

# GGBLF FOR WISHES

# 16th ANNUAL JUNE 20th, 2022





#### **Thank You Golfers!**

Dear Friends,

On behalf of the 2022 Golf Committee, it is my pleasure to welcome you to the 16th annual Golf for Wishes event. We are grateful for your participation and support of Make-A-Wish® Canada as we enjoy a fun-filled day of golf and a memorable time of wish granting.

We have been able to grant some incredible wishes over the years to a number of very inspiring children thanks to the success of this event, which would not have been possible without the generosity of our tournament sponsors and attendees. With your support, this annual tournament has raised over \$3 million in the last 15 years, bringing immeasurable joy and happiness into the lives of hundreds of wish children and their families. The impact of your support cannot be underestimated. The world is opening up again to us all, and we're again interacting with one another face-to-face. For Make-A-Wish, this means that there are close to 4,000 thousand wishes waiting—many involving travel—which will soon be coming true. It makes your participation in Golf for Wishes all the more important as we look to fund and deliver on these long-delayed wishes, and restore hope to wish children and their families. We're so glad that you've joined us here today. Again, thank you for your continued support and commitment to Make-A-Wish®.

Enjoy your day,

Dennis Fortnam
Chairman, 2022 Make-A-Wish Canada Golf Committee

## **EVENT ITINERARY**

11:00 AM Registration/Driving Range

12:45 PM Tournament Greetings

1:30 PM Shotgun start

6:30 PM Cocktail Reception

## ON COURSE ACTIVITIES

#### **North Course**

**Hole 4 Food Station: Five Doors North** 

**Hole 10 Blue Cross Health Hut** 

**Hole 11 Longest Drive** 

Hole 14 Closest to the Pin

**Hole 17 Food Station: Five Doors North** 

Hole 18 Closest to the Hockey Net

#### **South Course**

**Hole 2 Food Station: Five Doors North** 

**Hole 6 Closest to the Pin Contest** 

**Hole 10 Blue Cross Health Hut** 

**Hole 12 Food Station: Five Doors North** 

**Hole 14 Longest Drive** 

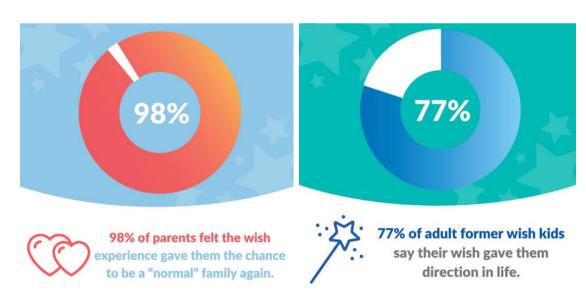
Hole 18 Closest to the Hockey Net



#### **ABOUT MAKE-A-WISH® CANADA**

Make-A-Wish® creates life-changing wishes for children with critical illnesses. We are on a quest to bring every eligible child's wish to life, because a wish is an integral part of a child's treatment journey. Research shows children who have wishes granted can build the physical and emotional strength they need to fight a critical illness. As an independently operating affiliate of Make-A-Wish International, Make-A-Wish Canada is part of the network of the world's leading children's wish-granting organization. We serve children in every community in Canada, and in more than 50 countries worldwide.

Since 1983, Make-A-Wish Canada has granted over 36,000 wishes across the country, over 900 last year alone.





### 2022 GOLF FOR WISHES AMBASSADOR

# **OWEN** & BIG Sister Zoe



Owen was diagnosed with intestinal failure, having severe dysmotility. This means that he is unable to absorb nutrients normally. Owen lives with a central line which administers a specialized form of food to be infused intravenously, daily, for 12+ hours. In addition, he receives additional fluids to help keep him hydrated, with his medications. Owen has a GTube in his belly to administer medications, as well to decompress his tummy.

Owen has been able to play hockey and soccer and do horseback riding lessons. His family loves being able to see him active and work so hard at the things he loves to do. Owen enjoys being outside, biking, walking and going on adventures through his neighbourhood and in the forests (with metal detectors and spy cameras). The family took part in this year's Rope for Hope Toronto event, where Owen's dad dressed up as Buddy the Elf and rappelled down 29 storeys of the Westin Harbour Castle Toronto and raised more than \$11,000!

When asked about what the wish meant to Owen and the family, his mom said, "The wish was life changing to us as a family. It meant we got to release the fear and anxiety of medical needs for a week and simply immerse ourselves in the joy of having fun and experiencing anything and everything we wanted! The wish brought magic into our life during a time when we needed it most and continues to provide memories that will last a lifetime!"



#### THANK YOU TO OUR GOLF COMMITTEE

Make-A-Wish® Canada would like to thank our dedicated Golf Committee for their time, talents and expertise in planning a successful tournament day! We greatly appreciate your passion and support in making our 16th Annual Golf for Wishes an event to remember.

# 2022 GOLF FOR WISHES COMMITTEE

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## **CORPORATE PARTNERSHIPS**



Make-A-Wish® Canada is proud to have a dedicated and generous group of supporters helping to make wishes come true. Through the donations of funds and in-kind goods and services, our alliance of corporate supporters help us to grant more wishes to more children each day.

We also offer various initiatives for your corporate company to get involved in:

- Corporate Giving
- Corporate Teams
- Corporate Sponsorship
- Employee Giving
- Cause Related Marketing
- Our Corporate Partners



#### **CONTACT US TO SEE HOW YOUR COMPANY CAN WORK WITH US!**

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## SEPTEMBER 23, 2022 MAKEAWISH.CA/IWISHTOBE

Growing up, we all wished upon a shooting star or when we blew out candles on our birthday cake in hopes of it coming true one day.

Imagine what it would feel like to have that wish come true.

But there's something more powerful about helping make someone else's wish come true.

I Wish To Be... is your chance to be a part of the hope a wish can bring a child living with a critical illness.

## I Wish To Be... will give you the chance to wish on one of two celebrity-hosted experiences:



<u>Hockey Camp:</u> If you've been waiting for your big break to make it to the pros, then "I Wish To Be a Hockey Player" may just be your dream come true.

Drop the puck (not the gloves!) and take your shot at claiming the "I Wish To Be..." Cup, the coveted trophy for the team that wins the tournament. And just to give you the best odds of raising the cup, we're teaming you up with an NHL-alumni captain and a celebrity coach who will bring out the game you never knew you had. Each team will play a minimum of three games. Confirmed: Wendel Clarke, Doug Gilmour, Al Iafrate, David Ayers, Rick Valve, Jayna Hefford, Sean Cullen, Tyler McGregor, more to be announced soon!



Rock Camp: Always dreamed of being on stage, playing your favorite rock classics in front of thousands of your biggest fans? If this sounds like your destiny, then "I Wish To Be a Rockstar" is for you!

Spend the day jammin' with professional rockstars to prepare for your big debut later that evening. Our celebrity coaches will help you and your bandmates pull together a killer two-song set, run you through practices and get you ready to take the stage during dinner!

Confirmed: Jully Black, Andy Curran, Ian Thornley, more to be announced soon!

#### **How To Participate**

Purchase a spot in one of two experiences OR join for the evening festivities at the beautiful Fairmont Royal York, where you will experience ultimate fine dining, entertainment and the true power of a wish.

#### **Ticket Options & Pricing**

	Hockey Camp	Rock Camp	Dinner for One	Dinner Only (Table of 10)	Camp Participants Only (Dinner for 9 additional guests)
Ticket Price	\$2,500	\$2,500	\$500	\$4,500	\$3,600
Tax Receiptable Portion	\$800	\$500	\$200	\$1,500	\$900

#### **Experience the Power of a Wish**

You will have the pleasure of meeting multiple wish kids throughout the day, as they share their journey and the impact of their wish experience. Wish kid ambassadors will be volunteering and participating in each camp, as well as showing off their talents during the evening event!

#### **Event Day Details**

8:30 a.m.: Camp Registration

9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.: Camp Experience

Hockey Camp @ Ford Performance Centre - 400 Kipling Ave., Etobicoke Rock Camp @ Fairmont Royal York - 100 Front Street W., Toronto

4:00 p.m.: Fairmont Royal York Check-In

(room included in price for camp participants)

5:30 p.m.: Cocktail Reception

7:00 p.m.: Dinner

8:00 to 11:00 p.m.: Live Entertainment

Two Song Set/Rock Camp Band Wish Kid Ambassadors Headliner (30 minute set)

For more information, please contact:

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### FRIDAY NOVEMBER 25<sup>th</sup>, 2022 FAIRMONT ROYAL YORK TORONTO, ON



When this event began in 2016, we started out with just seven trees. Last year, in 2021, we had 32 trees and 32 amazing families. This spectacular growth speaks to the magic of what the event has become, as well as to the generosity of our donor community.

This year marks the seventh anniversary of *Trees of Joy*, your donation of \$10,000 will not only help grant the most heartfelt wish to a child with a critical illness, but with your generous support we will continue to bring the magic of *Trees of Joy* into the homes of some very special wish children this holiday season!

A wish gives children renewed energy and strength, brings families closer together and unites communities. Trees of Joy is no exception, and we very much look forward to having you part of this truly magical experience.



#### WHY SHOULD I **TAKE PART?**

Through all of the uncertainty of our time, one thing has remained constant: every child's wish begins with the hope of something to look forward to. It is in that hopeful moment, that everything begins to change. Be part of the hope.

Transform lives, one wish at a time.

For more information about the event, please contact:

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# SEE YOU NEXT YEAR!

