

January 4, 2019

The Vollmer Culture and Recreation Complex 2121 Laurier Dr. LaSalle, ON N9J 2C9

Dear Vollmer Culture and Recreation Complex Management & Staff,

We would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous support by, again, allowing us to use your facility for the 23rd Annual Hockey for Hospice Tournament held from December 27-29, 2018.

The friendly hospitality and constant professionalism displayed by each individual at the Vollmer Complex who worked with our tournament team was truly appreciated. Your team provided our players, coaches, volunteers and spectators with an unforgettable tournament experience. We are pleased to inform you that this year's event was a tremendous success. It was officially our biggest fundraising tournament to date, and we had 132 teams participating over three days at five different arenas. The tournament helped to raise more than \$347,000 for Hospice – a new record!

Proceeds from this event will stay local to benefit over 47 Wellness Programs available at Hospice, and help support the Hospice Residential Home at the Hospice Village. Hospice continues to evolve and grow through the generosity and dedication from community-minded organizations like yours. With your support, we are able to uphold our Hospice mandate which is to *Support*, *Educate and Empower* those dealing with or caring for someone facing a life-altering diagnosis. Through community support we are able to offer our programs and services at no cost to our patients and their families and caregivers.

On behalf of the Hospice Board of Directors, staff, volunteers and most importantly our patients and their families, thank you for your dedication to our Hospice.

Sincerely,

Colleen Reaume

Executive Director

The Hospice of Windsor & Essex County

Tim Beaulieu

Tournament Founder & Co-chair

Hockey For Hospice