

## Bayshore Hike for Hospice a Success!

**May 2008** - Despite the cold and windy weather, over 100 people attended the Bayshore Hike for Hospice on Saturday, May 10, 2008 and raised over \$13,000 for Hospice. MLA Abel Leblanc, Mayor Norm McFarlane and Pat Thompson whose brother died at Carpenter Hospice in Burlington, Ontario cut the ribbon to start the event.

The top three fundraisers were Brian Kierstead - \$800; John Sheehan - \$775; and Roseta Harris - \$560. The Bayshore Cup was presented to The Hopefuls Team who brought in \$2,845, edging out the Bayshore Believers and the Friends of Hospice Dream Team. Roseta Harris, a local student attending university in PEI raised \$560 and won the \$500 Student Bursary funded by Saint John Energy and the \$100 cash prize.

*"It was a great day with tremendous support from the community," says Sandy Johnson, Executive Director. "Our thanks to Bayshore for sponsoring this event and to everyone who participated and raised money for Hospice."*

**Next year's event is planned for Saturday, May 9, 2009 at Rockwood Park.**

