

# NOVEMBER 2021 NEWSLETTER



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Dear GP

## **LITFIELD HOUSE 2021 CHRISTMAS CHARITY DONATION**

Every Christmas Litfield House donates to a local charity. This year, our charity is St Peter's Hospice.

## **St Peter's Hospice**

St Peter's Hospice is Bristol's ONLY adult hospice caring for local people with life-limiting illnesses. Their commitment is to improve the quality of life of patients whilst extending care and support to their families and loved ones. All the care is provided free of charge, but it costs us around £20,000 a day to provide that care. For most of this money they rely on Gifts in Wills, donations fundraising and their shops. Their latest newsletter is on the following link <https://www.stpetershospice.org/about-us/newsletter/>

If you would like to donate with us to this registered charity (Registered charity no. 269177) please visit our fundraising page: <https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/victoria-gee10> or to find out more, please visit: <https://www.stpetershospice.org/>.

Many thanks

*Trisha Tanner*

**Practice Manager**

## **Consultant of the Month - Mr Greg Fellows MD FRCS (Neuro. Surg.)**

Mr Greg A Fellows is a Consultant Paediatric Neurosurgeon practicing at The Bristol Royal Hospital for Children and Bristol Haematology & Oncology Centre (Gamma Knife stereotactic radiosurgery). Mr Fellows took up his consultants' post in Bristol in 2013, having previously been a Consultant at Great Ormond Street Hospital, London.



a Research Doctorate (MD).

Mr Fellows graduated from King's College London in 1999 with Honours in Medicine and a 1st Class, Medical Research Council (MRC) supported, physiology degree. His neurosurgical training was based at King's College Hospital and the Atkinson Morley Hospital, London. Here his research into the molecular biology of brain tumours was funded by the European Union, and he was awarded

Following his Neurosurgical training Mr Fellows undertook specialist fellowships in Paediatric Neurosurgery at Alder Hey Children's Hospital, Liverpool, and Gamma Knife Radiosurgery at University of Pittsburgh Medical Centre (UPMC), under Professor Lundsford, after being awarded the prestigious Ladislau and Melita Steiner Radiosurgery Fellowship.

The Neurosurgical Department at Bristol Royal Hospital for Children is one of the busiest in the country and provides a full range of paediatric neurosurgical services. As well as providing general neurosurgical services Mr Fellows has subspecialist interests in Paediatric Neuro-Oncology, where he is the lead for Paediatric Neuro-Oncology, Craniofacial conditions including Plagiocephaly and Gamma Knife Radiosurgery. Mr Fellows remains research active and has recently led the Bristol arm in an International Trial into post-operative cerebellar mutism in children undergoing brain tumour surgery which just been published in the Lancet. Mr Fellows provides Medico-legal services for all aspects of Paediatric Neurosurgery as well as adult head injuries and hydrocephalus.

## Upcoming Events

**Unfortunately, the lecture scheduled for the 11<sup>th</sup> November has been cancelled due to unforeseen circumstances.**

We have a fantastic and varied list of speakers scheduled for our next series of lectures, which will start on Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> January 2022.

Please do keep an eye out for the new programme of lectures in your mailbox, which will be sent out at the end of December.

If you know of any colleagues that would be interested in signing up to our mailing list to receive news of our lectures, please forward the following link:

<https://mailchi.mp/bf6018c44f61/gp-lecture-signup>

Many thanks

*Victoria Gee*

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