



CUMBERLAND COUNTY HOSPICE NEWLETTER

March , 2017

We apologize to our members for the delays in getting this Newsletter to you. In future the Newsletter will be issued quarterly.

We've Moved!

Due to the need for more space and expansion by both organizations, the office of the Cumberland County Hospice and Palliative Care Society has moved from above Campbell's Funeral Home 98 Church St Amherst to our new location in the Amherst Centre Mall 142 South Albion Street next door to the Amherst Artisan Gallery. We would like to express our sincere appreciation to Mischa and his staff for their generosity and kindness over the years and look forward to working with them in the future. They have become not only our partners and friends, they are part of our family. We would also like to thank the management and staff of the Amherst Centre Mall for their help and generosity, in making this move possible. This move has resulted in an incredible increase in awareness and convenience to the public. Membership dues for 2017 are due and can be renewed at our office 10am – 5pm Monday to Saturday. Membership is \$5.00 per year. To all our members and supporters, we invite you to drop into our new location and see us. Your visits are always welcome.

Steering Committee

The Steering Committee meets on the 3rd Thursday every Month to co-ordinate efforts to bring plan forward.



Communication Team Report:

Communication Team meets on the first Thursday of every month. Recently most of our efforts have been focused on the updating, and upgrading of our membership list, in conjunction with the Membership Team to prepare for importing into our new “Sumac Contact Management Software” and developing the processes to stay in touch with all our members. We are also working on the processes, and procedures for making public aware of what Hospice is, and what we are doing to further the goals of the society. These processes have been identified as Strategic Priorities 1 & 2 in our newly developed Strategic plan.

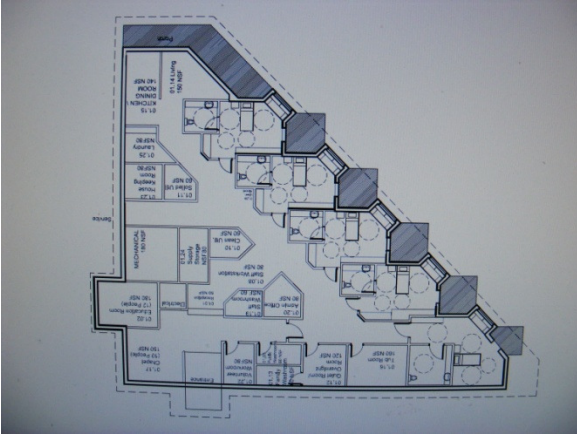
The Board

The board has worked with the NSCC 2nd Year Business Management Class in preparing our new look and our new Strategic Plan.



Design Team Report:

The design Team has met several times over the last year to fine tune and discuss the plan, but at this time there is little more to do until start up.



The Living Christmas Tree performance at First Baptist Church in Dec. Donations received \$1,090



We Attended 5 Christmas Parades in Amherst, Springhill, Oxford, River Hebert, and Parrsboro



Special Events:

The Rollickers Performed at the Tidnish Community Hall Oct 29th 2016 \$1,131 Raised



Rock-a-thon was held at Amherst Centre Mall Feb John & Barry Helm Raised More Than \$1,500

