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IPM Gives Back

The 2015 Stormont, Dundas & Glengarry International Plowing Match (IPM) did much more than just showcase our local farming community. It also supported local charities – including the Winchester District Memorial Hospital Foundation.

At a recent volunteer appreciation event in Finch, IPM Chairman Jim Brownell announced that the WDMH Foundation was the beneficiary of a \$100,000 gift from the IPM Legacy Fund. The Cornwall Community Hospital Foundation and the Glengarry Memorial Hospital Foundation received the same amount. Other service and not-for-profit groups also received donations.

WDMH Foundation Board member Cindy Peters accepted the donation and congratulated the IPM organizing committee for hosting such a wonderful event: “I think Finch stole the title from Disney as the happiest place on earth for those few days. Thank you so much for choosing our three hospitals to receive this generous gift.”

Peters noted that the funds will be used to support WDMH’s highest priority needs. “Please know that our patients will benefit greatly from your generosity. In every hospital, gold standard medical equipment is equally as important as the healthcare professionals who use it. The best equipment, combined with our amazing health care team, results in compassionate, excellent health care, close to home. Thank you so much.”

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Cutline: Shown at the presentation are (l-r): Cindy Peters, WDMH Foundation Board Member; Jim Brownell, IPM Chairman, Kristen Casselman, WDMH Foundation Managing Director and Cholly Boland, WDMH CEO.