# Your Health Whalton Healthcare

NEWS AND INFORMATION FROM GEORGETOWN HOSPITAL MAY 2015

### Scaramouche Gala raises over \$57,000



The 2015 Scaramouche Gala raised over \$57,000 (net) for Georgetown Hospital! Special thanks to our sponsors:

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# Georgetown Hospital Hoedown



The Georgetown Hospital Hoedown takes place on Friday, June 5 at Nashville North. The opening act, Johnny Cash: A Man in Black (starring the amazing Jim Yorfido), will be followed by Rolly Rocker & the Hemi Heads. This is an evening you don't want to miss! All net proceeds support hospital programs.

Tickets are \$50 each or \$25 for those under 25 years of age. Must be 19 years of age or older to attend.

Contact Jennifer McNally at the Georgetown Hospital Foundation for tickets at ccnally@haltonhealthcare.on.ca or 905-873-0111 ext. 8241

# Always bring your list of medications



Have you ever gone to the emergency room or walk-in clinic and wondered why you were asked what type of medications you were taking? The short answer is simple – some medication combinations can produce bad reactions. It is very important that your healthcare team knows what prescription and non-prescription medications you take at home before deciding on how to best treat your current or chronic condition.

Always carry a complete and accurate listing of all the medications you're taking regularly. Put it in your wallet or purse; be sure to update it regularly. This list should include prescription drugs, over-the counter medications such as vitamins, supplements or herbal remedies, and any other non-prescription medications such as cold or pain medication. Make sure you include the dosage for each medication you are taking.

# Georgetown Hospital Volunteer Association completes pledge

The Georgetown Hospital Volunteer Association (GHVA) celebrated its 2014/15 accomplishments at their Annual General Meeting on May 20, 2015. They proudly closed out their \$250,000 commitment to the Georgetown Hospital Redevelopment Project by presenting their last \$50,000 installment. We would like to to applaud the GHVA's dedication and commitment to community healthcare and its hospital and thank its members for their support and generosity towards our patients, families and staff. Congratulations on an another amazing year.

(L-R) Lorenzo Biondi, Vice chair HHS Board of Directors; Denise Hardenne, HHS President and CEO; Cindy McDonell, GH Chief Operating Officer; Carole Hunt, GHVA Treasurer; Marie Carney, GHVA President and KC Carruthers, Director of Development, GH Foundation.



## ConnectCARE: Help at a touch of a button

ConnectCare is a medical alert button which helps individuals live safely and independently at home for as long as possible. This 24-hour monitoring service is easy to use and is available for only about a dollar a day. ConnectCARE is ideal for older adults and those living with chronic diseases such as arthritis or heart disease and those at risk of falling. ConnectCare provides peace of mind for you and your family.



For more information: call 905-338-4357 or toll free 1-800-665-7853

# Are you eligible for OHIP-funded physiotherapy? Available at Work-Fit Total Therapy Centre

You may be eligible for OHIP-funded physiotherapy offered through Work Fit Total Therapy Centre at Georgetown Hospital if you have a valid Ontario Health Card (OHIP), a doctor's or a nurse practitioner's referral and one of the following:

- If you are 19 years of age or younger, or 65 years of age or older
- If you are receiving benefits from Ontario Works or the Ontario Disability Support Program
- If you have been discharged from hospital after an overnight stay for a condition requiring physiotherapy



The Work Fit Total Therapy Centre, owned and operated by Halton Healthcare Services, is located in the Outpatient Rehabilitation Department of Georgetown Hospital, 1 Princess Anne Drive, Georgetown. For more information call 905-873-4598. All net proceeds support hospital programs.



## Halton Healthcare Services Corporation 2014/15 Annual General Meeting

Thursday, June 11, 2015 - 6:00 pm Oakville-Trafalgar Memorial Hospital

Auditorium, (Lower Level) 327 Reynolds Street, Oakville

Please RSVP to 905-815-5114. Audited financial statements will be available at the meeting or by calling the Board Liaison at 905-815-5114.









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