



Burnaby **Hospice** Society

# Hike for Hospice <sup>2019</sup>

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES



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## WHAT IS HOSPICE PALLIATIVE CARE?

Hospice palliative care is not just for the final days or months of life. It's a holistic approach that includes pain and symptom management, psychological support, spiritual care, caregiver support, and bereavement.

Hospice care also embraces families and friends by supporting them through the illness and into bereavement.



*"I want to thank the Burnaby Hospice Society, it's Board, volunteers, staff and donors for the important and dedicated service to our community, in providing support and counselling to patients and their families during the end of life journey. On a personal note, my family and I are so grateful that you were there providing comforting assistance when we needed it the most."*

KATHY CORRIGAN

*"I am in awe of the extraordinary care, compassion and understanding provided by the hospice palliative care community."*

PETER MANSBRIDGE



## MISSION STATEMENT

We provide services in Burnaby to individuals and families going through the end-of-life journey. We support individuals who are in palliative or hospice care along with their families and caregivers. We educate our community about death, dying and bereavement.

**No one in Burnaby needs to go through the end-of-life journey alone.**

## HIKE FOR HOSPICE

Burnaby Hospice Society is offering the opportunity to support our community and become a sponsor for the 2019 Hike for Hospice Burnaby on Sunday, May 5, 2019 at Central Park, Burnaby. Hike for Hospice Burnaby is a public family event open to anyone in the Burnaby and surrounding area. Participants gather to hike, walk, or wander around central park in support of the Burnaby Hospice Society and the critical work we do in providing compassionate care to individuals and families during the end-of-life journey.

All proceeds from the event go directly to supporting and raising awareness of Burnaby Hospice Society and its hospice palliative care and bereavement support programs which are offered at no cost to Burnaby residents and their families and friends. Last year our Palliative Program served over 1000 families.

The Hike for Hospice Burnaby is associated with the national Hike for Hospice Palliative Care that is coordinated by the Canadian Hospice Palliative Care Association, the national organization that provides leadership in hospice palliative and end-of-life care in Canada.

## SPONSORSHIP PERKS

	PLATINUM \$5000+	GOLD \$2500	SILVER \$1500	BRONZE \$500	EVENT PARTNER
Prominent logo placement on event brochure, posters, and t-shirt	✓				
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Prominent on-site event signage.	✓	✓	✓		
Verbal recognition at event and in press releases.	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Recognition in post event "Thank you"	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Prominent logo placement and direct link to website	✓	✓	✓		
Use of event photos for corporate newsletter	✓	✓			
Complimentary hiker registrations	10	6			



## WHY HOSPICE?

At some point we all face the end of life, ourselves and our loved ones. Death touches us all, the young, and the old. Cancer or some other life threatening illness will inevitably come into our lives: when it does we can only hope that we are met with the compassionate care that is provided by a Palliative Hospice.

This is where death will not be hastened nor life prolonged. Comfort and relief of suffering will be achieved. Giving dignity and offering the very best quality of life during the final stages is our goal. Those who remain are not forgotten. The Burnaby Hospice Society continues to support families and friends through illness and into the grieving process.



*"Since 1986 the Burnaby Hospice Society has done the important work in our community of providing compassionate support for those facing the end of life. I have special admiration for the volunteers who willingly hold the hands of vulnerable people. This is one of the most honorable actions for one human to do for another."*

RAJ CHOUHAN



*"We are so grateful in Burnaby to have the Burnaby Hospice Society's invaluable services available to our citizens. Burnaby Hospice is an organization that never draws attention to itself, but quietly supports individuals, families and their friends at their time of greatest need and vulnerability. They offer respite to family caregivers who find that doing everything they can isn't enough. They encourage and allow caregivers to take care of themselves, while ensuring that doing so doesn't compromise the care of a loved one. Burnaby Hospice and all of its employees and volunteers embody the true meaning of community when we need it most. In turn, they deserve our sincere support."*

DEREK CORRIGAN

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