did you know?

The KGHA contributes money annually to support redevelopment, education, equipment purchases, and KGH patient programs.

As well as operating the Gift/Tuck Shops, the Café, and Lottery Booth within the hospital, there are other fund raising ventures such as our annual Bridge luncheon and Teddy Bear Campaign. We also provide patient centred services.



COME JOIN OUR ORGANIZATION!

Help us raise millions of dollars to enhance patient care at Kingston General Hospital and increase awareness in the community.



KINGSTON GENERAL HOSPITAL AUXILIARY

As a volunteer in the hospital, am I also an Auxiliary member?

No, a volunteer is not automatically an Auxiliary member. However, the Auxiliary is an organization that welcomes everyone! All you have to do is complete the application form on the back of this brochure and return it to us.

What is in it for me?

You become part of a group that raises and donates millions of dollars for patient care and hospital equipment.

You will receive regular Newsletters that inform you of our activities and enable you to spread the word about us to those you meet in the community.

Will I have the opportunity to take on a leadership role?

YES! The opportunity is there to take an active role in Auxiliary affairs. Leadership roles include: Committee/ Board member, Fundraiser, Service Convenor etc.

Do I have to attend meetings?

It is your choice if you would like to attend, but you are not obligated. We also need members to proactively promote our mandate in the community.

What part will I play?

You will become part of a group of like-minded people who support KGH. Two General meetings -October and March, with informative speakers, are held during the year. The Annual General Meeting is held in June to both celebrate our members' contributions, and to present a cheque to the hospital for a successful fundraising year. Meetings include a member-funded lunch. Come for the meeting, come for lunch, or come for the speaker – your choice. Who knows, you may find much more than you expected!

How can I support the Auxiliary?

You can support us by shopping in our Gift Shop, buying a coffee or items in the Tuck Shop, having a bite to eat in our Café, buying a lottery ticket whenever you are in the hospital, attending our Christmas Bazaar, donating to the General fund, the Memorial Fund in memory of a deceased loved one, to the Family Services area, and/or supporting the Annual Teddy Bear Campaign,

You can also donate paperback books.

For our annual Christmas Bazaar, we appreciate baked goods, homemade candy, jams and pickles, handcrafted items and articles with a value of at least \$25 for our Silent Auction.



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