

**Date: 11<sup>th</sup> December 2025**

**In memory of June Richards**

*Please see the below message on behalf of June's family:*

June Richards (née Boyle) sadly passed away after a long and courageous struggle against breast cancer. She will be hugely missed, not just by Ian, Megan and Ellie, but also by all the family, her many friends and her work colleagues. Not to forget Barney, our six-year-old Labrador, although he seems comforted in knowing he now has the settee to himself in the evening.

June was the most caring person, working as a nurse in the NHS for over 42 years. She volunteered to be one of the first in the country to test the COVID vaccine and bravely donned PPE to test for COVID infection. She had a wicked sense of humour (she blamed it on working on the wards in her formative years), two university degrees and loved a glass of wine (usually New Zealand Marlborough Sauvignon Blanc chilled beyond the recommended temperatures). She loved visiting Canada, particularly the wineries in the Niagara region, Blue Jays baseball and Indigo Books in Toronto, but most of all she loved her family, particularly two wonderful daughters she was incredibly proud of.



June's family would like to thank all the wonderful nurses at Clatterbridge Cancer Centre, Doctors Errington and Poonawala also at Clatterbridge and all the incredible staff and volunteers at Wirral St John's Hospice who made June's final days so peaceful and comfortable.

The Hospice's work is invaluable yet cannot continue without public donations. Family and Hospice would be hugely grateful for all donations, no matter how big or small. Please contribute via the link below: <https://june-richards5.muchloved.com/>

You can also use this link to view our tribute page, where everyone is welcome to leave their own photos or memories of June.