

## Springhill Hospice, Rochdale – the inspiring story of the People’s Hospice 1983-1989, 1989-2009



A special commemorative book is now available to celebrate the 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Springhill Hospice.

The book sets out to:

- Capture the history of the launch appeal and the building of the Hospice
- Record the developments of patient care, family support and the Hospice building
- Tell the story of the Hospice’s work and how it is carried out
- Explain how the business of the Hospice is managed and run
- Ensure that the people of Rochdale have a record of this important aspect of their heritage
- Celebrate and acknowledge the astounding generosity of the people, organisations and businesses of Rochdale in establishing and continuing to fund its People’s Hospice.

The Hospice for Rochdale Appeal was launched in 1983. In total it raised £900,000 without help from ‘big business’. In 1989 Springhill Hospice opened to patients and since then over 6,000 patients and their families have benefitted from the care offered by Springhill.

The Hospice is a vital lively place which operates at the cutting edge of palliative care.

This book, written by Springhill Hospice Trustee, Diane Bailey-Ginever, is priced at £5.99 and is available from Springhill Hospice Reception, all Hospice shops and various other outlets across the Rochdale Borough.

For further details please call Springhill Hospice Fundraising Office on 01706 649920

