

## PRESS RELEASE

### HOSPICE LOTTERY ROLL-OVER REACHES £3000

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Cornwall Hospice Care's lottery roll-over prize has this week reached £3000 – offering a chance for one lucky winner to jet off on a luxury holiday; indulge in some sumptuous new sofas; or give a kick-start to the kids' University fund.

Sarah Vincent, Lottery Manager, said: "Our roll-over is really exciting now – we know the prize won't be life-changing, but it is a significant amount to win. More importantly profits from the lottery can make a real difference to the lives of our patients and their families who are given specialist care and support at our two adult hospices and in the community."

"Our lottery has fifty two guaranteed weekly cash prizes, including a top prize of £1000, that will be won every week, but our second prize of £200 is a roll-over which means that if it is not won, the amount will accumulate each week up to a maximum of £10,000. Anyone buying tickets for this week's draw on Friday (July 8) or who is a lottery member will get the chance of winning the roll-over of £3000", she added.

The Lottery has also launched its bumper summer draw – the top prize is a Turkish holiday for two, courtesy of Turkish holiday specialists Right Holidays, plus £500 spending money. Tickets are just £1 each and can be purchased at the charity's 27 retail outlets, at its two hospices and at various events.

The winning tickets will be drawn at the charity's Grand Day Out event at the Royal Cornwall Showground in Wadebridge on Sunday July 24, 2011. Packed with fun for all the family, an It's a Knockout team challenge, car and dog show, games, stalls, live music and events, it is expected to attract thousands of locals and visitors.

For more information about the Lottery or the Grand Day Out event, please call 01726 66868.

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#### **BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

Cornwall Hospice Care provides specialist clinical care and support to adults living with a life-limiting illness in Cornwall. Every year thousands of people are touched by the work of the charity as their loved ones are given specialist palliative care to help them cope with their illness.

The services are provided free of charge, but cost nearly £6 million a year – equivalent to £11.40 a minute. With limited funding from the government the organisation relies on the generosity of the general public for more than 80% of its running costs.