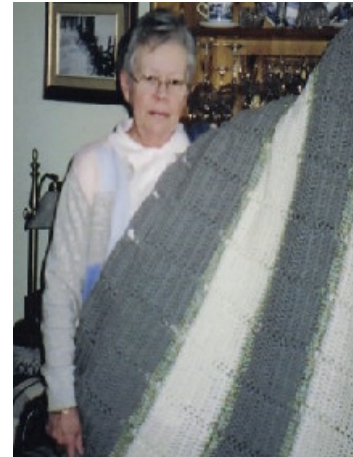


We would like to congratulate the winners of our Heritage Santa – Pam Davie of Port Stanley and the hand made afghan – Dianne Martelle of St. Thomas. A great big thank you to our donors Mary Cammaert (Heritage Santa) and Lil Goddard (hand made Afghan).



Thanks to all the supporters who sold and purchased tickets with your help we were able to raise well needed funds to assist in Palliative Care Initiatives.

Canadian Palliative Care Association



Upcoming Events:

2nd Annual Hike for Hospice

Date **Sunday, May 1, 2005** at 2:00

The Hike will start at the Trans Canada Trail Pavillion on Jonas Street. People all across Canada will take part in the National Hike

for Hospice Palliative Care. This is a joint venture with the Canadian Palliative Care Association with all monies raised locally staying within our community. We encourage walkers from last years' Hike to once again come out and participate and bring a friend, we are always looking for new walkers, runners, rollerbladers, skateboarders. There will prizes and all participants who collect \$150 or more in pledges will receive a Hike for Hospice T-shirt. Food & beverages will be provided for a nominal fee. For more details on how to obtain your pledge forms or if you would like to sponsor a walker, contact **Serenity House @ 637-3034.**

Those wishing to sponsor the Hike for Hospice by donating prizes, money, or time, please contact Gwen @ 782-3781 or Ann @ 633-4255

**Spring 2005
HOSPICE PALLIATIVE CARE (LEVEL 1)
COURSE**

Cost is \$20.00

Course Dates - April 8, 15, 22, 29

Deadline to register: Mar 28, 2005

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Care for the Caregiver

Coming in April 2005

(Date & Time to be announced)

This event is dedicated to the caregiver. If you are looking after someone who is in palliative care and need a break then we are here for you. Be part of a relaxing time designed just for you. We will pamper you with a massage, pedicure, manicure, facial and more. Light lunch and motivational speaker also included. For more information please contact Debbie @ debbie@elgincfdc.ca.

For an inspirational read press Ctrl key and click below:

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Consider making a donation to Serenity House Hospice in honour of a birthday, anniversary, special occasion, or just to say "thank you". If you are interested in more information regarding special gifts or other ways of helping Serenity House Hospice through Planned Giving, Pledges, Bequests or Life Insurance, please call Serenity House Hospice at (519)637-3034. We are a registered charitable organization and receipts for income tax purposes will be issued for any gift of \$20 or more.

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