

Donation List from 1st March 2011

1/3/11	John Vaughan	Donation	£150.00
14/3/11	Stuart Kaye	Donation	£80.00
11/4/11	KS Jones Barnsley & District Social Security Sports	Donation - in memory of Susanne Richards Donation	£10.00 £50.00
19/4/11	Karen Green & friends	Sponsored kisses at Kelly's 29th birthday party	£300.00
27/4/11	Ray Martin Synovate June Bond The Brown Family Jennifer Day JA Whitehouse Glen & Anita Day UT Bank G & C Shakespeare J & M Falsey & Gerard Dr.G Parry & Mrs O Parry	Church collection in memory of Patricia Martin Donation Donation - in memory of Florence Bond Donation - in memory of Richard Brown Donation - in memory of Richard Brown Donation - in memory of Les Whitehouse Donation - in memory of Gary Shakespeare Donation - in memory of Gary Shakespeare Donation - in memory of Gary Shakespeare Donation - a thank you for the accommodation Donation	£100.00 £320.00 £300.00 £278.00 £25.00 £400.00 £100.00 £20.00 £400.00 £100.00 £236.00
30/4/11	James McMullan & Son WT Bateson S Swan FHLTA Just Giving Website	Donations - in memory of Stephen Wilson Donation - in memory of Stephen Wilson Donation - in memory of Stephen Wilson Donations from 1st January - 30th April 2011	£80.00 £50.00 £25.00 £336.53
16/5/11	York Breathe Easy Group Yorkshire Country Womens Association	Donation - in lieu of talk by Maggie Cowman Donation - in lieu of talk by Maggie Cowman	£25.00 £40.00
18/5/11	Vera Davison Ivan Budd Lesley Earnshaw Kira Wilson (aged 11 years)	Donation - raised at Veras' recent "Birthday Bash" Donation Donation - a thank you from Lesleys' family for 12 years of extra life Kira had a garden table top sale outside her Grand-parents house	£175.00 £18.00 £100.00 £70.00
30/5/11	Gosforth High School	Pupils formed a Glee style club and organised a Cabaret/Quiz Night	£1,000.00
5/6/06	David & DeVoune John	Donation	£98.00
10/6/11	Mrs LM Dodd	Donation - in memory of Trevor Field	£10.00
12/6/11	Mary Pattinson & family	Donations in lieu of presents at Marys' Mother 90th Birthday	£255.00
13/6/11	New College Stamford level 3 VRG students	Donations raised from a Fine Dining event in support of Sonny Klawiter	£409.00
17/6/11	Martin Julie & Craig O'Neill	Donation - in memory of Jamie Woodhouse	£25.00
28/6/11	South Lanarkshire Council Early Learning	Sponsored walk - a thank you for the care and support of Gerard Falsey	£545.00
30/6/11	Waitrose Limited	Collection from customers from their Ponteland Branch	£650.00
7/7/11	The Duchess Nina Nursing Home	Donation from a Charity Night held on 2nd July - in support of Gerard Falsey	£810.00
18/7/11	Mrs A Coulthard Mrs J Woliter Mrs Monica White Mrs Catherine Hallinan Graham Westmoreland	Donation - in memory of Jamie Woodhouse Donation - in memory of Terry Woliter Donation - in memory of David White Annual Hallinan v Nelson Charity Football Match, held on the 2nd July £1650 raised from Just Giving and £1250 from a raffle & donations Donation	£20.00 £450.00 £115.00 £2,900.00 £14.00
25/7/11	Max Crompton	Donation - from Max's own book sales	£162.00
30/7/11	City & Guilds	"Matched Giving" scheme run by City & Guilds	£200.00
9/8/11	George Moore Friends of George Moore Lynn McCosh John Trevor & Sadie Taylor Maura Whittaker	Donation - money raised from stall in Skipton Donations - from stalls in Skipton Lynn's husband did a bike ride - approx 140 miles in the pouring rain! Donation - in lieu of gifts at their Golden Wedding celebration Maura's Grandson Barry cycled Walney to Wear, in memory of Alan Whitaker	£153.00 £292.00 £120.00 £200.00 £150.00

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13/8/11	Mrs K Keogan, family and friends Mr & Mrs G Ibbetson Mr & Mrs RER Stone Ms J Hay	Donation - in lieu of flowers in memory of Mr Tom Keogan M.B.E. Donation - in memory of Mr Tom Keogan M.B.E. Maura's Grandson Barry cycled Walney to Wear, in memory of Alan Whitaker Donation - in memory of Mr Tom Keogan M.B.E.	£990.00 £50.00 £50.00 £10.00
16/8/11	Maggie Cowman	Sponsored Croquet Marathon	£429.50
16/8/11	J & M Brewer Maggie Cowman P&D Crowley B Foster D Hardy A Longden L&M Peear Mrs RM Peear JR Pottinger Mrs PE Revill Johnson PE Triggs Wetherby & District CP Panel	Sponsored Croquet Marathon Sponsored Croquet Marathon Sponsored Croquet Marathon Sponsored Croquet Marathon Sponsored Croquet Marathon Sponsored Croquet Marathon Sponsored Croquet Marathon Sponsored Croquet Marathon Sponsored Croquet Marathon Sponsored Croquet Marathon	£10.00 £1,000.00 £10.00 £7.50 £20.00 £5.00 £20.00 £250.00 £50.00 £25.00 £10.00 £50.00
24/8/11	WD Burniston Caddick Construction Ltd Maggie Cowman RTA Dixon Mr WJ Horsley D&C Jeary JW & JE Raine M Thompson Mr RW & EM Ward W & G Gray A & S Fairburn Mr & Mrs MacFarlane & Jan	Sponsored Croquet Marathon Sponsored Croquet Marathon Sponsored Croquet Marathon Sponsored Croquet Marathon Sponsored Croquet Marathon Sponsored Croquet Marathon Sponsored Croquet Marathon Sponsored Croquet Marathon Donation - in memory of Gran Ellen Donation - in memory of Gran Ellen Donation - in memory of Gran Ellen	£25.00 £20.00 £1,047.24 £25.00 £25.00 £50.00 £25.00 £65.00 £10.00 £20.00 £20.00 £330.00
25/8/11	Mahony & Ward Ltd FHLTA Just Giving Website Alan & Monica Cawthorn	Donation - in memory of Robert Bernard Mullin Just giving from 1st May 2011 to 9th August 2011 Donation	£69.20 £5,412.88 £30.00
27/8/11	Mr & Mrs BE Lowe Mr John Woodhouse & family	Donation - in memory of Jamie Woodhouse Donation - in memory of Jamie Woodhouse	£50.00 £162.50
2/9/11	RA Bakewell Mr & Mrs N Askew Mrs M Pearson Mrs J Bradwell Mrs HE MacDonald, family and friends	Donation Donation - in memory of Mr Newton Askew Donation - in memory of Mr Newton Askew Donation - in memory of Mr Newton Askew Donations - celebrating "1st birthday" of Joanne's new lungs	£26.00 £20.00 £10.00 £10.00 £815.00
12/9/11	Mr Barry Marshall E Turnbull & Son Ltd B Considine Maggie Cowman Maggie Cowman MF & W Cowman Tim Lyman CA Mountfield F Slack M Thompson	Coast to Coast cycle ride Collection - in memory of Mr Kenneth Clarkson Sponsored Croquet Marathon Sponsored Croquet Marathon Sponsored Croquet Marathon Sponsored Croquet Marathon Sponsored Croquet Marathon Sponsored Croquet Marathon Sponsored Croquet Marathon Sponsored Croquet Marathon	£361.00 £105.00 £30.00 £460.00 £50.00 £45.00 £150.00 £5.00 £10.00 £40.00
23/9/11	Mr Trevor Wood Claire Crozier Sunderland Air Show	Sponsored Croquet Marathon Cake Stall held in Ponteland Money from Collection Boxes	£65.00 £60.00 £260.00

NOTICE TO ALL ebay USERS

Soon you will be able to make a donation to the Freeman Heart & Lung Transplant Association when you make a purchase or sale on ebay. Keep an eye on the website for further details.

Please remember that the FHLTA gets a mailing list from the transplant clinic. We apologise if you have received it in error. Do you prefer to read the newsletter online or as a paper copy?

Please tell us what you think. We hope you will like what you see, and we are interested to hear your opinion.

FHLTA news

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AUTUMN NEWSLETTER

WELCOME TO OUR NEWSLETTER,
NOW ALSO AVAILABLE ON-LINE!

We hope that you have enjoyed our long,
hot summer! Well done if you spotted it!

I spent 6 days in June, trekking along Hadrian's Wall. A fantastic experience, especially since it would have been impossible to contemplate prior to my transplant.

It feels like transplantation at the Freeman Hospital is entering a new era. Plans are in place for a move to the new building this autumn. We want to wish all the staff good luck for the move.



Artists impression of institute of transplantation.

Equipment, funded by the FHLTA, will be used to increase the comfort of patients, and improve the services in the new facility. I look forward to seeing you there.

Susie Wood - Editor

6TH CONGRESS OF THE INTERNATIONAL PAEDIATRIC TRANSPLANT ASSOCIATION

MONTREAL, CANADA, 25TH - 28TH JUNE 2011

'Dedicated to promoting the advancement of the science
and practice of transplantation in children worldwide'

Over 500 delegates, from 62 countries, attended this conference in Canada. Physicians, surgeons, psychologists, scientists, pathologists, nurses, dieticians, physiotherapists, pharmacists and transplant coordinators all gathered to share experiences.

The scientific program included 205 oral presentations and 200 poster presentations. There were interactive workshops and debate sessions. The poster sessions at the end of the day and were accompanied with cheese and wine, which was a good way of ensuring high attendance!

I found all of the sessions which I attended worthwhile and especially enjoyed the opportunity for discussion

through several lively debates. I returned to the Freeman with lots of information for discussion within the team.

It is important that we examine our practices, and it is always useful to learn from other well established centres and to recognize that there may be several ways to deal with the complexities of transplantation.

I would like to thank the FHLTA again, for providing the funding which enabled me to attend this conference.

Lynne Holt - Recipient Transplant Coordinator

SCIENCE IN SAN DIEGO

International Society for Heart and Lung Transplant Annual Scientific meeting San Diego April 2011



Thanks to the wonderful generosity of the Freeman Heart and Lung Transplant Association we were able to support twenty members of the transplant team at Freeman to attend the International Societies' annual scientific meeting held this year in San Diego California. This is without doubt the most important meeting of its kind for those involved in thoracic transplantation, providing a rich programme of educational events and the opportunity to discuss the results of new research with leading transplant centres throughout the world.

It was held over five very busy days and all who attended agreed that the meeting had provided an excellent programme of direct relevance to patient care. We were careful to ensure that a wide spectrum of team members was invited including nurses, co-ordinators, microbiologists in addition to physicians and surgeons.

The programme offered something for everybody and ensured that each group in the transplant team at Freeman is up to date with

all new developments within the speciality of heart and lung transplantation.

Attendance also allowed many of the team to present the results of their own clinical experience and research carried out in Newcastle to the rest of the attendees furthering the reputation and standing of the Freeman team which is already acknowledged as a leading centre. A number of senior members of the team gave state of the art talks at the meeting in a programme called the Academy that was geared towards educating young trainees in heart and lung transplantation thus ensuring the next generation of specialists have acquired the necessary skills. Amongst the high points of the meeting were sessions on donor organ reconditioning, which allows us to safely increase the number of transplantations that can be carried out, newer approaches to the treatment of infections and management of long term graft dysfunction.

Supporting the Freeman Transplant team's attendance at this meeting ensures that we

are aware of all new clinical developments for recipients of heart and lung transplants so that we can offer the best of care to our patients. I very much hope that you agree that this is a highly appropriate use of funds bringing benefits to the team and patients alike.

Finally we are all looking forward to the move into the New Transplant Institute at Freeman and I know how impressed you will be with the new facilities. We also look forward to next year's scientific meeting to be held in Prague in the Czech Republic and hope we can take another group of transplant team members to ensure we remain up to date with new developments in all aspects of our work.

Many thanks once again for your continued support and generosity which is very much appreciated.

*Professor Paul A Corris
Director Cardiopulmonary Transplantation*

BELFAST GAMES

23rd - 26th AUGUST 2012

Part of recovery after a transplant is of course keeping active.



We encourage any transplant recipients, adults and children, to contact our sports managers Janet, Judith and Derek if they want to join the fun. Meeting people who have the same experience as you can be inspiring and reassuring. Our team performed better than ever at the Belfast Games with 4 new competitors winning at least a medal each.

The Freeman team achieved 15 gold, 14 silver and 10 bronze medals. In addition Andy Drysdale won the Graeme Marsh trophy. We congratulate David Robinson too on winning the Arthur Hardy trophy for contribution to transplantation.

Janet Long is the Children's Team Manager: "The Freeman Children's Team took 4 children to Belfast and had a successful time. We feel there may have been an intruder at one of the Transplant Games!!"

COASTING Fantastic Achievement for Barry!

In June, Barry Marshall of Whitley Bay completed the coast to coast bike ride covering 130 miles in a total time of 11 hrs and 45mins, with 10hrs and 30 min in the saddle.

He has raised £361 For the FHLTA. Well Done!



CROQUET MARATHON

Maggie Cowman is an ex police officer who, following a double lung transplant, arranged a fund raising event at the Ripon Spa Hotel.

Maggie's passion for croquet and led her to play a 3 day, round the clock match with International and amateur croquet enthusiasts, hoping to achieve a record.

The Croquet Association recognises her event as a world first! Sadly since there were 8 players rather than 2, the attempt can't be classed as a Guinness World Record. However, knowing Maggie's fighting spirit and determination - I would watch this space!!



FURTHER AFIELD

Congratulations to double heart-transplant recipient Erik Compton.

The 31-year-old American, who was diagnosed with an enlarged heart as a child and had his first transplant at the age of 12 and his second in 2008, triumphed at the Mexico Open



NEWS IN BRIEF

BRITISH MEDICAL JOURNAL AWARDS

Transplant Co-coordinator Neil Wrightson has been nominated and shortlisted. Good luck Neil!

WHAT'S THE SCORE

Regular fundraisers we want to thank include Mrs K Hallinan for organising a charity football tournament: The Hallinan v Nelson challenge.

COME DINE WITH ME

The New College at Stamford held a fine dining event and raised £1636.00

GOSFORTH GLEEKS

The Academy recently collected over £1000 in a cabaret style fundraiser. Students in years 9, 10 and 11 were inspired by the hit TV show Glee.

CRAFTY

Monica White from Eaglescliffe makes cards to fundraise in memory of her husband David.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

As always - check the website for the most recent information.

**VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT
12TH NOVEMBER 2011**

**BRITISH TRANSPLANT GAMES IN
MEDWAY, KENT
23RD - 6TH AUGUST 2012**

If you can help or support the Freeman Heart and Lung Transplant Association, please contact our Chairman Derek or Secretary Judith, via our website.

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