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Please support St Elizabeth Hospice this Christmas

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Dear Ringshall Parish Council

Christmas is a time for togetherness, a chance to share the magic of the festivities and make memories with friends and family. For many of our patients, wanting to be at home surrounded by the love of their family will be a priority, but for some this will be their last Christmas together.

Jess, who was sadly diagnosed with secondary cancer in November 2021, experienced first-hand just how reassuring and supportive the specialists at the hospice are when it comes to respecting someone's wishes.

"The biggest difference the hospice made to me was helping me get home to spend Christmas with my little boy and my family, when at times I just didn't think that it would be possible. At points I really didn't think I would be able to come home, as I was very poorly, but on 22nd December I was told I could return home. I was so excited, as well as being a little nervous, but knowing I had the support of the hospice team, through their OneCall 24/7 telephone service if needed, gave both my husband and I reassurance."

We would like to call upon your generosity to ask if you are able to support us this Christmas, or include us in your plans for 2023, to help the continuation of our services to local people in your parish and local community, living with progressive and life-limiting illness in East Suffolk, Great Yarmouth and Waveney, free of charge. Care and support is provided either at our in-patient unit in Ipswich, via services at Beccles Hospital, at patients homes and through OneCall - our 24/7 telephone helpline service.

Please follow this link to our latest Together newsletter which provides information and updates from around St Elizabeth Hospice. This newsletter will tell you all you need to know about our services, how you can get involved, plus what's coming up. Or click [Be a Star](#) to find out more about our Christmas Campaign.

Our patients and their communities are very much at the heart of all that we do and we like to stay in touch with community groups as much as possible. If you would like to find out more about the work of St Elizabeth Hospice, or would like us to present an informative talk at one of your meetings, please get in touch.

Sending our very best wishes,

Lesley

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Please note usual working days Tuesday to Friday 8am to 5pm

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