



SUPPORTING STEDMAN COMMUNITY HOSPICE

HANDBAGS

November 9, 2023

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Welcome



t is my pleasure to welcome you to Handbags for Hospice this evening in support of Stedman Community Hospice. Handbags for Hospice is celebrating 10 years this year!

In 2012, a dedicated group of friends, led by cancer survivor Judy Porter founded this event and continued to run it for 5 years, with proceeds going to Stedman Community Hospice. What an incredible event they built, one that continues to go strong today. Thank you, ladies!

We have a great evening planned for you. We are thrilled to welcome back the talented and engaging Chuck Dukas as our emcee and auctioneer again this year. Chuck has flown in from Los Angeles to be here with us this evening.

Tonight, you will notice some great new changes to the programme that we hope you will love.

This event would not be possible without the commitment of our volunteers, sponsors, donors, and all of you. The Foundation is very grateful for their support.

And finally, thank you to the Hospice staff, physicians, and volunteers. This dedicated team delivers compassionate care to our community, whether it be in our Hospice or in patients' homes. So many people have shared with me how the Hospice team has positively impacted them during an extremely difficult time. They are truly what makes Stedman Community Hospice so special. Approximately \$1.3 million is needed each year from the community to ensure the vital programs and services of Stedman Community Hospice continue. Thank you for joining us this evening and helping to ensure we raise these crucial funds for Hospice.



Enjoy the evening! With gratitude,

Julie Powell, President & CEO St. Joseph's Lifecare Foundation

Handbags Committee

An event like tonight's would not be possible without the incredible support of the Handbags for Hospice Committee.

This amazing group of women work so hard all throughout the year to bring tonight's event to life. Thank you, ladies!

- Danielle Bernardi-Fisher
- Dianne Casey
- Debbie Clayton
- Jennifer Fotheringham
- Karen Moore
- Harmony Webster
- Cynthia Wiatowski
- Laura Wojtasik



This Evening's Agenda



5:30 p.m.	Doors Open
	Enjoy the Champagne Reception
	Preview Live Auction items and bid on Silent Auction items
	 Purchase your PlayAll Bracelet, Golden Ticket, Wine Pull Cork and play What's In Your Purse
	 Enjoy jazz entertainment by Denis Rondeau & Friends
6:15 p.m.	Event Officially begins with Welcome & Opening Remarks by Julie Powell, President & CEO
	Land Acknowledgement – Sandra Ramelli
	Reflection - Jenn Hind
	 Presenting Sponsor - Patrick Fisher (Betco Products Inc.)
	Introduction of Emcee & Auctioneer Chuck Dukas
6:30 p.m.	Dinner
7:15 p.m.	Chocolate Purse Auction
7:30 p.m.	PlayAll Bracelet sales close, Golden Ticket sales close
7:30 p.m.	Heads or Tails
7:45 p.m.	Golden Ticket Draw – Winner to choose one of the Live Auction items
7:50 p.m.	Live Auction
8:30 p.m.	Raising Hope - <i>Nicole Clarkson and</i> Kerri VanSickle
9:00 p.m.	Silent Auction Closes
9:00 p.m.	Toonie Takeaway
9:25 p.m.	Luxury Takeaway
9:30 p.m.	Draws & Announcements
453	Draw for the Wine Pull Prize (Stocked Mini Fridge)
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RAFFLE	Raffle Prize Draws
	Table Prizes
9:40 p.m.	Closing Remarks
9:45 p.m.	Silent and Live Auction Check-Out

Evening's Activities

PLAYALL BRACELET

Buy a PlayAll bracelet for \$70 and it gives you:

- automatic entry into the Heads or Tails game
- unlimited play in Toonie Takeaway games
- automatic entry into the Luxury Takeaway round for a luxury designer handbag
- automatic entry into all the premium raffles

NOTES: You must buy a bracelet to play the games. Bracelet does not include Wine Pull, Golden Tickets or "What's In Your Purse".

HEADS OR TAILS

Participants in this fun, classic party game place their hands on their hips or head while a flip of the coin determines if you stay in for the next round.

NOTE: One designer handbag awarded. Automatic entry into Heads or Tails with the purchase of a PlayAll bracelet!

TOONIE TAKEAWAY

A two-round elimination game where 13 lucky winners will take home a designer handbag. Good luck! **NOTE: Automatic entry into Toonie Takeaway with the purchase of a PlayAll bracelet!**

LUXURY TAKEAWAY

One lucky person will take home a luxury designer handbag! Value: \$1,000! Sponsored by The Wiatowski Group. **NOTE: Automatic entry into Luxury Takeaway included** *in the purchase of a PlayAll bracelet!*

RAFFLES

What an incredible lineup of great raffle prizes we've gathered this year! New this year – you are automatically entered into all the raffles with the purchase of the PlayAll bracelet..









Evening's Activities

THE WINE PULL

Purchase a wine cork for \$20 to receive a quality wine selection and go into the draw for a stocked mini-fridge, valued at more than \$500. Only 200 corks to be sold! **NOTE: Not included with the PlayAll bracelet.**

WHAT'S IN YOUR PURSE?

Our newest feature! Purchase a mini purse for \$20 and collect what is inside! Every purse has a gift card valued at \$20 or more for local restaurants,

supermarkets, and other popular retailers! Some purses contain gift cards valued up to \$100! Mini purses created and donated by Little Boxes-Plus.

NOTE: Not included with the PlayAll bracelet.

THE GOLDEN TICKET!

Maximum of 125 tickets to be sold! The winner will have a choice of any of the live auction items on display, with some items valued as high as \$8,650! Draw will take place immediately before the live auction begins. Tickets are \$100 each.

NOTE: Not included with the PlayAll bracelet.

CHOCOLATE PURSE AUCTION

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Beautifully decorated chocolate handbags will be auctioned off to the highest bidder. The purses were decorated by the Mayors as well as the Police Association and Fire Association. Get ready for some friendly competition as these individuals try to sell you their edible creations. Made from Belgian chocolate and generously supported and sponsored by Le Chocolat Du Savoie.

> Wine Pull, What's In Your Purse and Golden Ticket purchases must be made at the event at the individual stations. These items are not included in the purchase of a PlayAll bracelet.











WATEROUS HOLDEN AMEY HITCHON

Monogram logo detailing defines this chic shoulder bag. Features

VALENTINO LUXURY PURSE

Live Auction

include a snap-flap closure, gold-tone hardware, removable zip pouch, adjustable leather handle. Constructed of the finest Italian leather. Generously Donated by Seberras Engineering Group \$1.040

AN ESSENTIAL FOR YOUR OUTDOOR SANCTUARY: THE JEFFERSON FIRE BOWL

The 26" round propane Jefferson Fire Bowl will enhance your outdoor living space in both looks and atmosphere. The Jefferson Fire Bowl is cast from lightweight, glass fiber reinforced concrete by artists and craftsman. Generously Donated by Pioneer Pools

\$1,100

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CHAMPAGNE FLIGHT FOR 2 ONBOARD THE SILVER BULLET

Take date night to a whole other level - literally! The Silver Bullet, a Vintage 1957 Cessna 310 will have you riding high! You and your guest will be provided transportation from your

home to the Brant Aero hanger, for champagne and light tapas. You'll then embark on a 60-minute flight to Toronto to do a fly-by of the CN Tower as well as over the Niagara Escarpment World Biosphere and beautiful Lake Ontario. Upon your return to the airport, your car service will take you to the Brantford Club for dinner including wine and champagne. A 3-month private membership to the Brantford Club is also included in this package. Restrictions apply - see page 15 for details. Generously Donated by Brant Aero, Karen Moore Interior Designs and the Race family

\$1.800

A CLASSIC FROM GUCCI'S OPHIDIA COLLECTION

This new stunner in the classic Ophidia line of Gucci handbags is sure to impress. With signature styling that includes the GG motif, red and green web stripe, long leather handles and magnetic snap closure, this beauty has all the essential elements that say "quality", just like the woman who wears it.

. Generously Donated by Environmental Safety Products \$2,395





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COSTA RICA GETAWAY - PURA VIDA

7-night stay in our freshly painted 2 bedroom, 2 bath self-contained 1100 sq ft private home in the village of Tambor on Costa Rica's Pacific coast! Complete with hi-speed wi-fi, a smart TV, individual room a/c units, freshly renovated kitchen and quartz countertops, all needed appliances, coffee grinder and backyard pool with loungers. Please note the pool is not

fenced separately. A gardener and pool maintenance technician visits three times per week and the housekeeper cleans the home mid-week and at the end of your stay. Does not include airfare. Restrictions apply – *see Page 15 for details. Generously Donated by My Mortgage Lady – Amelia McLeod*

\$2,500

BURBERRY LUXURY PURSE

Burberry adds a touch of refinement to your collection with this check tote. Crafted from calf leather, this two-toned structured piece punctuated by gold-tone triple-stud detailing and vintage check panels. Great for going from the office to meeting your friends for dinner.

Generously Donated by Harmony and Clayton Webster in memory of our parents

\$3,690

FLIGHT FOR 2 ANYWHERE WESTJET FLIES

One round trip flight for two guests to any regularly scheduled WestJet destination. A beautiful carry-on luggage piece is included. Restrictions apply - *see page 15 for details. Generously Donated By WestJet*



A TASTE OF TUSCANY FOR 4

7 night-stay for 4 people in a 2-bedroom apartment within Cortona city walls.

Private wine tasting in the coolest bar in town located in the main square (Sottovoce Wine Bar). Cooking show and dinner in a local restaurant. Midweek cleaning with linen and towel change, as well as utilities and final cleaning included. Airfare not included. Restrictions apply - *see page 15 for details*.









Live Auction

CATERING PACKAGE FOR 20

Strodes BBQ & Catering has paired up with Vodka

Friday to bring you the ultimate backyard bash! A great combination of delicious food and tasty refreshments make for great fun! The successful bidder will book a Friday date during the summer of 2024 (date subject to

availability), and all that's left to do is invite 19 friends to join you. We'll do the rest! *Generously Donated by Strodes BBQ and Vodka Friday*

\$3,500

ELEVATE YOUR PATIO WITH A FULLY STOCKED BAR CART & PROPANE BBQ

You'll be "Host of the Year" when you delight your guests with a fully stocked bar cart and cook from your brand-new propane BBQ. This package features a STERLING Flame 4 Burner Propane BBQ – 40,000 BTU with Side Burner. The 80 qt Permasteel Cooler/Bar cart comes stocked with spirits, wines, snacks and board games.

BBQ generously donated by Home Hardware West Brant Bar cart stock generously donated by friends of Stedman Community Hospice

\$1,500

KATE SPADE WEEKENDER PACKAGE

You'll be on the move in style with this beautiful Kate Spade weekender luggage set. This 5-piece set includes: Chelsea Weekender, Chelsea Toiletry Bag Chelsea Travel Cosmetic Bag Chelsea Large Continental Wallet Gingham Umbrella

\$1,125



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\$35,000 GOAL

ince 2004, Stedman Community Hospice has been providing in-residence hospice care as well as community outreach services to families in our community. Our services are available to adults and children of all ages, faiths, illnesses, and income levels who need end-of-life care.

We proudly offer a wide variety of programs to assist families from the moment a life-limiting illness is



diagnosed through to grief support for families.

In the fall of 2021, with the support of donors, Stedman Community Hospice started a capital improvement project to replace 11 aging beds within the building. Along with the new beds, there was a need to renovate the building to accommodate these beds.

The beds that we have been replacing are 19 years old and have reached their life expectancy. The new beds are also considerably larger and much more comfortable than the ones they are replacing. Due to the increased size of the new beds, renovations have been required to make door frames wider to move the beds freely within the building as well as outdoors. A portion of the renovations have been started but the remainder needs to be completed as soon as possible.

Safety is of critical importance in this renovation. Widened doorways will enable us to get the beds out of the room quickly and easily in an urgent situation. Beyond the safety issue, the tight squeeze out the doors makes it challenging to move patients to the family room as well as outdoors.

One of the great features of our hospice is our large family rooms as well as our beautiful gardens. All of our patients deserve to easily be able to attend celebrations in the family room and enjoy the sun on their face on the patio.

Tonight, we hope you will consider helping us with Raising Hope to support these important renovations at our community Hospice. A 100% tax receipt is provided for your gift.

Thank you for your generosity!







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CHAMPAGNE FLIGHT FOR TWO ONBOARD THE SILVER BULLET

60-minute flight to Toronto to do a fly-by of the CN Tower. On the way, this flight will take you over the Niagara Escarpment World Biosphere and beautiful Lake Ontario. Includes transportation, champagne, tapas, dinner, and wine. Also includes a 3-month membership to the Brantford Club.

Things to know about this package:

- Scheduled flights are weather permitting on a Thursday or Friday mid-afternoon.
- Package to be redeemed between the months of May and September 2024.
- Transportation pickup is limited to County of Brant and City of Brantford.

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Things to know about this package:

- Airfare is not included.
- The pool is not fenced separately.
- Excursions and meals not included.
- Blackout dates for Dec. 23 Jan 2, (possible exception yet, not guaranteed)

ANYWHERE WESTJET FLIES

One roundtrip flight for two guests to any regularly scheduled WestJet destination. (Blackout dates, taxes & fees apply). Includes a beautiful carry-on luggage piece.

Things to know about the flight:

 Fees, taxes, and surcharges are the responsibility of guests traveling and must be paid for at the time of booking. Does not include optional fees such as checked baggage or cabin upgrades.

- Valid on any regular scheduled WestJet marketed and operated flight. Voucher is not valid for redemption on WestJet Vacations' packages, flights operated by Swoop, interne, code share or charter flights.
- All bookings and travel must be completed within one year from November 9, 2023.
- Voucher is limited and subject to promotional space availability of eligible fare options and flight schedule. Not all flights have promotional space.
- Flights must be roundtrip to and from the same locations. All guests must travel together on the same itinerary, dates, and flights.
- Voucher cannot be used on some dates, including statutory holidays and peak travel dates.

**Other rules and restrictions apply. See flight voucher for full details.

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This package includes:

- 7 nights for 4 people in a 2-bedroom apartment within Cortona city walls.
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- Cooking show and dinner in a local restaurant.
- Midweek cleaning with linen and towel change.
- Utilities and final cleaning.

Things to know about this package:

- Airfare is not included.
- All booking requests are recommended to be 60 days in advance and greater if you plan to travel during peak times.
- Ground transportation is not included.
- Local, destination and transfer fees are not included and the responsibility of the buyer.
- Blackout dates: Easter, Thanksgiving, Christmas, and New Year's weeks.



