Three cheers for our Hospital Volunteers

At their Annual General Meeting, Crosshouse Hospital Volunteers presented NHS Ayrshire & Arran with a cheque for an impressive £300,000.

The superb donation has helped to buy various equipment including:

- Hospital scanners
- A Sonosite ultrasound machine for people with respiratory problems
- Hoovermat air transfer mattress

The Volunteers raised this amazing sum by running Crosshouse Hospital's shop, café and ward trolley service along with a small café/shop in the Ayrshire Maternity Unit.

Professor Bill Stevely CBE, Chair of Ayrshire and Arran NHS Board, attended the AGM and thanked the Volunteers for their commitment and hard work in raising such a large sum of money.

Professor Stevely said: “Our Volunteers make a huge impact on the day-to-day lives of all our patients, staff and visitors. They provide an invaluable service and their dedication and commitment to Crosshouse Hospital is inspiring.

“The Hospital Volunteers have always been very supportive of the various departments in Crosshouse Hospital, and we are extremely grateful to them for their efforts and continued generosity. I would personally like to thank each and every Volunteer for their contribution to the hospital - it is a pleasure and a privilege to work with them.

For more information on how to become a Volunteer, call Kathleen Blair, Project Manager, for a friendly chat on 01563 577311.

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Photographs

Crosshouse Hospital Volunteers attend their AGM
Professor Bill Stevely gives thanks to the Volunteers

The Volunteers present their cheque for £300,000
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