

President's Report to the Board November 2016

Strategic Planning

On November 7th we held a workshop that brought together the Strategic Plan Initiative Leads with the Executive Sponsors to review their initiatives in-depth. The primary focus of the workshop was to guide the leads through an educational exercise which allowed them to identify appropriate outcome and process measures that would accurately capture the progress of their initiatives. In addition, the workshop served as an opportunity to review the tools we will be using and familiarize the teams with the reporting structures. This information will allow us to identify the cadence of accountability throughout the organization and will inform the metrics we use on Corporate Huddle boards, Executive Scorecards and reporting to the Board.

Integrated Comprehensive Care Strategic Planning

On November 17th, 2016 we will be hosting a daylong collaborative event that will bring together the teams working on integrated care from across SJHS. More information regarding the success of the event will be shared verbally.

United Way Campaign

On November 5th we kicked-off our exciting United Way hockey game fundraiser where the Niagara Health Extraordinaires faced off against Biggs and Barr, an infamous local team. The Biggs and Barr Barians may have had home-ice advantage but the Extraordinaires showed extraordinary teamwork in their first-ever game by keeping the Biggs and Barr Barians on the tips of their skates. Off the ice, Extraordinaires' fans, family, friends and coworkers came together from across all of our sites to cheer on their team with pompoms, clappers and a couple rounds of the wave. The final score may have been 10-7 in favour of the Barr Barians, but the real stars of the game were everyone who supported the event to help us raise nearly \$2700 for United Way.

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Dialogue in Community

In November, I will meet with the Mayors of Fort Erie, St. Catharines, Wainfleet, Port Colborne and Welland as part of my regular meetings to provide them with updates regarding our clinical planning activities.

All for now,
Suzanne

