

Press Release

King's Lynn, 19th January 2010

Paper boys and girls deliver more than News!

The paper boys and girls of Meadow Stores, North Wootton along with the support of their friends and fellow staff members joined together to brave the wet and windy December weather to go carol singing door to door in North Wootton to raise funds for The Norfolk Hospice, Tapping House.

The brave and harmonious teenagers raised over £172.00. Zena Penty, Hospice Fundraising Co-ordinator said, "We are sincerely grateful to all involved for supporting the Hospice and hope they enjoyed entertaining local residents with their carol singing" Special thanks also to Mrs Veal and Mrs Stewart-Hughes the owner of Meadow Stores for keeping the collecting tins on display in the shop over the Christmas period.

Contact The Norfolk Hospice on 01485 542891 or visit www.norfolkhospice.org.uk

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Notes to editors:

Since 1984, The Norfolk Hospice, Tapping House, has been providing palliative care to people with cancer, neurological and other life-limiting conditions, to enable them to live life to the full for whatever time is left.

Our services include: holistic day care, home hospice support, bereavement support for families, regular carer support groups, transport, equipment loan and an information service.

The area we serve is large and covers West and North Norfolk, neighbouring parts of the Fens in North East Cambridgeshire and the borders of South Lincolnshire.

We care for over 200 people a month at the hospice and at home. Our care is provided without charge, and it costs £1 million a year to run our Hospice. We depend on the generosity of the community to survive: 85% our costs are paid for by the individuals, organisations and groups who give generously to support our vital care. We are a Registered Charity, with reg. no. 1062800.

In life nothing is certain but, with your help, we can ensure that we continue to provide the finest hospice care possible, now and in the future.

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