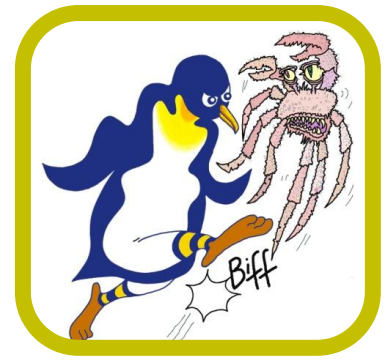


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Kickin' Cancer Into Touch!

4th October 2026

Dear Natasha,

We are electronically transferring a Grant of £5,000 from Penguins Against Cancer (PAC) to Weldmar Hospicecare, to be used to provide palliative care in your excellent institution, specifically for the purchase of bespoke suction machines to prevent bedsores as you discussed with Dave Evans. This Grant has been proposed by Dave Evans and Charlie Beardmore, and is in memory of Jen Clay and Annette Hart, who we would like you to acknowledge as the inspirations behind this Grant.

Bill Monahan writes "My lifelong partner of some fifty and a half years, Jen Clay, was admitted to the Weldmar Hospice in February 2024. The level of care, professionalism and devotion given by every single member of staff was extraordinary. Not only were they looking after Jen, they also took care of me, allowing me to stay with Jen 24/7 until she peacefully passed away. Those precious days mean so much to me, words can't describe how grateful I am to everyone at Weldmar."

Annette Hart's family writes "Towards the end of her life, while living with cancer, Annette spent a period of respite care at Weldmar Hospice. She received the highest level of palliative care, with her medical and personal needs looked after with compassion and dignity, as well as the emotional and spiritual support she and our family needed. It is a truly special place that meant a great deal to Annette long before she became ill. She spent much of her life fundraising for the hospice, and she would be very happy that this grant has been given in her memory."

PAC exists to raise cancer awareness, and to provide support to cancer research and treatment, as well as to hospices. It has no running or administrative expenses (all costs being met by individual PAC Members) and has many students studying at Guy's Hospital as active supporters. Please feel free to visit our website www.penguinsagainstcancer.org.uk and let us know what you think.

This Grant has been made possible following the fundraising efforts of the Jackass and Chinstraps PAC rowing crews who completed the Monster the Loch challenge at Loch Ness on Saturday 19th September rowing nearly 11 miles in very inclement conditions. They came 65th and 102nd out of 122 entries. This was remarkable considering the Jackass crew (which included Dave and Charlie) contained 3 retired rugby players averaging 60 years of age, and the Chinstraps contained a Father, Mother, Uncle, Son, Son combination 3 of whom were novice rowers.

We would be most grateful if you would write back to us confirming receipt of the Grant and how it will be spent. Please feel free to send as an attachment, via email to penguinsagainstcancer@outlook.com, as we need to publish the response on our website.

We wish you continuing success in the outstanding work you are doing.

Yours sincerely

Charlie Beardmore
President

Patrick Gush
Vice President

On behalf of the Trustees, Officers and Members of Penguins Against Cancer.