

PRESS RELEASE

Hospice Renfrew Inc.'s Board of Directors

Hospice Renfrew introduced its Board of Directors for 2009-10 at the recent Annual Meeting held at Hospice Renfrew.



Front Row (L-R) Jim MacKillican Past Chair; Edith Wesbrook, Diane Caughey, Executive Director; Millie Ritchie, Norah Hewson,
Back Row (L-R) John Pole, Bruce Taylor, Karen McEwen, Dr. Arthur Dick Medical Advisor; Connie Legg, incumbent Board Chair; Joanne Dowdall-Brown, Dr Stephanie Langlois, Medical Advisor; John Cooke.

Hospice Renfrew is a 6-bedroom home like facility designed for the comfort and privacy of patients and their families. The Hospice welcomes patients from across Renfrew County and surrounding municipalities. There is no charge for care offered. Hospice Renfrew is unique to all other hospices in Ontario as it the first rural free standing hospice in Ontario and continues to be seen as a pioneer and leader to other emerging hospices in Ontario

Hospice Renfrew opened in January 2008 and has provided end of life care services to over fifty patients and families in Renfrew County. There are 24 staff working at the hospice as well as a complement of 50 volunteers.

Hospice Renfrew is proud to celebrate its first year of operations as of January 28th, 2009 and wishes to thank the community for its ongoing generous support.