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Gifts That Keep on Giving

Cancer program supporters Terence O'Heany, M.D. and Joanne O'Heany

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A Lifelong Passion



Orange Coast Memorial supporters Joanne O'Heany, and her husband, Terence O'Heany, M.D., have dedicated over 50 years of their lives to the fight against cancer.

Dr. O'Heany graduated from the University of Toronto Faculty of Medicine in 1956 and went on to complete a five year program in obstetrics and gynecology at the four University of Toronto hospitals.

In October 1961, having just written his exams for his fellowship, he met

Joanne. After an eight month courtship, they married. Three years later, they moved to New York where Dr. O'Heany trained at Sloan Kettering to specialize in gynecologic oncology.

Returning to Toronto in 1967, Dr. O'Heany joined the medical staff at Centenary Hospital and Joanne began working with the Canadian Cancer Society.

"Although I had no personal family experience with cancer, I felt that if I was going to ask for money in support of a cause, I wanted it to be something that affected a large number of people," says Joanne.

The couple headed west to California in 1977, where Dr. O'Heany was instrumental in founding one of the first hospital-based cancer centers in Orange County and served as its medical director for several years.

In 1983, after having raised their son and daughter, Joanne began

volunteering again, this time for the American Cancer Society at their Discovery Shop thrift store in Corona del Mar. In 1993, she became director of the local American Cancer Society Information Center which later moved to the campus of Orange Coast Memorial in 2006.

Over the years, Joanne has expanded the role of the center beyond just printed educational literature and established a complimentary wig and prosthesis bank for women undergoing treatment. She also hosts monthly Look Good, Feel Better workshops that demonstrate make-up techniques and provide tips on how to deal with hair loss using hairpieces, hats and scarves.

The center also provides donated pillows, blankets, stuffed animals and clothes to patients and their family members.

It was this longtime, shared passion to help cancer patients that prompted the O'Heanys to recently make a charitable IRA rollover gift to the Orange Coast Memorial Foundation in support of the hospital's MemorialCare Cancer Institute.

The charitable IRA rollover offers an easy, tax-advantaged way to donate to a charity.

"By transferring our gift directly from our IRA to Orange Coast Memorial, we avoid income tax on the distribution," explains Dr. O'Heany.

With this gift, the O'Heanys are generously touching the lives of even more cancer patients.

"We are pleased to support the cancer program at Orange Coast Memorial, and help those who are fighting this devastating disease." says Joanne.



A Gift That Keeps on Giving

There's no better way to give and receive than to make a gift that helps others during this time of year.

As we unwrap gifts and wrap up another year, this is the time when we think most of others. The familiar saying reminds us it is "better to give than to receive." As the year winds to a close, take time to make sure you have given to yourself by giving to others.

To make your holiday gift, contact Orange Coast Memorial Foundation at **(714) 378-7397** or **online at memorialcare.org/ocmf.**

FOCUS ON EVENTS

An Charled Evening

14TH ANNUAL FALL GALA

Orange Coast Memorial Foundation welcomed over 250 guests to the Balboa Bay Resort for their 14th Annual Fall Gala on Saturday, October 15th. The "Enchanted Evening" was filled with lively games, auctions, fine dining and dancing. The event raised over \$280,000 in support of the hospital's new Emergency Pavilion.

The evening's program included a video that shared the emotional story of Orange Coast Memorial patient Lauren Speegle, a young mother who battled cancer and triumphantly survived. Retiring Chief Nursing Officer, Dale Vital, was also recognized for her 28 years of service. Guests generously made gifts to name one of the two nurses' stations in the new Emergency Pavilion in her honor.



Rick Reiff of Studio SoCal with wife Mary Ann Brown, MemorialCare SVP of Business Development, Marketing and Communications Cathy Capaldi with husband Michael, Orange Coast Memorial and Saddleback Memorial CEO, Marcia Manker with husband Will



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Orange Coast Memorial and Saddleback Memorial CEO Marcia Manker with donors Jennifer and Tashi Zouras and Orange Coast Memorial COO, Emily Randle



Dr. and Mrs. Medhat Mikhael and Dr. and Mrs. Magdi Sidhom



Special surprise honoree, Dale Vital, Orange Coast Memorial's Chief Nursing Officer



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Patient honoree Lauren Speegle with husband Justin and Drs. Kelly and Brian Francis



Orange Coast Memorial and Saddleback Memorial Board Vice Chair Resa Evans with husband Dave Theil

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Director's Message

As the holiday season draws near, we look back on that for which we are most thankful.

This past year marked our 20th year as Orange Coast Memorial, and our 30th year as a hospital serving our community. Thanks to generous friends like you, we have come a long way. It is your support that strengthens our ability to continually advance the level of patient care that we are able to offer you and your family.

We thank you for partnering with us and investing in our mission. We are truly grateful.

May you have a healthy and happy holiday!

With deep appreciation,

Paul Stimson
Director, Orange Coast Memorial Foundation



A SURF ART EXPERIENCE

HUNTINGTON BEACH CA

2016 SURF CITY USA

Orange Coast Memorial Foundation is honored to have been selected by the Rotary Club of Huntington Beach as the primary beneficiary of funds raised by their 2016 Surfboards on Parade program.

This surf-inspired initiative, which promotes skin cancer awareness and prevention, culminated in a gala event at the Pasea Hotel and Spa on October 7th where 22 custom shaped and artistically designed surfboards were auctioned off, raising more than \$115,000.

One special board, sponsored by Hyundai Motor America and displayed at Orange Coast Memorial prior to the event, was made by shaper Jason Hoffman, and artist and melanoma survivor, Kimberley Hansler. The board featured one of Orange Coast Memorial's therapy dogs, Kiss, riding a wave!



Artist Kimberley Hansler and the board she made for Orange Coast Memorial (photo by: Bill Alkofer, *OC Register*)



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PLANNED GIVING BRIEF

THE IRA CHARITABLE ROLLOVER IS PERMANENT!

HOW YOU CAN BENEFIT

If you are 70 ½ or older, you can make a gift from your IRA account to help support the work of Orange Coast Memorial and benefit. Gifts made from your IRA (up to \$100,000 per year) are not reportable as taxable income. They also qualify for your required minimum distribution (RMD), which can lower your taxes.

To learn more about the benefits of making an IRA charitable rollover gift to Orange Coast Memorial, please contact Paul Stimson at pstimson@memorialcare.org or (714) 378-7478.

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