

Dr. Christy Natsis & Dr. Bruce Harle Contribute \$10,000 to the Pembroke Regional Hospital Foundation's *Black & White Gala*!

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The Pembroke Regional Hospital Foundation is excited to announce the return of the *Black* & *White Gala* on October 19th, 2024.

Thank you to Dr. Christy Natsis and Dr. Bruce Harle, long time supporters of the Pembroke Regional Hospital, for their continued support of local health care, generously donating \$10,000 to this year's event as a *Gift of Humanity* sponsor!

Dr. Natsis, who is also the Chair of this year's Gala says, "Without a sense of caring, there is no sense of community. Thank you to the Pembroke Regional Hospital Foundation for caring for us, our families and our friends. As Chair of this year's *Black & White Gala*, I have been in awe of the support from so many of our local families and businesses who care about having the best possible health care right here close to home."

The *Black & White Gala* provides an opportunity for attendees to enjoy a catered meal from Ullrich's at the beautiful Normandy Officers' Mess while supporting their Pembroke Regional Hospital. An online auction which is open to the public, launched September 30th. Proceeds from the *Black & White Gala* support the *highest priority equipment needs at the Pembroke Regional Hospital,* improving the lives of local patients and their families.

Foundation Executive Director Roger Martin adds, "We are so thankful that Dr. Natsis and Dr. Harle are *Gift of Humanity* contributors for our 19th annual Gala. They have been donors for many, many years to the Foundation and continue to show that caring and community are synonymous when it comes to health care in Pembroke and the surrounding areas. We cannot do this without the generous support of our sponsors."

For more information regarding the *Black & White Gala*, please contact Leigh Costello, Community Fundraising Specialist at the Pembroke Regional Hospital Foundation at <u>leigh.costello@prh.email</u> or (613) 732-2811, extension 6129.

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