Spring Summer 2017 Newsupaate



We have moved!

Our new name unveiled 'Butterfly House'





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A new era

2017 is a hugely significant and exciting year for The South Bucks Community Hospice. The move into our stunning purpose-built £4.8m building means that we will significantly increase our capacity to deliver care.

Our 15,000 sq ft. three storey building, situated on the former Kingswood School site in Totteridge Lane, High Wycombe, will put all of our charity's services under one roof, and also allow room to expand and evolve in response to need. Our patients, their families and carers are at the heart of everything we do and I know people will very quickly be reaping the benefits of this move, in terms of care and convenience.

Butterfly House

We are delighted to announce that our new building is called Butterfly House. Around the world, people view the butterfly as representing endurance, change, hope, joy, and life. Butterflies are perhaps best known for the amazing transformation they undertake. We would like our new hospice to be a place that supports people through a transformation at the most difficult time in their lives.

Butterflies have also been part of our image and brand for a long time and we are honouring our long and successful history as we move forward into our next phase. You may have noticed, we are slightly changing our name to The South Bucks Community Hospice because it is the local community we serve. A very warm welcome to Butterfly House!





Lymphoedema News

Our Lymphoedema Clinic provides highly specialist knowledge in the treatment of all patients with Lymphoedema and other chronic oedemas. For the last fifteen years the team have been based 3 miles from the main Hospice and we are delighted that the new Hospice means that we will all be under one roof. Our new Lymphoedema suite comprises four treatment rooms as well as a support group and exercise class.

Did you know? On average the service that we provide would cost £80ph privately. All of the services we provide are free.

"Without the Lympoedema clinic I would have been unable to drive and resume my life".

Thank you to all those who helped to raise the funds supporting the purchase of our Physio Touch Equipment.

Butterfly House delivering excellence in Lymphoedema care.



Two of our Lymphoedema therapists, Frances Wallington and Lynn Brooks our new Nurse Manager try out a new piece of equipment in their new clinical suite.

You can make a difference

"Volunteering with The South Bucks Community Hospice showed me what a big difference I can make to the lives of families".

People choose to volunteer for the South Bucks Community Hospice for so many reasons, but they all have one thing in common. They all understand how important it is to support our work in their community. Volunteering is fulfilling in its own right but also a great way to meet new people and expand your skills.

We are recruiting for 150 new volunteers. There are many ways that you can help support our Hospice's work, whatever your skills or interests we are bound to have something you will enjoy doing. Here are a few of the roles that we are looking to fill:

Shop support:

• Sorting, selling and sprucing up the stores.

Drivers:

• Make a practical difference to someone's life.

Receptionists:

 The welcoming face everyone sees when they visit.

Fundraisers:

Managing collection boxes in our community.

Administrators:

 Providing valuable support to our Finance and Fundraising Teams.

Ambassadors:

 Passionate and engaging speakers to raise our profile.

To find out more please call us on 01494 552761 or email volunteers@sbhospice.org.uk





Our Bourne End store has a fresh new look after a facelift and we're excited to announce that our bookshop has transferred to Beaconsfield! In addition, half of the Beaconsfield store will be transformed into an Emporium style space where we intend to stock a gorgeous selection of items including quality fashion items, shoes, bags and accessories, soft furnishings, ornaments, art, furniture and more!

Please pop by and see what little treasures you can find and grab yourself a bargain! We look forward to seeing you in store soon, in the meantime, to help support our retail sites we need volunteers in all locations so please spread the word!

Your chance to win!

The Hospice Lottery will celebrate its 1000th draw this summer and if you are yet to sign up then now is the time to do it! Since it began The South Bucks Community Hospice has received over £1.5m.

For more information and to buy your ticket, or become a member, visit:

www.hospicelottery.co.uk



What's on?

Why not support Butterfly House by joining us at one of our upcoming events.









June 29th / Time 18.30 - 21:30

Where: Butterfly House, Kingswood Park, High Wycombe, Bucks, HP13 6GR

What: Quiz Night, Bring a bottle and join us for £5 per person including nibbles.

Call to book your team now.



September 21st / Time: 08:00 - 17:30

Where: Lambourne Golf Club, Dropmore Road, Burnham, SL1 8NF

What: We are now taking bookings for our Golf Day at the prestigious Lambourne Golf Club.

Get in touch for information on how to book as an individual or a team.

October 1st / Time: TBC

Where: Colne Valley Regional Park, Black Park Rd, Slough SL3 6DS

What: Registration for South Bucks 10K and 5K races opens soon – and new for this year a 2K fun run. Keep an eye on our website for further information and details of how to enter.

September 29th / Time 18:30 - 21:30

Where: Butterfly House, Kingswood Park, High Wycombe, Bucks, HP13 6GR

What: Personal Styling with John Lewis at Butterfly House. Join us for an evening of pampering, tickets on sale soon

More details available on our website or call Yvette Smith on:



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