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MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Fall Raffle Draw – October 7, 2014

19th Annual Celebrity-Carved
Pumpkin Contest
October 23-26, 2014

4th Annual Benefit Brunch for
Autism
Sunday, November 23, 2014

Capital Chordettes Christmas Craft
Auction
Saturday, December 6, 2014

9th Annual `Rollin` for Risk` Bowl-
A-Thon
Sunday, January 25, 2015

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Paul Lacroix, President, Board of Directors

Hard to believe, but we are now entering the 4th quarter of 2014 - what a great year it has been so far! Camp Kaleidoscope was another huge success again this year, serving even more families by providing a safe and enjoyable environment for our very special children. The CAR camp team is already working on next year's camp.

Friday Family Fun Night (aka Date/Me Night) is up and running providing some well needed respite for our parents. **Saturday Fun Club** continues to be a wonderful activity.

Welcome new Board Members **Martha Perry** and **Neil Dzuba**. They both bring enthusiasm, a wealth of knowledge and passion to Children at Risk. The Board looks forward to utilizing their special talents.

CAR continues to hold fundraising events to secure the finances to continue to provide the many services to our families. We encourage and welcome any volunteer support you can provide. They include: Ottawa Senators and Ottawa 67's 50/50 sales, "Rollin' for Risk" Bowl-A-Thon, Celebrity Pumpkin Carving, Raffles and more. Keep an eye on your emails to see how you can help!



Have a great rest of 2014!

2014/2015 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

President – Paul Lacroix

Treasurer – Lesia Gilbert

Secretary – Mark Lalonde

Director – Natasha Ell Saunders

Director – Michelle Thompson

Director – Neil Dzuba

Director – Martha Perry

OUR BOARD GROWS!

Children at Risk's June AGM was pleased to have special guest speaker **Psychologist DR. ALEX NOUNOPOULOS!** But we also were thrilled to welcome 2 new Board Members – **NEIL DZUBA & MARTHA PERRY!!**

Meet Neil:

“I am pleased to become a member of the Board of Directors/Volunteer Executive with Children at Risk. My wife, Amanda, currently co-facilitates social groups with Children at Risk. Through her experiences and guidance, I have been introduced to the dynamics of working with children with ASD, and now wish to volunteer to assist children with ASD in the Ottawa community. My background will be beneficial to Children at Risk. I am a labour employment lawyer, which requires an in-depth knowledge and understanding of current human resources trends and practices, and the accompanying laws that apply in the workplace. My background includes work in the not-for-profit sector, including governance practices in not-for-profit organizations; further, my firm represents numerous not-for-profit organizations. The firm's resources can be called upon if required. In addition, being in private practice, I am acutely aware of the need to “get out” into the community, represent the organization at events, and network to further the interests of Children at Risk in the community. As a firm, we are heavily involved with United Way campaigns, Lawyers Feed the Hungry, and similar charitable work. I would like to apply my experiences in this regard to Children at Risk.”

Meet Martha:

“I am mom of Kien, my gorgeous boy, 13 years old and on the autism spectrum. My background is in teaching (University of Ottawa lecturer, Literature and English as a Second Language instructor, private sector). I am currently a Language Assessment Consultant with the Personnel Psychology Centre of the Public Service Commission. I'd like to volunteer my time to support Children at Risk in its role as advocate and service provider in the sorely underfunded area of support to children on the autism spectrum and their families.”

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S MESSAGE

Submitted by Brenda Reisch

Well – as our Board President Paul indicated – we are headed down the home stretch for the 2014 Year! This does not mean things are any less busy at Children at Risk. Five years ago our Summer used to be a time to re-group and get ready for our Fall, Winter and Spring Programs. Camp Kaleidoscope has filled that lull and kept our Charity rolling full-steam!

Our Fall is filled with Programs and Activities – as we look for more innovative ways to support our Families in the Autism Community. These, however, have to be paired with Fundraisers and Funding Applications – so we can finance those supports!! ☺

However – as our Office gets busier and busier – it is important to keep Communication as a #1 priority! With extra hands helping – Office Assistant Gillian, Co-Op Student Kat – we are trying to keep someone answering your calls daytime Monday to Friday. So bear with us if one of these “hands” answers your call, but does not have an immediate answer. Emails are great too – make sure if you change yours (and/or your physical mailing address) to let us know!

Our main email is car@childrenatrisk.ca but Bambina, our Office Administrator, can be reached at Bambina@childrenatrisk.ca and Gillian at Gillian@childrenatrisk.ca.

We try to keep our Website www.childrenatrisk.ca updated as much as possible, but as this support too is monitored by a Volunteer – sometimes it takes a day or two to get info up. We know our Facebook and Twitter are under-used ... bear with us as we continue to try and incorporate Social Media as an everyday part of our Communication, too!

Soon we will be starting our 36th Year of Helping Autistic Children and Their Families in 2015. We will continue to try and make a difference in the lives of ASD children in the Ottawa Community by striving to provide critically needed supports and services.

We hope it helps!

Our Mission Statement

To provide services and programs to families of children diagnosed within the Autism Spectrum Disorders to develop their child's behavioural, communication, and social skills, and to advocate for their ongoing needs.

FUNDRAISING UPDATE

Submitted by Brenda Reisch, Fundraising Chairperson

EVENTS/ACTIVITIES SINCE JUNE 2014...

OTTAWA AUTISM COMMUNITY ANNUAL FAMILY PICNIC

Once again, a great time was had by all on June 8th for the Autism Community Annual Picnic! Brewer Park was terrific with their water play - as well as the BBQ, Circus Delights Inflatables, Fish Pond, Cookie Decorating, Bubble Play, Pick n' Pay, Balloon Toss and much more! Many, many thanks to all the Volunteers who made this possible - especially BBQ Crews who skillfully ran the BBQ donated for use by The Gathering Church - not to mention many other Volunteers who jumped in to help at all the other activity stations! Please join me in thanking our many sponsors:

- **The Gathering Church** for their BBQ and **The Teed Family** for transportation
- **Loblaws College Square** for some food donations
- **Weston Bakeries** for donating the hot dog and burger buns
- **Tunis Shrine Klowns**
- **Hazel Smith** for managing our Pick n' Pay Table
- **Phil & Heather** from **A Little Bit of Bling** for their awesome face paint & glitter tattoos!

See photos on Page 24.

19th ANNUAL SPRING RAFFLE

June 8th also was a lucky day for some, as our Spring Raffle Winners are drawn at the Picnic! You will find a list of the Winners and Ticket Numbers on Page 22. Sales were a bit down with the late release and the economy, so we again did not sell out the 6,500 tickets this year, but we still managed to make a profit of close to **\$7,098!!** Deepest appreciation to all those who purchased and/or sold tickets and Congratulations to the Winners!!

What is On Now/Coming:

FALL MACMILLAN'S CAMPAIGN



Children at Risk continues to raise funds through the sale of frozen MacMillan's foods – muffins, cookies, seasonal treats and more!

We will be emailing the order form out – orders must be in by **Wednesday, October 29** – delivery will be Thursday, November 13.

Let us know if you would like a flyer sent to you – we had some limited order forms sent to us!

ADVENTURES IN AVON - Tuesday, November 11

AVON

Through a tremendously generous donation of AVON products, Children at Risk will be holding an **Open House and Sale on Tuesday, November 11** from 2-4 PM and 7-9 PM. Assorted Products and Jewellery will be available at up to half price, as well as some Gift Baskets done up for Holiday Giving.

We are located at 235 Donald Street, Suite 209. Hope to see you then!

4th ANNUAL BENEFIT BRUNCH FOR AUTISM – SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 23

Once again, The Ottawa Autism Circle of The King's Daughters & Sons is holding a Fundraising Brunch to benefit Children at Risk on Sunday, November 23, 2014. This year the Event is being held at the Villa Marconi, 1026 Baseline Road - across from the Experimental Farm and just before Merivale and runs from 11:30 AM to 2 PM, with Brunch starting at 12 Noon. There will be Entertainment from local singers and musicians (TBA) along with a Silent Auction to help you with your Holiday Shopping! Tickets are \$30 for Adults and \$15 for Children ages 5-12 (under 5 is free). Call our Office at 613-741-8255 to get your tickets or email us at car@childrenatrisk.ca.

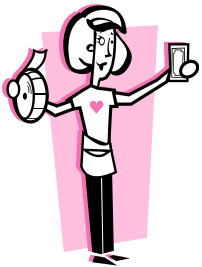
DONOR'S CORNER

Kiwanis Club of Rideau	\$500.00
United Way of Peel Region	\$540.74
Estate of Anne Mayberger Blair	\$1,800.00



Volunteer Seller, Joyce Oickle takes a break!

50/50 TICKET SALES



Thanks to the outstanding efforts of our Volunteers, Children at Risk has been invited back by BOTH the Ottawa Senators Foundation and Kiwanis Club of Rideau for the Ottawa 67's 50/50 tickets sales for the upcoming 2014/2015 Season!

Kiwanis Club  **of Rideau**

Not only does this give our charity and Autism excellent profile – the two combined last year to be our highest form of fundraising dollars!!

We have listed dates that we are currently booked for – please check your schedules and let us know if you can help out for a few hours!!

Call us at 613-741-8255 or email car@childrenatrisk.ca

Ottawa 67's

Courtesy of the Kiwanis Club of Rideau, Children at Risk will be covering ALL the Home Games (16) for this Fall! With the exciting move BACK to the NEW



TD Place on Bank Street, we are hoping for a higher attendance – which means more tickets sold and more funds raised for Children at Risk!

We are waiting to find out more info about parking and possible shuttle service to the Arena – as the re-development of (formerly) Lansdowne cut parking. Some may be available on side streets but arrival would need to be early and weather could be a factor. (We need 10-12 Volunteers/Game, need to arrive 1 1/2 hours before game, MUST be 18 years+.)

Friday, October 10 - 7:30 PM game – arrive at 6 PM

Sunday, October 12 – 2 PM game – arrive at 12:30 PM

Friday, October 17 - 7:30 PM game – arrive at 6 PM

Sunday, October 19 – 2 PM game – arrive at 12:30 PM

Friday, November 7 - 7:30 PM game - arrive at 6 PM

Sunday, November 9 – 2 PM game – arrive at 12:30 PM

Friday, November 14 – 7:30 PM game - arrive at 5:30 PM

Sunday, November 16 – 2 PM game – arrive at 12:30 PM

Friday, November 21 – 7:30 PM game - arrive at 5:30 PM

Saturday, November 22 – 2 PM game- arrive at 12:30PM

Friday, November 28 – 7:30 PM game - arrive at 5:30 PM

Sunday, November 30 – 2 PM game – arrive at 12:30 PM

Friday, December 5 - 7:30 PM game - arrive at 6 PM

Sunday, December 7 – 2 PM game – arrive at 12:30 PM

Friday, December 12 – 7:30 PM game - arrive at 5:30 PM

Sunday, December 28 – 2 PM game – arrive at 12:30 PM

OTTAWA SENATORS



We are entering an exciting NEW era with 50/50 sales at the Sens Games – Electronic Gaming!

With a new pilot project, monitored by the Alcohol and Gaming Commission of Ontario (AGCO), the Ontario Lottery and Gaming Corporation have chosen to test electronic hand-held mobile devices to sell and record each 50/50 transaction at home games for only the Toronto Maple Leafs, Toronto Raptors and the Ottawa Senators through the Maple Leaf Sports and Entertainment Foundation and Ottawa Senators Foundation.

Currently these are in use at other NHL arenas and it has shown to significantly increase participation and subsequently charitable revenues with real-time updates on what the prize is at, as well as the ability to have up to 30 days to claim the prize (previous 50/50 only allowed up to 1 hour after each game to claim).

Children at Risk is honoured to be one of the Charities working with the Sens Foundation on this landmark initiative that will (hopefully) raise extra funds for the Foundation and Charities involved! (Last season CAR Volunteers helped to raise **\$14,840** – while this is excellent revenue, it was the lowest amount in the past 3 seasons ... we are anticipating the new method of ticket sales will help bring this up!)

As this launch has been consuming for the Foundation, the schedule of games for Children at Risk has not yet been approved, so we have only the first few games confirmed.



OTTAWA SENATORS (Cont'd)

FIRST GAMES will be:

Pre-season:

Wednesday, September 24 (7:30 PM game) VS. Leafs – Volunteers need to arrive by 5:30 PM

Friday, October 3 (7:30 PM game) VS. Canadiens – Volunteers need to arrive by 5:30 PM

Home Opener:

Thursday, October 16 (7:30 PM game) VS. Avalanche – Volunteers need to arrive by 5:30 PM

We will be required to bring a few less Volunteers than in past seasons, but the current plan is for 12 Volunteers for each game – 22 for Leafs and Habs games that we are scheduled for. With the new method of 50/50 sales, however, there have been some changes to the rules for Volunteers.

Volunteers:

* must be at least 18 years of age or older to sell and no one under the age of 18 can attend to accompany the seller (as in the past)

* need to arrive 2 hours before the games (5 PM for the 7 PM games and 5:30 PM for the 7:30 PM games)

* will be given free parking, pizza and a drink AFTER sales are done (I bring a bottles of water/snack bars for the Volunteers if you need refreshment during selling - no alcoholic drinks allowed while selling.)

* will sell up to the end of the 2nd intermission then cash out before leaving or staying to watch the game - floats are supplied by Children at Risk.



HALLOWEEN FRIGHT NIGHT AT SAUNDERS FARM

Wednesday 29th October

(Bus leaves Donald Street at 5:45 PM
returns at approximately 9:45 PM)

Cost \$30

Not into Scary haunts but your kids love it? Send them to Saunders Farm Fright Fest with new activities to make them scream!! Children At Risk, will take them on the Haunted Hay Wagon ride, navigate through the ghoulish Graveyard Zone, survive the Barn of Terror, deal with the carnage of The Shambles and take a stroll through Camp Slaughter as well as jump on the Giant pillows and watch the live show at 8 p.m. "The Plunger Games".

(NOTE that children MUST be over 10 years of age and able to handle frightening subject matter!)

Seats on the bus are limited so bookings on a first come, first served basis. Siblings can attend and there may be some spots for a Parent (dependent on demand) at the same cost.



FRIGHT FEST
Night at Saunders Farm
Wednesday 29th October
Leave Children At Risk at 5.45 p.m.
Return approx 9.45 p.m.
Cost: \$30
Youth with ASD aged 10+
CAR Members only
Scare Support provided

SIBLING SUPPORT WORKSHOPS

This Fall, Children at Risk will be again offering 2 Sibling Support Workshops. Traditionally we have held a Younger and Older Workshop – but could almost have 3 age ranges. Depending on the response and age ranges, we may offer a 3rd Workshop with closer age ranges for the Older Siblings i.e. Ages 8-11, 12-14.

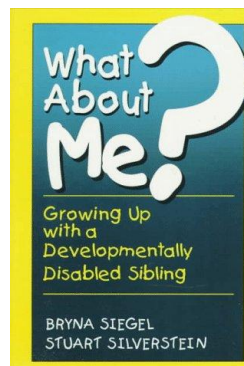
Currently, we will follow the same ranges as below until we get in our registrations and requests.

Saturday, November 8 – Younger Sibling Workshop at Children at Risk (ages 4-7)

Saturday, November 22 – Older Sibling Workshop at Children at Risk (ages 8-13)

For more info see enclosed registration form.

BOOKS FOR PEOPLE WITH SIBLINGS WHO HAVE AUTISM AS PER AMAZON.CA

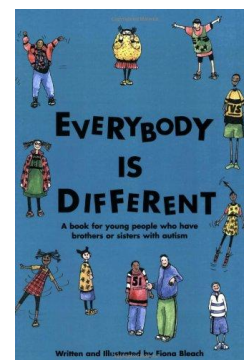


What list author says:

"An excellent tool and forum for people who have siblings with autism. A book that helps pull issues and questions into sharper focus for those who don't have special needs."

What list author says:

"This book is the voice of acceptance. It is ideal for families, particularly for siblings. It is for everybody!"



KIWANIS CHARITY CAR SHOW

NEPEAN



KIWANIS

For almost a week before August 16th, the weather forecast was checked daily to see if it was improving. Sadly the 5th Annual Nepean-Kiwanis Charity Car Show was not bright and sunny ... and owners of beautiful, vintage, classic cars do not like bad weather! Happily, though, a few hardy and supportive owners arrived – and with the Raffle, 50/50 and entry fee still managed to raise **\$3,000** for Children at Risk!!

The funds from this event went even higher with the donation of **\$185** from **Asha Jain** and her son **Anuk** for the winning 50/50 ticket at the Kiwanis Dinner Meeting on September 10th! Anuk has participated in Children at Risk Groups and Camps and agreed to attend the dinner as an Ambassador of the charity. Many thanks to all the Members of the Kiwanis Club of Nepean for their outstanding efforts and enjoy reading Anuk's speech from the dinner:



Dear Members and Friends of the Nepean Kiwanis Club,

Thank you for designating Children at Risk as the recipient of the proceeds from the 5th Annual Charity Car Show.

Children at Risk means a lot to me. It is an organization that takes care of kids with autism like me.

For example, it has friendship groups that help us learn social skills. We learn by playing games like hangman, connect four, and flickin' chicken. And we also learn doing activities like ice breakers, painting, and telling stories and jokes!

Here's a question: **Why did the chicken cross the road?**

The answer is: **TO GET AWAY FROM KENTUCKY FRIED CHICKEN!**

Children at Risk also does something very special for us every summer. It organizes a camp where we are understood, and where we are safe and sound. The camp is called:

Camp Kaleidoscope

Camp Kaleidoscope is an amazing summer camp that makes our dreams come true. These are my favorite activities and field trips at Camp Kaleidoscope: Swinging at the Appleford Park and Jasmine Park, swimming at the Splash & Wave Pool, visiting Papanack Zoo, boating at Dow's Lake, having fun at the splash pad in Brewer Park, and going on waterslides at Mont Cascade!

Mont Cascade was my dream come true!

This year we had a surprise visit at camp. "You ain't nothin' but a hound dog..." It was **ELVIS!!! Viva Elvis, viva el rey de la musica!!!** ☺ That's Spanish for **Go Elvis, go king of music!!!**

Thank you, Children at Risk; and thank you, Nepean Kiwanis Club!

Sincerely,
Anuk Jain

PROJECT CLEAR SKIES INITIATIVE



Since 2004, the **Ottawa International Airport Authority** has given over \$1.2 million to support local charitable projects. While many other donors contribute funds for Programs and Activities – **Project Clear Skies** provides monies for capital expenditures.

I often use the analogy that other donors buy you the gas for the car – but Project Clear Skies buys you the car to put the gas in – figuratively! Children at Risk has been very fortunate to receive numerous donations from Project Clear Skies over the past 10 years.

This year's funding will enable our office space to be more functional with the donation of **\$14,840** to purchase a wall of movable panels to be able to divide our large office room into 2 smaller spaces for groups and activities – awesome!

Please join me in awarding this Newsletter's "**Hat's Off**" to Project Clear Skies for their continued recognition and funding of the supports offered by Children at Risk for Families raising a child diagnosed within the Autism Spectrum Disorders!



CANADA HELPS



Children at Risk has signed up with **CanadaHelps.org**. When you visit our Website at www.childrenatrisk.ca just click the Donate Now button and you will be linked to the CanadaHelps.org donate page for Children at Risk. As with any service, there are some administration charges, but this allows anyone to donate on-line and even anonymously, if desired. It allows 24 hour ability to direct a donation to our charity and the electronic ease that many of us are looking for to support charitable causes! All you have to remember is our website – childrenatrisk.ca and the rest is easy!! Through **Canada Helps**, \$1,436.23 has been donated since June.



DONATE A CAR CANADA

Donate A Car Canada accepts vehicle donations for Children at Risk Ottawa to donate a car, truck, RV, boat, motorcycle or other vehicle to CAR simply fill out the DONATE NOW tab at www.donatecar.ca. Donate A Car Canada can provide you with free towing in many areas across Canada. Donate a Car Canada can pick up your car or truck, or you can drop off your vehicle to maximize your donation. When you donate your car it will either be recycled or sold at auction depending on its condition, age and location. Donate A Car Canada will look after everything to make your donation easy for you to support Children At Risk Ottawa. DONATE NOW at www.donatecar.ca and CAR will send you a tax receipt after your car donation is complete!

This summer 4 supporters donated the proceeds of their old vehicles to Children at Risk, raising \$733.97. Since November 2012, funds raised by Donate A Car have reached **\$9,296.68!** Note that you do not have to live in Ottawa to participate – it is across Canada – so encourage friends and relatives out-of-town to participate, as well! A few weeks ago my husband and I made a decision to retire our 2004 KIA Sedona van and again did it through Donate-A-Car for Children at Risk. We do not know how much we will receive for an income tax receipt for our van (it was over \$450 last fall for our old Corolla!) but appreciated the ease with which we were able to dispose of our vehicle – not to mention being able to support CAR!



KEY TO THE CITY DISCOUNT CARD



NOW AVAILABLE – 2014-2015 Key to the City Discount Cards, effective April 1, 2014 to March 31, 2015. Each Key has a card and 2 keychain fobs, so up to 3 persons can use them for continued discounts throughout the year.

More info is at www.keytothecity.ca. Each Key is only \$20 and each sale raises \$10 for Children at Risk! Call us or email us to get YOURS today!

19th ANNUAL CELEBRITY- CARVED PUMPKIN CONTEST – OCTOBER 23-26, 2014

Now a local Ottawa tradition - Children at Risk will mark October as Autism Awareness Month with our Celebrity-Carved Pumpkin Contest! This seasonal and fun event has helped not only to raise valuable funds for the Autism Community, but raise awareness about Autism and the challenges families experience raising a child with this disability. As usual, our event will still start with our Celebrity-Reception at Merivale Mall on **Thursday, October 23** - and will run an additional 3 days until **Sunday, October 26** in 4 Shopping Centres (Friday to Sunday at the other 3 malls). In order to make this event a success, we need many **Volunteers** to come forward to man the displays. Combining an On-Site Silent Auction with an On-Line Auction, this fundraiser is one of the most high-profile events for Children at Risk, raising not only valuable funds but awareness and support! Many hands are needed, so please check your schedules and give a little time, even a few hours!!

With the purchase of an Auction Site from Vonality last year, our Pumpkin Auction ran almost seamlessly – so we have them on-board again for this year!

VONALITY



19th ANNUAL CELEBRITY- CARVED PUMPKIN CONTEST (Cont'd)

Here are the Mall Volunteer requirements:

Merivale Mall



MERIVALE MALL

Thursday, October 23 – 9 AM to 9 PM
(Reception at 10 AM)

Friday, October 24 – 9 AM to 9 PM
Saturday, October 25 – 9 AM to 6 PM
Sunday, October 26 – Noon to 5 PM
**MALL MANAGER NEEDED –
CALL 613-741-8255!**

Place d'Orleans



Friday, October 24 – 9:30 AM to 9 PM
Saturday, October 25 – 9:30 AM to 9 PM
Sunday, October 26 – 11 AM to 5 PM
Please contact Michelle Thompson, 613-834-9948
Email: dmecthompson@gmail.com

Carlingwood Shopping Centre



Friday, October 24 – 9:30 AM to 9 PM
Saturday, October 25 – 9:30 AM to 9 PM
Sunday, October 26 – 10 AM to 6 PM
Please contact Alison Armstrong at 613-836-4742
Email: alisona@sympatico.ca

Lincoln Fields Shopping Centre



Friday, October 24 – 9:00 AM to 9 PM
Saturday, October 25 – 9:00 AM to 5:30 PM
Sunday, October 26 - 11 AM to 5:30 PM
Please contact Angèle Jodouin at 613-302-5943
Email: angele.jodouin@rogers.com

CHILDREN AT RISK

Fall Raffle

Dear Parents & Friends,

Tickets are NOW available for the Fall Raffle! After many weeks of gathering quality prizes, we can proudly offer them for sale. Funds raised will go towards our summer day camp, Camp Kaleidoscope, in 2015! This valuable support receives no government funding and is financed solely through Fundraising efforts and Donations.

***Note: Tickets can only be sold to persons 18 years and older!**

To kick off October as Autism Awareness Month, the Raffle will be drawn on Tuesday, October 7, 2014.

Here are more details on the First Prize: **ESCAPE TO EDMONTON!**

- **Return Trip for Two People to Any Scheduled WestJet Airlines Destination! They will be two round trip flight vouchers which can be used for any WestJet destination. The pair are valued at \$2,800. Certain restrictions apply on usage ie. Redemption seats may not be available on all flights as load restrictions and blackouts may apply. Vouchers are fully transferrable, but have no cash value. It can be used independent of the rest of the prize. (Value up to \$2,800)**
- **1 Night DoubleTree by Hilton West Edmonton & 2 Tickets Mayfield Dinner Theatre (Value \$399)**
- **1 Night Stay for Two at Newly Opened Home2 Suites by Hilton West (Value \$160)**
- **West Edmonton Mall Gift Basket (Value \$150) & Keg Steakhouse & Bar Gift Card (Value \$100)**
- **Telus World of Science Passes (Value \$87) & Devonian Botanic Garden Passes (Value \$59)**
- **City of Edmonton Muttart Conservatory Botanical Gardens Family Admission Pass (Value \$37)**



TOTAL 1st PRIZE VALUE: \$3,792!

- **2nd Prize– Epicure Selections by Mark Segstro - Cookware & Food Products (Value \$501)**
- **3rd & 4th Prizes– Kid's Stuff: Plasma Car, Museum of Nature, Sylvan Learning & Toys (Value \$469 ea.)**
- **5th & 6th Prizes – 2015 Executive Golf Pass, Speedy Auto OLF & AVON Gift Basket (Value \$432 ea.)**
- **7th Prize – Handcrafted, Contemporary Design, Original Pure Wool Blanket (Value \$400)**

(See Sample Ticket on Page 23 for Prize Numbers 8-19!)

Our Raffle offers:

Tickets \$2 each, 3 for \$5 or a book of 12 for \$20!

19 Draws with Prizes worth a total of \$8,777!

Maximum 5,000 tickets sold

**For more information, do not hesitate to contact us at the office, 741-8255,
or by email, car@childrenatrisk.ca.**

Brenda Reisch, Fundraising Chairperson, cell 261-4442



Volunteer Spotlight



Angels do not always come in the form of ethereal beings with wings – sometimes they appear in the form of caring and loving grandmothers Nell Pocock is one of those Angels!

Nell is a very important part of the lives of her daughter's two ASD boys. But in addition, Children at Risk has been blessed with her help many times! Nell has volunteered at Events as well as helping with mailings and other admin duties in our Offices.

She even pulls in her husband, Bill, to give us those “helping hands” we spoke of earlier! Most recently, we saw her every morning, bright and early, at Camp as she came in to get coffee going and rooms open before Counsellors and Campers arrived!!

Nell is quickly becoming an important part of the Children at Risk family - yet when we tell her how grateful we are for her assistance, all we get is “It’s no trouble”!

Thank-you, Nell!



Ingredients

- 1 (6-ounce) package semisweet chocolate chips (1 cup)
- 2 cups chow mein noodles
- 1/4 cup Red Hots or red mini M&Ms

How to make it

1. Line 2 baking sheets with wax paper or parchment.
2. Put the chocolate chips in a microwave-safe bowl, and melt the chocolate in the microwave: Heat on high for 60 seconds, and then stir well. If it’s not quite smooth, continue to heat in two or three 10-second bursts, stirring well after each burst (Alternatively, you can melt the chocolate, stirring frequently, in a double boiler; over just-simmering water. Avoid overheating, which can cause chocolate to seize up into a stiff mass.)
3. Stir the chow mein noodles into the melted chocolate and drop the mixture by tablespoons onto the prepared baking sheets, Press 2 red candies onto one edge of each cluster to make eyes and lift a few chow mein legs up to give a spidery impression, Refrigerate to cool and harden, about 20 minutes, and serve chilled, Store in an airtight container in the refrigerator for up to 1 week

From Reader’s Digest www.rd.com

COMMUNITY OUTREACH

1) In our June Newsletter, we informed readers of **Jim Keay Ford Lincoln** (www.jimkeayford.com) in Orleans choosing Children at Risk to donate **\$5 for every returned customer satisfaction survey** they receive. Camp Counsellor Jenna Aucoin put forward our charity and we were thrilled to receive a cheque for **\$660** – representing over 130 customers! Many thanks to both Jim Keay for this charitably minded initiative – and to their Customers for their participation!



2) Another lovely surprise to come in the mail this summer was a cheque for **\$250** from Chiquicuts Kids Hair Salon www.chiquicuts.com! Owner and Parent Nedelka Marin-Martinez held an event inviting



Members of the Capital City Garrison, a Chapter of the 501st Legion, to attend wearing their Film-Authentic Star Wars Costumes, donating their time and directing monies to Children at Risk! Chiquicuts offers services exclusively to children, so if you live in the mid-west central area of town – check them out and make sure to thank them for this community-minded gesture!



COMMUNITY OUTREACH (Cont'd)

3) For the 2nd year, Parent **Marco Petti** organized a **Bocce Tournament** with friends and family and generously raised **\$200** for Children at Risk! Please join us in thanking Farmer's Pick www.farmerspick.ca for their donation of an entire Prosciutto as a Prize for the Winners!



4) **Preceptor Alpha Theta** is a Preceptor Chapter www.preceptoralphathetabsp.webs.com of Ottawa Beta Sigma Phi, an international women's friendship network. Currently with a Membership of 9 women, they raise funds through small projects throughout the year and vote to select a charity that focuses on helping women, family or children to donate the proceeds to. Treasurer Shaundra Mitchener recently mailed Children at Risk a donation of **\$70!**



COMMUNITY OUTREACH (Cont'd)

5) A HELPING HAND



Kathleen O'Grady let us know that her son, Aidan, wanted to help Children at Risk (and his ASD brother, Casey) by setting up a lemonade stand this summer.

We were honoured to receive \$28.75 for this wonderful community effort! Thank-You, Aidan!!

DONOR SPOTLIGHT

UNITED WAY GIFTS-IN-KIND



United Way

Although it does not receive the same billing – Children at Risk is one of many local charities who are so very fortunate to have access to the Gifts in-Kind program. Run through the Rideau-Rockcliffe Community Resource Centre (conveniently located in our building at 235 Donald Street!), this program matches identified needs for goods and services at community organizations with people and corporations who are able to help, offering a unique opportunity to participate in building a stronger community. By receiving items through Gifts in-Kind, community organizations can focus on providing improved services that directly benefit their clients. Children at Risk recently received donations of new clothing, couches for Camp and several beautiful bookshelves to better organize our office space!

Examples of new or gently used goods can include:

- Tickets to sports events and concerts
- Office supplies and equipment
- Computer hardware
- Furniture suitable for home or office use
- Appliances
- Recreational and sports equipment

To make a donation today, please contact:
Bonnie Wepler, (613) 745-0073 X 110,
Gifts.InKindProgram@crcrr.org

UNITED WAY/CENTRAIDE OTTAWA CAMPAIGN INFO

As this year's campaign kicks off, we wanted to remind everyone that charitable donations through United Way can be directed to your charity of choice, whether they are a United Way charity or not. We welcome the direction of your contribution to Children at Risk to support the services and programs we provide for families raising a child with Autism! This way you can contribute to a workplace campaign and support Autism, as well! Specifically, you need to list:

Name: Children at Risk –Ottawa. Revenue Canada Charitable Registration Number: 10691/3775/RR/0001

While CAR does not receive direct funding from United Way, our last bi-annual cheque from these directed contributions was over **\$5,551.80!** The importance of these donations cannot be overstated – as our charity does not receive government funding, directed donations like this are so much needed. If you have any questions or require additional information, do not hesitate to contact our office! ***Please note that when donations are received this way, the donors are not identified***. Feel free to let us know if you have contributed to our charity in this manner and accept our sincere appreciation for those who remain supportive, but anonymous!

ENTERTAINMENT COUPON BOOKS



They are BACK! Children at Risk now has for sale the 2014/2015 **Entertainment Coupon Book at only \$35 each!** Books can be obtained through our offices or from locations for Centrepointe parents from Merle Hagerman at 613-226-4982. East end or Tunney's Pasture buyers can call Brenda

Desjardins at 613-618-0116. They make great stocking-stuffers and gifts for those "hard-to-buy-for" friends and relatives! We will not be selling the Books in the Quickie convenience stores this year due to slower sales and effort to deliver/pick up books but can happily add that we will be receiving a \$500 donation from Quickie! New options include on-line purchases to be credited to Children at Risk, credit card payments, apps on your mobile device for instant, country-wide discounts, links that can be set up for you to help CAR sell books to your friends, etc. Check out more details on www.childrenatrisk.ca or call us at 614-741-8255.



FRIDAY FAMILY FUN NIGHT

Children at Risk is so very excited to offer a NEW Support for the Autism Community!



Community
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of Ottawa

Courtesy of Funding from **The Community Foundation of Ottawa**, we are rolling out a Program called “Friday Family Fun Night” – this is the name your children will know it by – BUT for you – our Parents – we are calling it “Date Night” for Mom and Dad or “Me Night” for Single-Parent Families!

Responding to our Parents (and supported by Research), Respite seems to be at the top of the list for critically-needed supports. But not just a break from your ASD child – but from ALL your children!! Go to Dinner, see a Movie, Visit friends, Shop or Attend a Party (Christmas is coming!) – or even just complete a Project – undistracted and uninterrupted!! No need to clean your house for a Baby-sitter – just drop off your children at our Offices – and enjoy up to 4 ½ hours of purely Adult time!

Activities include playing games in the gym, Nerf games, Wii, Kinect, making snacks, a movie for those that can sit through one. There will be Dedicated staff for both Siblings and those with ASD. 6 p.m. to 10.30 p.m.

WHEN: Fridays from 6 – 10:30 PM – September 26, November 7, December 5 & December 19, 2014 (more dates in 2015 coming!)

WHERE: Children at Risk, 235 Donald Street, Suite 209

WHY: Opportunity to offer Respite for your ASD child (ages 4-17+) and Siblings (ages 3-12). We will have Gym games, scavenger hunt style games, glow in the dark activities for the first two hours and then settled down to a movie. There will be two movie options, one in each room to cater to age preferences rather than ASD vs NT. For those that can't watch a movie there would be more Gym activities or crafts. We will offer snacks, but do request that your children have dinner before arriving!

HOW: Cost is \$30 for each ASD child and \$15 for each Sibling. If your ASD child has not attended our Summer Camp or Saturday Fun Club, we will need to arrange an Intake Meeting to properly document their needs. Please check our Website at www.childrenatrisk.ca to complete the Registration and Email back or Fax. **Space is limited, as this is a trial support.** Booking and Payment will be required in advance – though we may be able to accommodate last minute registrations depending on demand.

A current Children at Risk Membership (\$30 per annum) will also be required for Insurance Liability purposes.



Saturday Fun Club

"Making Saturdays the best day of the week" for ASD Kids and Parents! Divided into groups based on age and functionality everyone has their own "Buddy" to enjoy all the activities either as a 1:1 or as part of a group. Activities include but are not restricted to - Gym games and free play on Plasma cars, scooters and our new F3 & F5 scooters, scavenger hunts, Nerf games of cops and robbers, baking & cooking, Mad science, crafts and outside activities weather permitting. Five hours of fun for the kids and 5 hours of a break for parents.

For more info and to get a Registration Form, go to www.childrenatrisk.ca or call our offices at 613-741-8255.

- What:** Saturday Fun Club for ASD children ages 4 to 18+ years of age.
- Where:** Children At Risk, suite 209, 235 Donald Street, Ottawa.
- When:** October 4, 18, November 1, 15, 29 & December 13, 2014
- Duration:** 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. – Lunch & Snacks required from home
- Cost:** \$50 each session – payable in advance to guarantee sessions.



Acknowledging Unity for Autism Foundation for their support.

MEET KAT!



Hi, my name is Katherine "Kat" Legros. I am a fourth year Carleton University student completing my Bachelor of Social Work. As part of my degree requirements I must complete a full time placement from the months of September to December. I was very lucky to have been accepted at Children at Risk's first university placement student! During my time at Children at Risk I will be shadowing Brenda and Bambina as well as helping out with the various activities and programs CAR offers such as fundraising events, Friday Family Fun Night and Saturday Fun Club. I must say now that after I graduate any supervisors I will have in the future will have big shoes to fill after working by the side with these two ladies. Before coming to Ottawa to complete my BSW at Carleton, I graduated with high honours from the Social Service Worker Program at St-Lawrence College in my hometown of Cornwall. It is during this time that I found a passion for working with children and social work itself! If you happen to see me at an event or at CAR, please do not be shy to say hello, I love meeting the families and individuals who make CAR such an amazing charity!

(Executive Director and Office Administrator`s note: ``We think WE are the lucky ones!``)

Camp Kaleidoscope

CAMP KALEIDOSCOPE 2014

- 5 Weeks of all-Day Summer Camp for children with Autism
- Average of 57 Campers per Week
- Increase in weekly Camp Spots (again!) by almost 24% from 2013 (2011-89 Spots) (2012-146 Spots) (2013 -230 Spots) (2014-284 Spots)
- Cost of Camp subsidized almost 1/2 by funding
- 70+ Staff & Volunteers per Week
- Ages of Campers from 4 to 23
- Children in 9 Rooms (from 4 in 2013!), broken down by age & level of functionality: Children, Tweens, Teens+
- Requests for spots from Support Organizations like:
 - Max Keeping Foundation
 - Ontario Children's Funding Special Services at Home
 - Service Coordination of Ottawa
 - Children's Aid Society
 - Group Homes
- Weekly Outings included:
 - Trips to Swimming Pool (increased this year due to ability to walk)
 - Weekly outings to venues like Saunder's Farm, Museums, Dows Lake Boating, Karter's Korner's Go-carts, Monkey Around, Arnprior Fair, Papanack Zoo, Mont Cascades
- Unable to accommodate several additional requests for the last weeks of Camp

2014 CAMP TESTIMONIALS

“James and I would like to thank everybody involved in the association Children at Risk. This wonderful association has brought so much to us and our daughter Alexa. This summer Alexa was able to take part in the Kaleidoscope summer Camp; she enjoyed herself tremendously in a safe and understanding environment. The staff of Children at Risk are truly dedicated individuals. Thank you for being such a wonderful and caring place for Alexa to learn and meet children. The gently nurturing, caring, way your staff has connected with the kids is astonishing. We know that Alexa has had a wonderful during her summer camps and she want to go again next year. We don't think she could have ever had better setting to hone her social skills. We know that the Children at Risk and the Kaleidoscope summer camp have been an amazing opportunity for Alexa to grow and acquire new social skills. You have always had Alexa's best interest at heart and you always gave her all the attention she required and every possible opportunity to develop to her full potential. For that we are truly grateful. Thank you again, from the bottom of our hearts, for being so caring and providing dedicated care for our little girl.” Diane & James

“Thank you so much for making our son's summer, once again. He has been going now for 4 years, loves it and so looks forward to it each year. This year he had only chosen 2 weeks for some reason, perhaps thinking he was too old... by the second week he was telling us he should have chosen more! You kindly accommodated him, thankfully, and he was so very excited. Once again, Camp Kaleidoscope goes above & beyond, to make all campers feel welcome, no one feels left out. Your staff & volunteers are exceptional as usual. You should all be very proud of your Camp, no other like it. We wish to thank all the people behind the scene, who have such magnificent hearts, and so generously provide the funding for this Camp! We are so grateful to have the Kings Sons & Daughters so willingly helping towards this very exciting and wonderful Camp for Our Children with ASD. Also to Brenda, Bambina, Hazel and all others who work so hard all year long to make this a reality, bless you. Camp K is a blessing for all the campers and a lovely respite for the family.” The Mitchells

“We have a son who at age three was diagnosed as being on the autism spectrum. Every year we are faced with trying to find suitable camps for him during the summer. We now see that the early years seemed to have been easy in comparison to finding care for a 15 year old. There seems to be very few summer camp experiences for teens on the spectrum that offer a rich learning environment combined with a ton of fun. My son participated in a Children at Risk summer camp called Camp Kaleidoscope. It was an exceptional experience for our son and one that we hope he can re-experience next year. My son loved all of the activities and as a parent I appreciated the high ratio of camper to staff and the high level of organization that held all of the moving parts together. “ Marlene

“The respite programs that CAR provides are a much needed service for our family. Not only does it immerse our autistic child into social activities, but, as important, it provides us (his parents) with a much needed break from the everyday struggles we face trying to raise our challenged child. Without this and similar programs (summer camp) provided by CAR, we would most probably have lost our sanity a long time ago. Needless to say, we consider the services and programs provided by CAR to be essential to us, and we hope that these services can be expanded as time goes by.” Gunter

“My daughter, Holly, attended 2 weeks of camp this summer. Given her behavioural challenges over the past several years, it has become increasingly difficult to find appropriate camps for her to attend over the summer. Camp Kaleidoscope was able to take Holly and provide a great experience for her over those two weeks. This allowed my wife and I to go to work without any worries that our daughter would misbehave or have challenges that camp staff could not handle. Holly looked forward to going to camp every morning and we never had any difficulty at drop-off or throughout the day. This is a great program that benefits many children like Holly. We thank you and the staff for all your hard work and dedication to make this camp the success that it is!” Mark

2014 CAMP TESTIMONIALS (Cont'd)

“Once again our sons attended Camp Kaleidoscope. Just like last year, they were able to participate in activities like they would at camps for typical peers, but with 1:1 support. The camp is staffed by experienced and caring people. Because of Camp Kaleidoscope, I am able to work during the summer, keeping my employment. For donors, you can offset the cost of the required 1:1 support right now by contributing to Camp Kaleidoscope. So that more parents -- particularly mothers -- can be in the work force. And more children can have access to the great experiences the Ottawa region has to offer! **Thank you Camp Kaleidoscope!**” Marie

“Camp Kaleidoscope is truly a god-send for our family - in particular, our son. We feel that this is due to their unique ability to cater to the very specific needs of autistic campers as well as their year over year consistency. Allow me to explain: Over lifespan, our son has attended other camps with 1:1 well-qualified assistance. Even with supports, he was unable to thrive in that setting. He would typically come home crying, asking to never return again. By contrast, at Camp Kaleidoscope, our son is thriving because of the carefully selected supports implemented for him and the excellent staff. He happily tries new things, goes out into the community, and comes home talking about his awesome day - while he helps out with supper. He's having fun and learning a little along the way. Wow! What a difference!

As you can imagine, his success at camp has a ripple effect throughout our household. It allows us as parents to de-stress and reconnect. It affords time and energy to focus on our other child, our aging parents, our careers, our own health... And the list could go on and on. We can even make plans - something that was a foreign concept in the past. I think my neighbour summed it up nicely: *'It's so wonderful that he's so happy. With all the extra burdens he has to bear, he deserves to have some fun sometimes too - the same as other kids. ...I'm so glad you found a camp that he enjoys - you all look so relaxed.'* Catarina

Camp Kaleidoscope

Please join me in acknowledging our 2014 Camp Sponsors:



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THANK YOU'S



“The Michael Bublé concert was fantastic! Thank you! I really enjoyed myself.” *Joanne*

“THANK YOU SO MUCH!! A girls night out to see Michel Bublé is just what I needed! He is such an entertaining and uplifting performer. I have been humming his songs all day. We so very much appreciate the ticket donation from The Ottawa Senators Foundation and to Children at Risk for the coordination of the draw and distribution. You both make such a difference in people's lives in so many ways. We love that we get to support such great charities and love the extra perks that come with it too :) Thanks again for such an incredible evening out!!” *Michelle*

“A huge Thank You to Children at Risk!!!! for the tickets to see Michael Bublé. The concert was amazing, what a showman!!! We were glued to our seats, it was a packed house!!! Jazmine absolutely loved his show as did I, what an incredible night!!!! Thank you, Thank you. I have attached a picture of Jazmine that I took at the concert. Sincerely,” *Judith*

“Paul and I greatly enjoyed the "intimate" evening we and friends shared with the personable Michael Bublé (and a few thousand others at the Canadian Tire Centre ☺). His performance, combined with that of the opening act, Naturally Seven, had us singing along and dancing at our seats. It was truly one of the best feel-good concerts we've ever attended.” *Sandy & Paul*

“Thank you so much for the opportunity to see Michael Bublé this past summer. The show was fantastic - his voice is like velvet and he connects with the audience on a personal and fun level. Opening act, Naturally 7, are always a treat to see. Our seats were perfect and it made for a lovely evening out. Thank you!” *Jenny*



“Thanks for the tickets to the WWE SmackDown Wrestling – here is a pic - Nate is having so much fun:)”
Kara



HYDRO OTTAWA SPECIAL NEEDS PARTY



“Thank you so much for the wonderful day at the Fair this summer, which you so kindly offered free rides to the Children @ Risk Families, among other groups! All your staff & volunteers, were so kind & welcoming to our kids. It was a rainy, overcast day, but you all lit up the faces of so many with different abilities.

A Special thank you to everyone who made this possible. I truly believe the staff & volunteers were just as happy watching our children, youth & Young Adults laugh and sing on those rides. What wonderful hearts you all have. Thank you CAR, for picking this family to be a part of the fair day!!” *The Mitchells*

LOCAL FAMILY TURNS BOOK TO MOVIE Submitted by Lorraine Amyot

"Teach Me I Can Learn" is the story of Lorena, a child with developmental disabilities and the challenges her family faces in addressing her right to a proper education. In the movie Lorena who has Down syndrome was locked out of her neighbourhood school because of her disability.

In 2010, Canada ratified the United Nations convention on the rights of persons with disabilities and now all children must now be integrated into a neighbourhood school. Canada also agreed to repeal any laws that discriminated against our children; however the Education Act of Ontario continues to describe our children with developmental disabilities (DD) as having an "inability to profit from a special education".


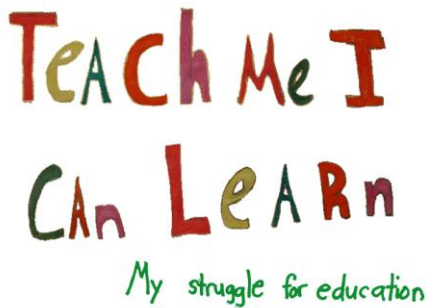
It is our hope the movie will move people to understand and support our desire to include our children and people with disabilities to be educated and become known as part of their communities. We would like to offer you an opportunity to submit your photos, biographies, news clippings etc. about inclusion to timecapsule@teachmeicanlearn.com or see the website for more details.

We are proud to announce the second edition book has been completed, the movie script is in development, we have a production company and we are currently raising funds to produce the movie.

Coming soon -
a movie

Teach Me I Can Learn

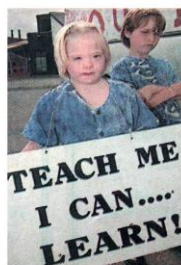
My struggle for education



By Stephanie Haines
Story by Lorraine Amyot

Teach Me I Can Learn

Inspired by a true story



"Marie closed her eyes and said a silent prayer. Edward glanced over and reached for her hand, praying as well for what both of them wanted so desperately. A parent's greatest gift – to know that their child is happy and successful; for Lorena to someday make her way to self-sufficiency and be able to work and play and love like anyone else."

A moving, unconventional drama based on true events, "Teach Me I Can Learn" is about a child with Down syndrome who gets discriminated against for her disability. When the school she attends locks its doors, refusing to let her attend, her mother decides that enough is enough.

Find out why Lorena is the first child in her School Board to be integrated and appropriately accommodated in her home high school.

teachmeicanlearn.com.

There will be a book launch on October 18 at the Delta Ottawa City Center between 1 and 4 p.m. Sales of book will go toward the making of the movie. Also a large fundraising kick off is scheduled for the Bronson Center on November 1 between 1 and 5 p.m. This event will include live entertainment, a silent auction and announcements from the producers.

This is a once in a lifetime opportunity to be a part of producing a movie that will be unforgettable for generations to come.

For more information please follow us on facebook: <http://facebook.com/teachmeicanlearn> or go to our website: <http://teachmeicanlearn.com>. You can also contact us directly at: <mailto:info@teachmeicanlearn.com>.

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NINETEENTH ANNUAL RAFFLE WINNERS – June 8, 2014

PRIZE	NAME	TICKET #
#1 – Toronto Trip – VIA Rail, TownePlace Suites, Hockey Hall of Fame Art Gallery Ontario & Books	David Roytenberg	2539
#2- Executive Golf, Tops Car Wash, Kevin’s Auto & New Edinburgh Pub	Jane Arbique	3845
#3- Executive Golf, Tops Car Wash, Kevin’s Auto & New Edinburgh Pub	Megan Schooley	1505
#4- Handcrafted Quilt	Christine Martell	0044
#5- Epicure Extravaganza	Eric Sanmur	2161
#6- Sens Package – 2 Club Sets, 2 Ottawa Senators Hats & Keg Steakhouse	Marilyn Kliza	2708
#7- Sens Package – 2 Club Sets, 2 Ottawa Senators Hats & Keg Steakhouse	Trudi-Ann Herman	6216
#8- Golf Package – Stonebridge, Red Book, La Porto, Golf Pencil & Mugs	Karen Maher	27387
#9- Kid’s Package – Sylvan Learning, Kiddie Kobbler & Schleich Toys	Walter Davidson	0368
#10- Kid’s Package – Sylvan Learning, Kiddie Kobbler & Schleich Toys	Jen Whitney	1242
#11- Kid’s Package – Sylvan Learning, Kiddie Kobbler & Schleich Toys	Joan Wiggins	6258
#12- Photos By Jerome & Assorted Picture Frames	John Beauchamp	0859
#13- Health Dynamics Certificate, Stampin’ Up, Whispers Fajitas & Gift Basket	Nanda Wubs	1967
#14- Health Dynamics Certificate, Stampin’ Up, Whispers Fajitas & Gift Basket	Pam Wainwright	2012
#15- Urban Element Cooking Class, Pampered Chef & Cooking Accessories	Brenda Khoury	0159
#16- Family Fun – Crowne Plaza, Children’s Swim Gear & Mont Cascades	Stephanie Pocock	4034
#17- Delta Ottawa City Centre Hotel & Ottawa Fury FC Soccer for 4	Maria Demers	2994
#18- 4 Hand-Crafted Cedar Flower Boxes	Jeff Snider	5948
#19- Museums History/ War & Nature, Swim Passes, Imax, Cosmic, Skyzone	Liz Schissler	3937
#20- Museums History/ War & Nature, Swim Passes, Imax, Cosmic, Skyzone	Mary McDonald	2450
#21- Senior Tours Travel, Entertainment Coupon Books & Emerald Buffet	Matt Thibault	4897
#22- Richmond Beauty, Versailles, Spahara, Hummingbird, Mary K, Capones	Jordan Renwick	2865
#23- Sens Package – 2-3 rd Level Seats, 2 Sens Hats & Rockin’ Johnny’s Diner	Amy Wilson	3071
#24- Sens Package – 2-3 rd Level Seats, 2 Sens Hats & Rockin’ Johnny’s Diner	Brenda Freije	2958
#25- Pflug Optical Certificate & Pocco Pazzo Italian Eatery	Judith Starkey	3168
#26- Carlingwood Shopping Centre Gift Card & Key To The City Card	Feyza Celik	1043
#27- Carlingwood Shopping Centre Gift Card & Key To The City Card	Amanda Telford	4685
#28- UPS Store Hunt Club Gift Certificate	Priscilla Neill	3220

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL OUR WINNERS!

Children at Risk 2014 Raffle Ticket Sample

CHILDREN AT RISK:
2014 FALL RAFFLE
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 Supports for Families and
 Children with Autism
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- West Edmonton Mall Gift Basket (Value \$150) & Keg Steakhouse & Bar Gift Card (Value \$100)
- Telus World of Science Passes (Value \$87) & Devonian Botanic Garden Passes (Value \$59)
- City of Edmonton Muttart Conservatory Botanical Gardens Family Admission Pass (Value \$37)

TOTAL 1ST PRIZE VALUE: \$3,792!

- 2nd Prize**– Epicure Selections by Mark Segstro - Cookware & Food Products (Value \$501)
- 3rd & 4th Prizes**– Kid's Stuff: Plasma Car, Museum of Nature, Sylvan Learning & Toys (Value \$469 ea.)
- 5th & 6th Prizes** – 2015 Executive Golf Pass, Speedy Auto OLF & AVON Gift Basket (Value \$432 ea.)
- 7th Prize** – Handcrafted, Contemporary Design, Original Pure Wool Blanket (Value \$400)
- 8th**–Molnar Painting Custom Room Paint & Canadian Tire Gift Card (Value \$395)
- 9th** – Toronto Trip - AVIS Weekend Car Rental, Science Centre & CN Tower Passes,
 Opal Carew Books & MoonEnergy Bookmark (Value \$348)
- 10th**–Rainbow Rainmate Air Purifier & Core Sports/Manuel Physiotherapy Massage (Value \$340)
- 11th**– Best Western Plus Ottawa City Centre Weekend Stay & Kanata Theatre Tickets (Value \$339)
- 12th**– 2 Ottawa Senators Club Seat Tickets & Sens Fan Memorabilia Package (Value \$260)
- 13th & 14th** – 2 Ottawa Senators 300 Level Tickets & Don Cherry's Certificate (Value \$116 ea.)
- 15th** - Frisby Tire & National Gallery (Value \$94) **16th** – Science, Agriculture & Aviation (Value \$90)
- 17th**– Girard Foods Certificate, Sarah McLachlan Cookbook & Home Living Cheese Tray (Value \$79)
- 18th** -Karter's Korner Golf & Boston Pizza (Value \$55) **19th**–Carlingwood Shopping Centre (Value \$50)

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