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## Dear Mr Beardmore and Mr Gush

Thank you so much for the donation of £3,000 from Penguins Against Cancer. What a generous donation and a lovely surprise - thank you so much. We remember Phil and Marie well, and I've asked for this donation to be noted against Phil's tribute fund at the hospice.

If you are happy, we will allocate the donation directly to nursing care, so it will support our nurse salary costs. These are the main costs associated with running a hospice, as our care is very person centred and intensive. I hope this is okay for you, but please do contact me if you would like to talk about other options for your donation. People do often ask if they can fund equipment but because our care is palliative and we do not really 'treat' people, we actually have limited need for equipment in the hospice.

Penguins Against Cancer have raised a lot of money in the last seven years and that is a big target you've set yourself. I'm really impressed that you have no running costs but all the money is distributed to charities. That is fantastic. Looking at your website it also looks like you have a lot of fun raising money (and the big photo at the bottom makes me nostalgic for pre-social distancing days). I confess, I was initially a little disappointed the donation wasn't from actual, real penguins but what a lovely story behind Penguins Against Cancer, and it is a great name.

Once again, thank you so much for this generous donation, we're really touched that Charlotte nominated us - please thank her too. Do contact me if you would like to talk more about your donation and how we spend it.

With best wishes,

Yours sincerely

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