



## MEDIA RELEASE

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### Helping Many Wishes Come True!

The results of the WDMH Foundation's 2021 Judy Lannin Christmas Wish Tree are in, with more than \$72,000 raised! The three giant trees on the hospital mezzanine were adorned with hundreds of ornaments!

"We've had a wonderful response to this annual tradition, and we want to thank everyone who donated," notes Kristen Casselman, Managing Director.

The Judy Lannin Christmas Wish Tree program invites donors to provide a gift in memory or honour of a loved one, doctor, health care provider, neighbour or veteran. Since this tradition began, close to \$1.2 million has been raised for health care close to home.

Funds raised are directed to the Foundation's Family Care Fund 'supporting families just like yours'. These gifts will help to ensure that the WDMH team has the right tools needed to care for patients and families, close to home.

Thank you to everyone who joined us for the virtual tree lighting ceremony and thank you to our generous sponsors who support this annual tradition.

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