

Our Hospital

The St. Arnaud Hospital is part of the East Wimmera Health Service and has been actively supporting the health needs in our community since 1873.

Today, the Hospital provides a broad range of integrated services, including casualty, acute, aged care, primary care, community health, on-site x-ray/ultrasound, pathology and visiting medical support services; all aimed at supporting our communities well being. Emergency services are available 24/7, 52 weeks of the year.

Modern medicine and support technology is costly. Government funding is limited and does not cover all costs, so community support of our Hospital is an ongoing need and more important than ever.

In response, the St. Arnaud District Hospital Foundation was established in 1994 to create and maintain a permanent funding source.

The Foundation is independent from East Wimmera Health Service and is administered by Trustees - local people, volunteering their time and efforts to the Foundation.



"The Gift that keeps on giving"

By giving to the St. Arnaud District Hospital Foundation, you are helping to build a fund that will grow each year and support the health needs of current and future generations of the St. Arnaud community.

All gifts are fully tax deductible and are invested by the Foundation into government guaranteed institutions. The interest from these investments is donated back to the St. Arnaud Hospital. Each year your invested gift will continue to contribute to the equipment and services provided by the St. Arnaud Hospital.

The unique nature of a Foundation

A Foundation is a proven fund-raising method, where gifts are invested and the capital is maintained in perpetuity. The interest from these investments is allocated by the Foundation Trustees to support our health service needs.

"The health of our future generations is dependent on the thoughtfulness of today."



The Trustees of the St. Arnaud District Hospital Foundation are all local people, dedicated to working for our community and supporting our local Health Service.

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Yes... I wish to give to the Foundation

Name

Address

Phone **Private:**

Business:

If you agree to have your name recorded publicly, please indicate approval by printing below, the name to be inscribed as you wish it to appear.

I wish to make a donation of \$

I wish to make an annual gift of \$

I wish to leave a bequest in my Will.
Please send me further information.

I would like to compile a Memoriam or Tribute, for a loved one with this gift of \$250.00 or more. \$
Please contact me to discuss details.

Remember

Donations over \$2.00 are tax deductible.
Please make cheques payable to:

ST. ARNAUD DISTRICT HOSPITAL FOUNDATION

Enquiries

For enquiries or further information contact the St. Arnaud Hospital on 5477 2100.

Please address your donation or enquiry to:

The Chairperson,
THE ST. ARNAUD DISTRICT
HOSPITAL FOUNDATION,
P.O. BOX 31, ST. ARNAUD, Vic 3478

How Can You Help?

1. Donations and Annual Gifts

You can demonstrate your caring through a donation or annual gift.

2. Bequest

A monetary Bequest to The Foundation is a "Living Gift". It is your legacy towards the future health and well-being of generations to come. Your bequeathed money is held in Trust by the Foundation and each year the interest paid on that money is used to purchase items needed to benefit our quality Health Service in St. Arnaud. *A Bequest is a form of donation, made upon your death from your Estate and needs to be discussed with your Solicitor when making your will.*

3. Memoriams and Tributes

These are a written profile of a loved one's life or history of a local family's connection to our community. It may include a photograph. This written testament will be stored in a bound leather Journal on display at the Library.

In recognition, all gifts will be recorded in perpetuity. Bequests, Memoriam and Tribute gifts will be recognised with an inscribed Tribute in a specially bound Journal housed and on view at the Library.

The Foundation's Symbol

The magnificent "Lemon Scented Gum", growing in the front of the St. Arnaud Hospital has been chosen for the symbol of the Foundation. It represents the growing nature and longevity of the Foundation funds.



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"Invest in the future Health of our Community"

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