Leukaemia Research Centre opens

The Paul O’Gorman Leukaemia Research Centre was opened by Dr Richard Rockefeller on Thursday 22 May 2008.

Opening the centre, Dr Rockefeller, a leukaemia survivor himself, paid tribute to the staff and said their work is vital: ‘Leukaemia is a particularly harsh illness and anything that can be done to combat it is incredibly important.

‘The Paul O’Gorman Leukaemia Research Centre will play a huge part in the battle against this condition and I am proud to have been asked to open this world-class facility.

‘The work being carried out here by Professor Tessa Holyoake and her team is staggering in its scope and complexity, but the results will mean we understand more and more about leukaemia.’

The £3 million centre is kitted out with the latest technology and will allow specialists to translate laboratory findings into new treatments for patients.

It was built after a fundraising drive by the University of Glasgow, which saw more than £2.6 million raised in six years, through the commitment and generosity of more than 1,800 donors and supporters.

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Dr McKay’s legacy

The University received one of the largest bequests in its history from Dr James McKay, who left the residue of his estate to promote teaching and research in the traditional academic disciplines. A total of £390,000 was received in 2008.

The sizeable bequest has allowed funds to be directed to a variety of projects, including the Beatson Pebble Appeal, the Small Animal Hospital and an endowed postgraduate scholarship in cardiovascular medicine.

Dr McKay was a 1957 medical graduate who, during his lifetime, supported the fundraising project to build the Wolfson Medical School Building – a world-class teaching and learning facility for students training to work in his chosen field.

Cathy Bell, Director of the Development & Alumni Office, comments: ‘The University has been the recipient of many bequests from alumni and friends over the years, however Dr McKay’s gift numbers amongst the largest. We are extremely grateful to him for his generosity and foresight.

‘This bequest will make a lasting difference to the projects it has supported.’

For more information on leaving a bequest to the University, please contact Sarah Richardson on +44 (0)141 330 4951 or s.richardson@admin.gla.ac.uk.
Message from the Director

Welcome to the latest edition of givingtoglasgow. I would like to pay particular tribute and extend thanks to the Think Pink founders. Readers of givingtoglasgow will have seen many stories of a wide range of activities undertaken by this group. It is incredible to report that £180,000 has now been raised for breast cancer research at the University. The group have raised funds by mobilising friends, family and contacts, particularly in the Drymen area. There has been a variety of events such as race nights, sporting events, bucket collections and sponsored walks and cycles. One of the most successful events was the second Think Pink Ball in May, which alone raised almost £30,000. Planning has already started for next year’s event.

Think Pink are thrilled to now be focusing their fundraising efforts on the new Beatson Pebble Appeal. We would all like to salute their efforts – the support and commitment shown by them is fantastic. I am convinced that they will make an outstanding contribution to the campaign to build the Beatson Translational Research Centre and I want to wish them continued success in all of their fundraising ventures.

If you would like to join Think Pink in their efforts, buy tickets or get more information, contact Lindsey McArthur on +44 (0)141 330 4951 or l.mcarthur@admin.gla.ac.uk.

Cathy Bell
Director, Development & Alumni Office

Medical Fund update ...

Crookston Bowling Club to keep on running

Tom Barrett and seven of his friends from the Crookston Bowling Club ran the Great Scottish Run on 7 September in aid of the British Heart Foundation Cardiovascular Research Centre at the University. They raised £1,350 for the centre and Tom said: ‘It was a great day. Most of the guys didn’t want to do the race as they felt they would let themselves down but ever since we haven’t stopped talking about it and what an achievement it was for us all. It has inspired us to keep running.’

The pedalling professors

Since Dentistry was included in the Medical Fund at the beginning of 2008, the dentists have been busy raising money for their theme. Professors Jeremy Bagg and Richard Welbury from the University’s Dental School completed a Coast to Coast Cycle Challenge in June to raise money for the fund. They cycled a total of 140 miles in three days and raised over £3,000. They enjoyed it so much that they are already planning next year’s route. The Dental School is also planning a year of fundraising events and dinners in 2009. To become involved or for more information, please email Laura Crouchman on l.crouchman@admin.gla.ac.uk.

Healthy working lives appeal

The Healthy Working Lives Research Group (HWLRG) based at the University has grown and successfully contributed to teaching and research on the health of the working-age population for 17 years. The HWLRG’s purpose is to improve the health and workability of the population by undertaking teaching and research in the field of occupational health and safety, sickness absence management, rehabilitation case management, the prevention of work-related ill health, and the improvement of the functional capacity of individuals and fitness for work. In recent years the group has generated over £5 million income in external research grants, leading to many research publications and reports. The group has also been involved in design and delivery of courses to improve the competence of occupational health professionals and developed the healthy working lives concept.

An expansion of the HWLRG is now underway which will see the appointment of a senior clinical academic and in order to fund this post an appeal has been launched. Greater Glasgow & Clyde Health Board and the Scottish Government are both supporting the appeal along with Rolls Royce and a number of individual donors. Dr Ewan Macdonald (Head of HWLRG) said: ‘Scotland has an ageing population with far too many people of working age on long-term incapacity benefit, which is associated with child poverty, early death and great health inequality. It is vital, even in a time of economic challenge, to improve the workability of our population, so that when recovery comes, we have the healthy workforce to further develop the economic success of Scotland. The work of this group has been internationally recognised and needs to be developed further.’ To find out more visit www.glasgow.ac.uk/departments/hwlgroup.
The Beatson Pebble Appeal launch
Old Firm stars kick off appeal
The captains of Celtic and Rangers Football Clubs launched the campaign to build a new cancer research centre for Scotland.

Stephen McManus and Barry Ferguson gave their support to the £10 million Beatson Pebble Appeal and have urged the public to back the campaign and help to beat cancer. Both clubs are supporting the drive to raise funds to build the Beatson Translational Research Centre, the final element in the creation of the Glasgow Centre for Cancer Research. The centre, which will be built at Garscube Estate in Bearsden, will convert basic cancer research into real improvements in treatments for patients. The scientists housed there will focus on all types of cancers that affect all ages. Cancers such as breast, prostate, ovarian, lung, throat, mouth, stomach and intestinal, some of which are the most common in Scotland, will all be studied.

The captains both attended the official launch to show their support and met up with cancer survivor Lynn Murray. Lynn had treatment for both bone cancer and breast cancer and is heavily involved in fundraising for the new centre, as Cathy Bell outlines in the Director’s message on page 2.

Rangers and Scotland captain Barry Ferguson said: ‘This is an important campaign for Glasgow and for Scotland. Cancer affects so many people from all walks of life that anything we can do to tackle it is vitally important. Rangers are right behind this campaign and the fight to treat cancer.’

Celtic captain Stephen McManus said: ‘We all know someone who has been diagnosed with cancer and we have all seen the pain it causes. This new centre will play an important part in helping those who are battling the disease and everyone at Celtic is supporting the Beatson Pebble Appeal. If we work together, we can all help in the fight against cancer.’

£1,000 challenge
Following the launch of the Beatson Pebble Appeal in September, we are now recruiting volunteers to take up the £1,000 challenge.

As the name suggests, we hope that people will get together with family, friends, colleagues or even within schools to raise £1,000 for the appeal. You can choose what to do to raise funds. Why not organise a sponsored walk, cycle, race night, car boot sale or coffee morning? Alternatively you could attend one of our organised events. We already have a number of committed £1,000 challengers such as Jim Nisbet (pictured below) who raised money for the appeal by flying around the world in a light aircraft, starting and finishing at Prestwick Airport.

This was the first time such a journey has been made from Scotland in a single-engine aircraft of this class (FAI weight class 1000-1750 kg). While Jim did not attempt to beat any records he had a great time on the way and raised funds by setting up an online fundraising page at www.justgiving.com/ugt for the Beatson Pebble Appeal.

 Charity abseil
This year’s charity abseil from the University bell tower was an outstanding success with a total of £26,000 raised for the Beatson Pebble Appeal.

More than 100 brave students, University staff and members of the general public took part, including graduate Alan Kerr (pictured left), who managed to raise a superb total of £8,800 for the appeal. Alan flew up from London to do his abseil and had a large party of supporters to cheer him on – he said the whole experience was well worth it.

There will be another opportunity to abseil from this famous Glasgow landmark and raise funds for the Beatson Pebble Appeal as the University is holding an abseil weekend on 21 and 22 March 2009. For an entry pack or for further information please contact Susanne Hill on +44 (0)141 330 2132 or s.hill@admin.gla.ac.uk.

For further information about the Beatson Pebble Appeal please visit www.beatsonpebbleappeal.org or call +44 (0)141 330 3000.
Investing in excellence
University of Glasgow scholarships

Scholarships help to ease the increasing financial burden on students and enable the University to continue to attract the brightest and best students from all over the world. Thanks to the generosity of our alumni, their families and their friends, as well as charitable trusts and foundations and others with an interest in the research and teaching carried out here in Glasgow, we already have funds available to provide a number of scholarships. Your support helps to attract the most capable students from all over the world, regardless of their ability to fund their studies.

Attracting and supporting talented students

Margaret L Ritchie sadly passed away in May 2007 leaving the Department of Chemistry a share of the residue of her estate which totalled £36,000. The department has directed funds to endow a Talent Scholarship, to attract and support bright undergraduate students who might not otherwise have the means to attend university.

Pauline Perkins, Mrs Ritchie’s next of kin and long-standing friend, commented: ‘I was so thrilled that the money will be put to such good use, as I know Margaret herself would not have been able to go to university if it hadn’t been for a bursary gifted to her. I know she would have been pleased that the funds will help others in a similar situation.’

Mrs Ritchie graduated with a BSc in Chemistry in 1949. She went on to work as a chemist with Glaxo Pharmaceutical Company before returning to Scotland in 1989 where she settled. Throughout her lifetime she maintained a connection with the University.

Professor David Jackson, Head of the Department of Chemistry, said: ‘We are tremendously grateful to Mrs Ritchie for this gift to the department. The endowment of her bequest will ensure ongoing financial support for talented students choosing to study here. It is extremely encouraging to us all that Mrs Ritchie thought so highly of her time at Glasgow that she decided to give something back in this way.’

The first Margaret L Ritchie Talent Scholarship will be awarded in the academic year 2009-10.

Vet graduate helping students of today

A 1943 graduate of the old Glasgow Veterinary College returned to Glasgow recently to visit the Faculty of Veterinary Medicine and to offer his support to the current generations of students.

Dr Lewis Forbes, who now lives in California, has generously offered major support to veterinary students, by setting up a scholarship to help those who are suffering financial hardship during their studies. ‘I was astounded to hear how much it costs students to complete their degree and the levels of debt they can leave with these days. I put myself in their shoes and realised how much harder it is for students today. I was lucky in that I received a Carnegie Award when I was a student. As I came from a poor family, I would not have been able to attend the Vet College without this support.’

A native of Kirkintilloch, Dr Forbes joined the Army Veterinary Corps on graduation and served for four years, seeing service in Burma, Vietnam, Cambodia and India. At the end of the war, he volunteered for the Colonial Service and was posted to Uganda. He returned to Scotland to study for his Diploma of Tropical Veterinary Medicine at the Royal (Dick) Veterinary College in Edinburgh, which he was awarded in 1956, and in 1959 he received a Fellowship in Animal Industry from the Food and Agricultural Organization of the United Nations.

He joined the US Department of Agriculture in 1962, serving as a Foreign Animal Diseases Diagnostician and Field Veterinarian until he retired in 1984.

Recent graduate establishes geography bursary

A bursary is a welcome gift to receive as it allows students to concentrate on their studies without the need for part-time employment. This allows them to fully embrace student life by joining different clubs and societies, developing important life skills as well as making new lifelong friends.

Recent BSc graduate Ross Fleming realises the impact a bursary can have on a student’s education: ‘Financially, university is a challenge for everyone. I have been fortunate to work at the University during my undergraduate and postgraduate studies. Without this, I would have struggled with living costs on loans and may have been unable to continue with my studies. Coming to the end of my undergraduate degree, I decided it was the right time to give something back by establishing a bursary. It will help a new student coming to the University each year from my former high school, Doon Academy in Ayrshire, to study geography for the first year of their studies. I feel it is my way of saying thanks to the University of Glasgow for giving me such an amazing start in life and I hope the bursary helps students for many years to come.’

We are thrilled to welcome Ross as one of our youngest regular donors and would like to wish him every success in his postgraduate studies.

For further information on our Scholarships Fund, please contact David Miller on +44 (0)141 330 1867 or d.miller@admin.gla.ac.uk.
One of the best ways to find out about SCENE (the Scottish Centre for Ecology & the Natural Environment) is to make a visit. With an exceptional location on Loch Lomond, the centre is a base for environmental researchers from across the globe and a unique site for teaching students.

Civil engineering graduate, Morris Murray visited SCENE as the guest of campaign chairman, Professor David Green. ‘Having worked for 40 years in construction, I understand the importance of advancing knowledge of the natural environment. The new field station at Loch Lomond is a spectacularly and sensitively designed facility in a wonderful setting and I was very pleased to become a donor to support further development.’

Look out for a new video allowing you to make a ‘virtual visit’ to SCENE. With film taken of the new research facilities and stunning landscapes around SCENE you can find out about recent research, student training and our plans for development. It is available at www.glasgow.ac.uk/givingtoglasgow/scene or if you would like a copy on DVD, please contact Barrie Bryson on: +44 (0)141 330 4951 or B.Bryson@admin.gla.ac.uk.

The University is pleased to announce the launch of its online giving website. The new online forms offer our donors a quick and secure method of supporting any of our fundraising projects. You can indicate the giving level you wish to support from our Gifted Scheme, before completing a short form with name, address and payment information. You will receive an instant email confirming your donation and the project officer for that campaign will also send you an acknowledgment letter with details of your gift and any naming opportunity you have indicated.

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A charitable trust, which was formed following the death of Jim Moffat, co-founder of the popular Scottish travel agency AT Mays, has made a major gift to the Small Animal Hospital Campaign.

The Moffat Charitable Trust has pledged £60,000, which will go to support the chemotherapy and isolation unit in the new building.

‘In the past, we had a long and happy association with AT Mays, when the Faculty of Veterinary Medicine booked all travel through the company,’ said the Dean, Professor Stuart Reid. ‘I am delighted that this link will be celebrated in perpetuity by naming this important function within the hospital.’

At its peak, AT Mays, which was based in Saltcoats in Ayrshire, was one of the four largest travel agents in the UK, employing 2,500 staff in 272 branches. In 1988, the firm was sold to the Royal Bank of Scotland and 11 years later, the Moffat Charitable Trust was established, predominantly to support medical and educational establishments and places where the company had prospered.

“When we are making donations, we tend to start in Saltcoats and radiate out,’ explains chairman of the Trust, Jamie Moffat. ‘Before we make a decision, we ask whether there was a local connection or whether there was an AT Mays in the area, because we feel that some of the money was generated in that local community and we are giving it back to them.

“We are very aware that the Small Animal Hospital provides a valuable service to communities throughout Scotland and we are delighted to be able to support it in this way.”
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Over the years the Board has remained committed to preserving the heritage of the University and enhancing the student experience. 2009 will mark the tenth anniversary of the Chancellor’s Fund.

One of the first projects to receive a grant was the Student Information Desk in the McMillan Reading Room (formerly the Round Reading Room). This facility is still used today, providing students with information covering a range of topics from local bus times to registering with a local doctor. The service has been used by thousands of students in the ten years it has been open. It has been especially helpful to new students, making the transition from school to university easier.

The number of applications to the fund has increased steadily over the years. Grants have been made to a variety of projects including a social programme for international students, equipment to enhance music teaching and research, chemistry vacation studentships, the University of Glasgow Story website and lighting in the University Chapel.

Andrew Primrose, who has acted as the Chairman of the Chancellor’s Fund Advisory Board for the past three years, comments on recent highlights: ‘I feel that the fund has made a significant targeted contribution to the success of the University since it was first established. I am delighted that we have been able to support some recent projects which aim to improve the employability of our students and prepare them for a career after they graduate.

‘This year we provided a grant to allow a team to enter an international engineering competition to design and build a single-seat high-performance race car. Another award has funded summer studentships allowing Physiology & Sports Science students to work with elite athletes.

‘I am also pleased by our recent commitment to help deliver the highly acclaimed Hunterian Museum & Art Gallery’s ambitious exhibition programme for the next three years. Helping to add something extra to the University is our priority.’

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