

**THE
ROSEMARY
FOUNDATION**

“Hospice at Home”

Together for the Community



Registered Charity 1064723

BECOME A FRIEND

Introduction by Chris Wilton, Chair of Trustees of The Rosemary Foundation



Most people in and around Petersfield know of the work that The Rosemary Foundation does. We are the only local charitable organisation to provide end-of-life care 24 hours a day 7 days a week throughout the year, come rain, snow or shine. We have never been busier; nor do I expect the pace of our work to get any less.

All of this is carried out by a wonderful, caring and dedicated team of nurses and healthcare workers, whose drive and cheerfulness are extraordinary.

Our costs are now approaching £500,000 a year. We receive no regular statutory funding from any level of government, and rely entirely on the generosity of individuals and organisations to fund our vital work.

The purpose of the Friends of The Rosemary Foundation is to encourage people to make their donations to the Foundation on a regular basis. It need not be a large amount, but regular donations mean predictable income, enable us to provide the best possible care to those in need, and help us plan for the future.

Please consider becoming a Friend. It will mean a huge amount to us, and your generosity will be truly appreciated.

Christopher Wilton

Our Mission Statement

To provide a patient-focused fully supportive hands-on nursing service for patients suffering from life-threatening conditions, within their own homes.

To provide carer respite in the form of a Volunteer Visitor Service to our patients, where appropriate and agreed.

To provide counselling and bereavement support, together with some complementary therapies and to provide them in close consultation with other care professionals where necessary – without charge to patients or their families.

To provide supportive palliative and end of life care to ensure the highest possible quality of life for all patients, their families and carers

To provide such services in accordance with need, irrespective of wealth, gender, ethnic origin, or religious persuasion.

To provide services in such a way as to build personal relationships between patients and their Rosemary Foundation carer and to provide every patient with a named carer having overall responsibility for their welfare.

To provide our services on a 24-hour, 7-day-a-week and 365-days-a-year basis.

To provide all services without charge to our patients or their families.

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About The Rosemary Foundation

The Rosemary Foundation was established in June 1997 when a group of Palliative Care Nurses formed an 'At Home' service following the closure of Bordean House, just outside Petersfield.

From the early days of four patients and financed entirely by personal contributions from the nurses and volunteers involved, The Rosemary Foundation has grown into a highly respected and important provider of care within the communities we serve. We now care for around 250 patients annually, although still completely voluntarily funded.

Based in Petersfield, our reach extends to an approximate 15-mile radius of Petersfield, and our nurses and carers travel the equivalent of driving twice around the World each year.



It costs nearly £1,500 per day, every day of the year, to deliver our services, which are provided by our 16 nurses and a loyal team of volunteers, many of our nurses being pictured here on our 20th Anniversary in 2017.

Knowing we have a regular donation from you will be a great help and comfort to The Rosemary Foundation in continuing to deliver our services, for which we are seeing ever-increasing demand, and to become 'fit for the future'.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR KIND AND GENEROUS SUPPORT

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PLEASE COMPLETE THIS FORM IN CAPITAL LETTERS

TITLE: FIRST NAME: SURNAME:

ADDRESS:

POSTCODE:

EMAIL:

We would like to be able to contact you regarding an acknowledgement for your support as well as give you periodic updates about the services you are helping The Rosemary Foundation to provide. We will not share your details with any third parties without your express permission. Please tick the following boxes to confirm we may keep in touch:

Yes, please keep me updated about your work through email newsletters;

Yes, please keep me updated with news about fundraising activities and events.

To complete your application to become a Friend of The Rosemary Foundation please enter your details on the standing order mandate overleaf and sign before returning it to The Rosemary Foundation in the attached Freepost envelope.

Please make a Gift Aid declaration if you can

GIFT AID DECLARATION

I wish to Gift Aid my donation of £ to The Rosemary Foundation, along with any future donations I make or any I have made in the past 4 years.

I am a UK taxpayer and understand that if I pay less Income Tax and/or Capital Gains Tax than the amount of Gift Aid claimed on all my donations in that tax year it is my responsibility to pay any difference.

Name:

Date:

Signature:

Please notify The Rosemary Foundation if you:

- want to cancel this declaration
- change your name or address
- no longer pay sufficient tax on your income and / or capital gains

If you pay Income Tax at the higher or additional rate and want to receive the additional tax relief due to you, you must include all your Gift Aid donations on your self-assessment tax return or ask HMRC to adjust your tax code.

INSTRUCTION TO SET UP STANDING ORDER

To Bank Address Post Code <p style="text-align: center;">Please make the following regular payments</p>		
Amount	£	<i>In words</i>
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Starting on <i>Date</i>	until <small>(tick one)</small> <input type="checkbox"/> further notice <input type="checkbox"/>enter date	
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