

Bedfordshire Centre of the Caravan &
Motorhome Club

c/o Martin Findlay

16th October 2026

Dear friends

What a fantastic amount to have donated at your recent AGM from your fundraising in aid of Magpas Air Ambulance! Kate was made to feel very welcome and was pleased to tell you how your donation will make a difference to patients like her. Thank you for having chosen us as your charity of the year, we appreciate being in your thoughts.

Your super donation of £1,658.66 could equate to the cost of purchasing a syringe driver and one week's supply of specialist drugs used by our medical teams. The syringe driver is an incredibly useful piece of equipment used to administer drugs directly into the patient over a select period of time. This can keep them sedated, asleep or relieved of pain. A Magpas Air Ambulance critical care paramedic commented: *"The syringe driver helps us to quickly and efficiently administer anaesthetic to patients to relieve their pain and distress in life threatening situations. We need to use the syringe drivers every time we have to administer an anaesthetic. In total, this can be between 200-250 times a year."* The specialist drugs we carry include ketamine, rocuronium, tranexamic acid and fentanyl. These drugs are not carried on land ambulances and allow us to treat patients in many ways, including preparing them for roadside surgery with anaesthetics, stopping bleeds, alleviating pain and reducing the risks of further complications.

Recognised by the East of England Ambulance Service NHS Trust (EEAST) as Bedfordshire's closest primary air ambulance service, in 2025 the Magpas Air Ambulance medical team was activated to people in life-threatening emergencies in Bedfordshire almost every day of the year. Your donation, as a result of all the time and energy you put into your fundraising, is saving lives.

Magpas Air Ambulance is powered by people like you and we are thrilled that you are a part of our service. Thank you again for this fantastic donation.

Kindest regards



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