## FCHS Foundation Annual Report – 2010/2011

On behalf of the Board of FCHS Foundation, I now provide the following report.

**16<sup>th</sup> Annual Golf Tournament** – held at Wardsville Golf Course with a number of generous sponsors and keen golfers involved. It was a warm day with periods of heavy rain great fun was had by all ... funds raised approx \$11,000. The 17<sup>th</sup> annual golf tournament is only a couple of weeks away so see you on the greens.

<u>CT campaign</u> – as at (Mar 31/11) ...... of the \$500,000 goal set at the beginning of the campaign in Dec/06, the foundation has raised a total of \$488,205 in cash and pledges, leaving just under \$12,000 to honor the foundation's total commitment.

As funds are received, periodic transfers are made to the hospital – as of Mar 31/11 a total of \$451,965 had been received and transferred. As the remaining pledges are received, the funds will be transferred final payment due by the end of 2012/2013.

<u>Together We Play and Together We Change Program</u> – Four Counties Foundation started the launch of this program in August 2009. The Together We Change program will continue for 2011/2012 but after careful consideration and much discussion it was decided not proceed with the Together We Play contest.

<u>Auxiliary to the FCHS</u> - provides considerable support to the foundation. With the gift shop, the introduction of the book store and the continued success of Nevada tickets auxiliary support has grown to a total of \$15,000 this year.

<u>Royal Canadian Legion Charitable Foundation and Auxiliary</u> - a grant was received and funds were applied to the purchase of a bed with presentation by the members of the Newbury Legion Branch.

<u>Plunkett Foundation</u> – a grant was applied for and approved towards the purchase of a new bed.

<u>Glencoe Curling Bonspiel</u> – many thanks to the curlers and organizers in particular Howard Vanderhooft who continue to support the foundation by holding this event annually.

<u>Glencoe District Lions Club</u> - another local supporter, who every year provides funding to assist with the Adult Day Care Program. Over the past 20+ years they have donated in excess of \$93,000 to help support our seniors.

<u>Cash that Cares 2011 Lottery</u> - the foundation launches its lottery on June 22 2011 at the 17<sup>th</sup> Annual Golf Tournament. Prizes will be drawn to a total of \$35,000 in our first year.

As of today I step down as chair of the foundation and wish Paula Downs much success as Foundation chair for the next 2 years. Thank you to Don Weekes and Monte McNaughton for your invaluable service to the foundation. I look forward to continuing as a board member in the future.

Margaret Ann Wright,

Chair FCHS Foundation Board 2010-2011 June 9, 2011