
2024-2025 BOARD SLATE

New Board members:

Bob Campbell

Bob grew up in Montreal and attended Concordia University graduating with a Bachelor of Science in Biology and Chemistry. After spending several years working in the pharmaceutical industry in Montreal he moved to Peterborough to work for Ethicon Sutures Ltd, a subsidiary of Johnson and Johnson, in the Quality Control Division. Bob subsequently left Ethicon, returning to school at the Peterborough Teachers College. He taught in the elementary and secondary system for 27 years, having many wonderful and different experiences. He was an elementary and secondary consultant and the Chief Negotiator for the Elementary Teachers' Federation. Bob left teaching and returned to school and achieved his Financial Planning certification. Bob worked as a consultant, a Division Director, and a Regional Director here in Peterborough and in St. John's, Newfoundland. He retired in 2015. Bob has and continues to contribute to his community. He has been a volunteer at PRHC for 8 years, volunteer tutor at the New Canadians Centre, as well as being on the board of directors of: Telecare Peterborough, CCRC, Family Council Ontario, Kairos, Community Foundation, and Hospice Peterborough. Bob is currently volunteering at the Theatre Guild learning the production side of this exciting new experience. He is looking forward to return to the Board of Hospice Peterborough.

Board Members returning for a new term:

Adam Burns

Adam was born and raised in Orillia, Ontario, but the allure of Peterborough and the beautiful Kawartha Lakes made it an easy decision to become a permanent member of the community a decade ago. After first coming to the area in 2005 to attend Trent University where he received his Bachelor of Business Administration and a member Trent's rowing team, he began to fall in love with the community. Following a brief time away working in Toronto and later obtaining his MBA from the Richard Ivey School of Business at Western University, he was drawn back to Peterborough. His spouse, Angela was completing her training as a family doctor and member of the Hospitalist group at PRHC and he knew it was the perfect sign to move back. Adam currently works for RBC PH&N Investment Counsel where he is part of a team providing discretionary investment management and wealth planning services to the bank's most affluent clients. He is licensed as a discretionary portfolio manager and holds the Chartered Financial Analyst (CFA) designation. During his time away from the office you can find him walking through the trees and attempting to play golf, canoeing through the Kawartha Lakes, or out entertaining his Mini-Aussiedoodle, Madigan and new son, Addison. Adam is also an active member of the PRHC Foundation board of directors.

Margaret Keatings

Margaret has had a home in Lakefield since 1989. She had an extensive clinical and leadership career in nursing, assuming senior positions at The Hospital for Sick Children, Hamilton Health Sciences, and the University Health Network (TGH). As the Chief, Inter-professional Practice and Chief Nurses Executive at SickKids, she chaired an initiative focused on the advancement of the palliative care program. This process engaged families and considered the end-of-life experiences of children in that setting. Others included programs related to child and family centred care, inter-professional practice, diversity, inclusion and equity. Beyond her professional experience with end-of-life care, she supported the final journey of her parents, extended family members, and friends, confirming for her the value of caring, compassion, and family presence. Wearing multiple lenses, Margaret views the systems of care through the lens of a governor, a leader, health care professional with a national and global perspective, and as a family member. Margaret has extensive experience on boards and advisory committees including her role as a family advisor on research initiatives related to the care of older adults at the University Health Network, and as a member of the SPA-LTC (Strengthening a Palliative Approach in Long-Term Care) Partner Working Group, a Canada-wide program led by a research team at McMaster University. Margaret had academic appointments at the University of Toronto, McMaster University and Ryerson University. The 5th edition of the book co-authored by Margaret, "Ethical and Legal Issues in Canadian Nursing" was released late 2023.

Current Board members:

Shelley Barrie

Shelley was born in Kirkland Lake, Ontario. She moved with her family to Kitchener in 1967 and remained there, graduating from the University of Waterloo and Toronto Teachers College. After her wedding to her husband Tim, the couple spent ten years in Oshawa, where Shelley continued to teach and two of their three sons were born. In 1989, the family moved to Peterborough. As their family grew, Shelley taught part time and was the choir director for ten musicals at Queen Mary School. She retired from her teaching career in 2013. While her family was young, Shelley became involved with Hospice, helping with event planning. Volunteering with Hospice has continued for over 20 years, during which time Shelley chaired event committees, joined the board, was part of the Cabinet for the Every Moment Matters Campaign, served as the President and Chair of the Board for 2 years. Shelley has always recognized the value of volunteering time and talents. She has come to appreciate the meaningful work done by the staff of Hospice and is honoured to have been part of the building and opening of the new Hospice Care Centre and being part of the Hospice Board.

Mary Blair

Mary Blair moved to Peterborough in September 2000 to begin a new career in partnership with her husband, Greg as Tim Hortons Franchisees. They have raised their two daughters, Jessie and Laura, in Peterborough and are proud to call Peterborough "Our Home". The opportunity to work with Hospice Peterborough began with the Tim Hortons Smile Cookie Campaign just prior to Hospice's Capital Campaign. The four-year commitment to Hospice during that campaign reinforced Mary's desire to work with Hospice on a greater level. Mary has volunteered with Hospice Peterborough for over ten years and is completing her sixth year as a member of the Board of Directors. She is currently sitting as Board President 2023/24. Mary is humbled and so grateful to be surrounded by the wealth of knowledge, passion and commitment to palliative care both by the Board of Directors and the Residence and Community Team that make Hospice Peterborough the truly amazing organization it is.

Kirsten Burgomaster

Kirsten is a member of Lakeridge Health's Senior Management Team and has worked within the healthcare environment and academia for around 20 years. In her current role, Kirsten serves as Ontario Health's (Cancer Care Ontario) Regional Vice President of the Central East Regional Cancer Program (CE RCP), which includes a network of cancer services and hospitals providing care to the 1.6 million people who live in the Northumberland, Kawartha Lakes, Durham and Scarborough areas. Kirsten also serves as Health System Executive/Vice-President, Clinical at Lakeridge Health. In this position, she has oversight of the CE RCP, Durham Regional Cancer Centre, Mental Health & Addictions, Pharmacy, Laboratory Medicine and Diagnostic Imaging. She works closely with the Durham Ontario Health Team and many partners across the continuum of care to create and advance synergies between acute care, primary care, and many community-based programs at a regional and provincial level. Kirsten obtained her doctoral degree from McMaster University (specialization in skeletal muscle metabolism), completed a post-doctoral fellowship at Trent University, and is currently an adjunct Professor at Ontario Tech University. Kirsten and her husband live in Peterborough with their 4 children and enjoy sporting events and family activities.

Heather Eatson

Heather grew up in Niagara Falls, Ontario and moved to Peterborough in 1989. Heather is married with two grown sons, who both reside in Peterborough. She received her Bachelor of Applied Science from the University of Guelph in 1987, with a major in Gerontology. Heather has worked in community healthcare for over 30 years with Red Cross Homecare and Osteoporosis Canada, in both local and regional positions. She has worked closely and collaborated with many stakeholders including volunteers, and healthcare professionals and has experience managing and supervising staff. Heather has a passion for palliative care and recognizes the importance of providing dignified care to everyone across their lifespan. She has benefited from the programs offered by Hospice Peterborough and has completed the Hospice Volunteer Training. Heather currently works with her husband and sons at the family business, Peterborough Volkswagen.

Marie Hynes

Marie was born and raised in Peterborough. After leaving town for school and the start of her legal career, she moved back to Peterborough in 2019 with her husband and two daughters. Marie has a criminology degree from the University of Ottawa and a law degree from Osgoode Hall Law School. She practices at LLF Lawyers LLP in the area of estate planning (wills, powers of attorney, trusts, guardianship applications) and estate administration. Marie currently sits on the Board for a local non-profit summer camp and the Peterborough Foundation, and volunteers with her children's school. Marie is finishing her fourth year on the Hospice Board and is currently the Treasurer of the Organization. She is looking forward to supporting Hospice Peterborough in the upcoming years.

Richard Johnston

Richard has been a resident of Peterborough County for the past 43 years along with his wife Annie and their 3 children. He has been involved in palliative/hospice care since the untimely death of his first wife at the age of 31. He recently retired from a long and varied leadership career in civil engineering, communications, fundraising and strategic operations as well as a 4-year stint as Executive Director of Hospice Peterborough in the early 1990's during which he founded the Peterborough Festival of Trees. Following this, he was employed with Lakefield College School for 22 years. Richard has served on several boards in the community including previous terms on the Hospice Board in the 1980s and early 2000s. He has also served as a church trustee and a board member for the Art Gallery of Peterborough and the Morton Family Healthcare Centre. Richard chaired the Hospice Care Centre Building Committee that oversaw the construction of our fabulous new facility. Now, in his retirement years, he stays busy playing with grandchildren, tackling never-ending home projects, camping and travel.

Dan Marinigh

Dan had a 34-year career with the Ontario Ministry of Natural Resources beginning as a field forester and retiring as the Director, Integration Branch. While working for the Ministry Dan lived and worked in Sudbury, Espanola, Kirkland Lake, Chapleau, and Timmins before moving to Peterborough. In 2014 Dan joined the Otonabee Region Conservation Authority as the Chief Administrative Officer/Secretary-Treasurer and retired from the Authority in 2022. Through his working career Dan has led teams responsible for operations, program & service delivery, and policy & program development. He has worked in the areas of forestry, Crown land management, land use planning, waters, aggregates, stewardship, and Indigenous relations. In addition to sitting on the Board of Directors at Hospice Peterborough, Dan also sits on the Board of Directors for Forests Ontario, and is a Member of the City of Peterborough's Committee of Adjustment. Dan previously served on the Fleming College Board of Governors and held the Chair's position for a 2-year term. Dan attended Lakehead University receiving an Honours Bachelor of Science in Forestry and has an Executive Certificate in Applied Leadership from the Queen's University Smith School of Business. Dan and his wife have lived in Peterborough since 2002. They have two adult children.

Christina Murphy

Christina was born and raised in Guelph, Ontario and currently resides in Peterborough with her husband and two young daughters. Christina obtained her undergraduate degree in Health Studies at the University of Waterloo followed by a Masters in Health Policy, Management and Evaluation at the University of Toronto. Christina has over a decade of experience in leading initiatives related to health system measurement and quality improvement at the University of Toronto and at the Ministry of Health. In 2008, she joined Peterborough Regional Health Centre and is now the hospital's Director of Patient Relations, Risk, Infection Control and Medical Affairs. Christina joined Hospice Peterborough's board in 2019 with a passion for helping to improve the end-of-life experience in our community. Christina has a strong belief that the holistic and person-centered approach of hospice palliative care and its focus on quality of life is the way forward.

Deborah Nayler

Deborah was born and raised in the Peterborough area. She currently resides near Trent University with her spouse and two of their children from their blended family of four. Deborah has been employed with Trentway-Wagar for over 39 years. Through her years of experience, Deborah has acquired a wide range of experience in the human resources field, with emphasis on Human Resource Management and the legislation pertaining thereto. She has her Human Resource Management Certification and as of July 2015, she completed her Certified Human Resources Professional Designation. She has a solid understanding of the Canada Labour Code and its application of fair employment practices, labour standards, and employment insurance. Deborah has also been involved in various fundraising committees in the community and was Trentway-Wagar's United Way Coordinator for 23 years. Her commitment has contributed to very successful campaigns earning Coach Canada the "Cornerstone of the Community" award for 10 years and the 2008-2009 YWCA Safe Haven Fundraising Campaign raising \$3.5 M for the women's shelter. When not working, she loves to cook, garden and travel. Deborah is very excited to serve on the Board of Directors and is eager to support palliative care and its services in the community.

Dr. Becca Webster

Becca was born and raised in Quispamsis, New Brunswick. Her first post-secondary degree was a Bachelor of Science in Psychology (with Honours), which she completed at Acadia University in Nova Scotia. She then moved to St. John's, Newfoundland, where she completed medical school at Memorial University of Newfoundland (MUN). She met her husband, Dr. Sachin Waghmare, during medical school and the two moved to Peterborough in 2017 to complete their Family Medicine residency through Queen's University. Becca had been working as a Family Physician at The Medical Centre with

Sachin, but she transitioned to full-time work in Palliative Care in July 2021. She and her colleagues provide palliative care to patients in the community, at PRHC, and at Hospice Peterborough. Becca and Sachin have a beautiful one-year-old daughter, Priya, who keeps them busy! Becca is very excited to be on the Hospice Peterborough Board of Directors again this year.

Board Youth Intern:

Max Moloney

Max was born and raised in Peterborough and is an incoming Medical Student at the University of Limerick. Max currently serves as a Hospice Residence Volunteer and as a Youth Intern on the Hospice Peterborough Board of Directors . He graduated with a Bachelor of Science in Life Sciences from Queen’s University in 2020, during which he studied as a Loran Scholar and Queen’s University Chancellor’s Scholar. During his undergraduate studies, Max also played Defensive Back for the Queen’s Gaels Varsity Football Team and worked as the Head Manager of the Queen’s University Food Bank. Max continued his studies at Queen’s, graduating with a Master of Science in Translational Medicine in 2022, during which he created a computer algorithm to detect cases of asthma in medical records and is published in international medical journals. Max is looking forward to renewing his term as a Youth Intern on the Board.