

Hope for Tomorrow & Tenovus Update – June 2011

Fellow Lions,

Although it has been a relatively quiet couple of months for our fundraising efforts and major news on the MCU/MCSUs, that was never going to last for long and, sure enough, we have a bumper bundle of news for you this month!

Firstly, I can tell you that there will be a major article on our fundraising activities for Hope for Tomorrow's MCU and Tenovus' MCSU published in the **August/September** edition of the **B & I Lion Magazine**. Having had such success with the fundraising activities for these projects in 105W, we wanted to get this good news out to our fellow Lions in other Districts and, hopefully, encourage those clubs outside of 105W to join-in our efforts for these two brilliant causes.

Now for the really big news!

The third Hope for Tomorrow Mobile Chemotherapy Unit was unveiled on Saturday 25th June at the Charity's annual Polo Day and I can confirm that it's new home will be:-

NHS Wiltshire

This is absolutely fantastic news and I am so delighted because so many of our clubs within Wiltshire have been extremely keen for this Unit to come to them. Although I cannot definitely confirm the centres within the county that the Unit will operate from, I am hopeful of being able to give this information very soon. There will be a further report and pictures in our next News Update so that you can see this Unit in its fully glory!

Now let's find out what is going on with Hope for Tomorrow.

Belinda Bertie of Hope for Tomorrow writes:-

“Our new Mobile Chemotherapy Unit is ready to become operational and is looking incredibly smart with our new branding, which was generously designed pro bono. We now have a beautiful rainbow – which also forms part of our logo and is a symbol of hope – on the side. We will have a picture for you in the next up-date! This Unit's first public appearance was on Saturday 25th June at the Hope for Tomorrow Charity Polo Day – hence only a brief up-date this time!

For any motoring enthusiasts I am also very pleased to announce that we are also the chosen charity for the Goodwood Revival on 16th, 17th and 18th September 2011”

Thank you, Belinda.

Although I have no formal update from Tenovus MCSU, I can whet your appetites for next month's update by advising that I will be bringing you great news about a further significant donation to the Tenovus MCSU project from a club within our District in the next News Update!

The great news just keeps on coming!

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As this is the last update of this Lionistic Year, can I extend to every single one of you my sincere and heartfelt thanks for all the effort you have put in thus far to our fundraising efforts. I have said this before and I will say it again,

You are all Extraordinary People doing Amazing Things for the MCUs/MOUs and I am so very proud of you!

Lion Tony Buchan

District Advisor

Mobile Chemotherapy & Oncology Units