Huron Hospice Article

We know that many who have cottages or second homes along the shore of Lake Huron have become invested in the life of Huron County. Huron Hospice offers services beyond the residence which you may want to know about. In terms of the residence itself, if you have not been to visit someone, please enjoy this 4-minute tour: <u>https://youtu.be/_JVOyHiYHHg.</u> You may also be interested to hear the story of a resident of Bluewater (who is also the former warden of Huron County) as Bill tells us about the experience he and his wife, Joyce, had at the residence: <u>https://wp.me/pbpVoZ-9j</u>.

It's almost 30 years now that Huron Hospice has been providing home hospice support in Huron County using trained volunteers. If you, or someone you know, is living with a life-limiting illness and a listening ear at your home would help, contact Deb Shelly at 519-525-8648 or <u>deb.shelley@huronhospice.ca</u>. In these 30 years, we also have been offering grief groups after a loss. Contact Sally Brodie at 519-525-6331 or <u>sally.brodie@huronhospice.ca</u> for more information about coming groups. We thank the Bluewater and Huron County community for your support during our winter flood at the residence; we reopened on March 29. On June 4, we held an event at the residence to announce a gift of \$500,000 from Susan & David Bender of Bayfield towards our capital campaign. With this, the residence is now called Huron Hospice Bender House and we are just \$100,000 short of our campaign goal. Construction will occur in the next year to expand Bender House to 6 beds. Speaking of construction, with 3 federal government grants, the garage has now been renovated and it includes a community meeting room. Please contact us at 519-525-6856 to book the room for a meeting. We can also arrange a tour of the residence if you have not seen it (by calling the same number). See our website at <u>www.huronhospice.ca</u> for more information about our programs and services.