

Pythians Support Calvary Hospital

November 22, 2022

On November 22, 2022, Pythians visited Calvary Hospital to present a donation from the Dr. Morris Smoller Social Services Fund. DSC Harvey Rosenshein, PDSC Sir Roger Siegel, PDSC/GTrib Sir Michael Sukenick GS Steve Gold, PGC Randy Silverman, and PCDGC Sir Ron Klare made the presentation to Timothy Barr, Executive Vice President of the Calvary Fund, Inc., and Amy Cassidy, Cavalry Hospital's Director of Development.



[(Pictured l to r): Cavalry Hospital Development Director Amy Cassidy, PCDGC Sir Ron Klare, GS Steve Gold, DSC Harvey Rosenshein, Calvary Fund Executive Vice President Timothy Barr, PGC Randy Silverman, PDSC Sir Roger Siegel and PDSC/GTrib Sir Michael Sukenick.]

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