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12 February 2015

Dear Frances,

Happily, it falls to me to write and thank you for the extremely generous £1,200 annual company donation from the John Monaghan Group. I understand that my colleague, Sam Wood, has written separately to thank you for the £200 which relates to the Ossett Christmas Tombola/Christmas Jumper Day. Our finance department has now forwarded a receipt for the total donation of £1400, which is enclosed for your records.

To have the support of your company is something we truly appreciate, and over the years the relationship between Wakefield Hospice and the John Monaghan Group has gone from strength to strength. Every time we ask for help, you are there to give it, and in addition we see your staff members becoming more involved in fundraising activities to further support our work. I understand that we now have a Monaghan's team entering our 10K event this year – a big 'thankyou' to them and I hope the training is going well.

I know you are aware that all the care we provide is completely free of charge to our patients and their families, yet we receive less than 30% central funding. We rely very much on donations from the local community and business community to help us raise the £3.4 million that we need to cover our annual running costs and the loyal and ongoing help that we receive from you makes a significant difference. Every pound is spent wisely and directly benefits our patients – thankyou on their behalf.

Please do let your staff know how much we value their contributions, whether it's buying tombola tickets or getting on their running gear for our 10K event. Perhaps you could see to it that everyone sees a copy of this letter, so they know we are sending a personal message of thanks to each and every one of you.

Frances, I look forward to seeing you again soon and will be in touch.

In the meantime, warmest regards, as always,

**Daphne Leach**  
Business Development Officer

