



## **MEDIA RELEASE**

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## Lighting Up WDMH — Judy Lannin Christmas Wish Tree Donors Do It Again!

For more than 25 years, our community has given generously each festive season through the Judy Lannin Christmas Wish Tree. And this year was no different. Almost 400 gifts were received, resulting in more than \$56,000 for the WDMH Foundation's Family Care Fund. Donations were made in honour or memory of family and friends.

The Family Care Fund "to support families just like yours" and helps to ensure that Winchester District Memorial Hospital (WDMH) can continue to provide compassionate, excellent health care.

"Every January, it's always a bit sad to take down the beautiful Christmas Wish tree adorned with ornaments representing the donations our community has made," notes WDMH Foundation Managing Director Kristen Casselman. "But it also reminds us of just how generous our community is. Thank you to everyone who donated!"

In the past 26 years, our generous donors have given more than \$1,272,000 through the Wish Tree program – thank you! Thank you as well to our sponsors who help to make the event possible.



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