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# media release

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## **Carols benefit Braeside Hospital**

### **Rotary Club donation helps people needing rehabilitation in south west**

The Rotary Club of Wetherill Park's recent donation of \$4,000 to Braeside Hospital will assist people in the Fairfield and Liverpool areas who require our rehabilitation services, especially those who have suffered a stroke or had an amputation following an accident or illness.

The donation, made at their dinner to celebrate 14 years of service, held at the Marconi Club on 19 February, will go towards a one-arm-drive wheelchair for people who have mobility restrictions due to stroke, and another special wheelchair for amputees, as well as urine analysis test equipment.

The Rotary Club of Wetherill Park raised the funds given on the night through their annual Carols In The Park.

In acknowledging receipt of the donation from the Club, Hope Healthcare's Director of Medical & Allied Health Services and Deputy Chief Executive Officer Associate Professor Andrew Cole said that the Rotary Club of Wetherill Park's ongoing support for health care initiatives at Braeside Hospital demonstrated their concern to improve the wellbeing of the local community. "This donation will directly benefit people from the local area who need our specialised rehabilitation services."

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