



# Northern Newsflash

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## Westfield Shore City supports the Special Care Baby Unit.

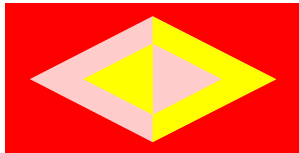
A fabulous VIP late night will be held by **Westfield Shore City** on **October 7 from 6-9pm** with entertainment by world acclaimed **"Trinny & Susannah."**

Westfield Shore City Management has planned to use this event to provide support for the **Special Care Baby Unit** at North Shore Hospital. The North Shore Hospital Foundation is fundraising for an incubator complete with advanced specifications for care of the community's smallest members.

Westfield Shore City with the support of their retailers is providing two monster pamper raffles with exciting and glamorous prizes. The funds raised from these raffles will be presented to the Special Care Baby Unit Incubator project.

The Trinny & Susannah event will be MC'ed by the fantastically talented Jackie Clark and all guests will be treated to complimentary refreshments, entertainment and a fashion show.

Westfield Shore City Centre is joining with their local Centres of Albany and Glenfield to make an effective corporate responsibility programme caring for their community by assisting in health projects. The health of the community is by far the most important factor for us all.



**The North Shore Hospital Foundation presents a news column**

**THE FOUNDATION FOCUS**

**in the North Shore Times every second Friday of the month.**

**Each quarter the**

**HEALTH REPORT**

**is published , a health themed insert carrying news from Health Foundations in the North ,South and West**

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Trinny & Susannah at Shore City October 7

## Another Impact Day

Volunteers from the community impact programme of the City Impact Church have again completed some exciting projects to benefit, patients, staff and the public at the hospital

The weekend saw these highly organised and motivated people, laughing and smiling their way through different tasks.

### The benefits:

- Ward 9 Orthopaedics received the final artworks to complete their ward refurbishment. Beautifully mounted images of nature make a very positive improvement to the overall décor.
- Main Entrance art display case area saw the commencement of installing a second art exhibition case to be available to local artists and art groups to display their art free of charge and opportunity to exhibit and sell this to large volumes of the public & staff. This project is part of the overall healing Arts programme @ North Shore Hospital.
- A portable greenhouse erected on site to allow the Occupational Therapists in the long term secure unit to provide a gardening and plant propagation project for the residents of the unit.
- Preparation of standardised decorated Xmas Trees and decorations to enable each clinical floor in the hospital to have coordinated Xmas decoration for the day-room facility. These trees will be installed by the same volunteers at the beginning of December.
- Installation of artwork in Orthopaedics Outpatients.



## HECTOR Hospital Trust keeps up long term benefits

The HECTOR Hospital Trust have been operating weekly market stalls in the hospitals in the region for 21 years and present very inviting market stalls at North Shore Hospital every Thursday.

Over the years the Trust has provided well over 2 million dollars worth of equipment and patient comforts for North Shore, Greenlane & Middlemore Hospitals.

The stalls, adored and extremely well patronised by staff and visitors alike carry a range of goods, from boutique garden plants, jewellery, knitted items, fashion, jams & preserves, art, toys to fresh produce & smoked fish & cheeses.

This year already the HECTOR Trust has provided through their grant application process, lounge suites, recliner chairs, Resuscitation equipment, TVs & DVD players, Café bars, Medical equipment, Dental equipment, pain pumps and breastfeeding chairs. This is by no means an exhaustive list.

The bands of happy stall holders really make a difference to the level of comfort and care patients receive when attending North Shore Hospital.

# NORTH SHORE TAXI™ "Drive 4 Life"

## CHARITY GOLF TOURNAMENT

*Supporting North Shore Hospital Foundation  
Home Care 4 Kids Project*

*Win a Toyota Prius for a Hole in one*

**THURSDAY 12th NOVEMBER 09**

**TEE OFF 1pm**

**WAITEMATA GOLF CLUB**



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*Organisers: The Rotary Club of East Coast Bays*

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## Life membership awarded by North Shore Hospital Auxiliary



North Shore Hospital Auxiliary president Margaret King with lifetime membership recipient Gladys (Tim) Garner-Smith

The North Shore Hospital Auxiliary – a group of volunteers who spend vast amounts of their time collecting, fundraising for and creating a range of goods that are then donated to the hospital's staff and patients, held their 37<sup>th</sup> annual general meeting in August.

There was an especially poignant air; for the first time in the group's history a life membership was awarded, to 85-year-old founding member Gladys (Tim) Garner-Smith.

Gladys says her motivation to give her time freely came from a long-ago experience with the public health system.

"It's just so lovely, I'm overwhelmed really. I was actually too emotional to say anything."

"I do it because I like helping other people. When you give something, it just feels so good inside."

Thanks Gladys for all your years of support for the Auxiliary.

### DRIVE 4 LIFE CHARITY GOLF TOURNAMENT 2009

On Thursday 12th November 2009, the Rotary Club of East Coast Bays will be organising the **DRIVE 4 LIFE charity golf tournament** in association with the principal sponsor, North Shore Taxis to raise funds for the North Shore Hospital Foundation, Home Care 4 Kids project and other charitable projects to assist the local & wider community.

**ENTRIES: Individual players: \$ 75.00.  
GST/Inc**

**Foursome: \$ 300.00. GST/Inc**

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