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BOWL FOR KIDS SAKE 2023 THANK YOU FOR IGNITING POTENTIAL FOR ISLAND YOUTH!

Bowl for Kids Sake is such an important community fundraiser for Big Brothers Big Sisters of Prince Edward Island. We can't thank everyone who participated enough for raising funds to ignite the power potential of Island Kids. Bowl for Kids Sake 2023 was a huge success! We would like to thank all of the participants, sponsors and volunteers who **helped raise more than \$100,000!!**



Charlottetown raised \$63,427



North Rustico raised \$2910



Summerside raised \$16,562



AIR CANADA AND SUPERSTAR PRIZE DRAWS



Congratulations to the big winner of our Air Canada Draw, **Linda Nowlan!** She won 2 Economy Class tickets valid for travel to any Air Canada scheduled destination in North America including Hawaii, Mexico & the Caribbean. A huge thank you goes out to the Air Canada Foundation for their continued support over the years.

Kitchen Prize (sponsored by Township Chevrolet Buick GMC): 10 piece set of stainless steel Paderno cookware, 13-piece Sabatier Edgekeeper forged knife set with knife block and a Paderno bamboo cutting board (\$1200 value) – won by **Karen MacMillan, Exit Realty.**

Groceries, Gas & Goodies: \$200 Grocery Gift Card, \$100 Gas Card & a Belly Bliss Gift Basket from Anne of Green Gables Chocolates – won by **St Eleanor's Lions Club.**

Outdoor Adventure Prize: 2 BBBSPEI Cooler Stools, a BBBSPEI Trunk Organizer, a \$100 Gas Card, a Northumberland Ferries Pass and a Prince Edward Island National Park Pass – won by **Maximus Canada DeltaWare Division.**

Garden Prize: A Love Shack Birdhouse made by Harbourview Training Center, \$100 Kool Breeze Farm Gift Card, \$50 Veseys Seeds Gift Card, and a bag of birdseed – won by **Bonnie MacDonald, Master Packaging.**



RAFFLE PRIZES:

First prize: Custom-made Beach Cooker created by the Holland College Georgetown Welding Class was won by **Sister Emily Walsh.**

Second prize: Handmade Quilt was won by **Gerald O'Meara.**

Third prize: Handcrafted bench created by Harbourview Training Centre and sponsored by Budley's Restaurant was won by **Katie Dowling**



TEAM FUNDRAISING PRIZES

1st Prize: FireWorks Feast for 2 at The Inn at Bay Fortune – **Master Packaging**

2nd Prize: Show & Shine Detailing Package donated by Summerside Toyota – **Malpeque Bay Provincial Credit Union**

3rd Prize: Pressure Washer donated by Kent Building Supplies Summerside – **Kid Hub**

Matchmakers Draw: Weber Spirit E-315 3-Burner Propane Gas BBQ from The Charlottetown Home Depot - **Brown's Volkswagen**

Top Online Fundraiser: a Delta Prince Edward Stacation was won by **Linda Nowlan!**

OTHER PRIZES

Team Captain Thank-you Draw: Dinner for 4 in the Taproom donated by Upstreet Craft Brewery - **Ben Coles** from Carr, Stevenson & MacKay Law.

Beat the Deadline: Northumberland Ferries Pass, a BBBSPEI Trunk Organizer & blanket - **Cathy Campbell** of Community Connections.

Open to Win: \$100 Budley's Restaurant Gift Card was won by **Lillian Gauthier** of QEH Clean Sweeps.



INDIVIDUAL FUNDRAISING PRIZES

Top Individual Fundraiser: \$500 Travel credit donated by VIA Rail Canada – **Linda Nowlan**

2nd Place Individual Fundraiser: Heirloom quality, end-grain butcher block donated by Winter River Wood Customs & a Wooden Planter from Inclusions East – **Bonnie MacDonald**

3rd Place Fundraiser: 2 Tickets to any 2023 Charlottetown Festival Show donated by Confederation Centre of the Arts - **David Ford**



First Team to Register: **Lynn O'Neill's Lucky Charms team**

Best Team Name: was "Dublin Our Luck" - **Spring Valley Building Supplies.**

Runner Up: was "Paddy Whackers" won by **Cheryl Ramsay's team.**

Best Team Costume: **Peter Gallant's team** the "Lucky Hookers" won the brick of 8 hot sauces from Maritime Madness.

Runner Up: \$50 Owls Hollow Gift Card was won by the **Hernewood School/CUPE Leprechauns**

YOU CAN'T HAVE A GREAT PARTY WITHOUT SOME GREAT TREATS!



Our Bowl for Kids Sake Event hosts more than 1000 keen fundraisers at 3 Thank You Events across PEI. That's a lot of logistics for our Food Sponsor **Tim Hortons**! The muffins, tim bits and cookies were enjoyed by all! We really can't thank Tim Hortons enough for their ongoing support!

BOWL FOR KIDS SAKE IMPACT



By supporting Bowl for Kids Sake, you enable life-changing mentoring relationships that ignite the power and potential of Island youth. You help provide mentors for youth who face adversity and who are in need of an additional consistent and supportive developmental relationship. Mentors challenge growth, provide support, expand possibilities and empower youth to succeed. Our vision is that all young people reach their full potential.

BOWLING ALLEY THANK YOU

Hosting a Bowl for Kids Sake event is a huge undertaking! We couldn't have thrown such fun St. Patrick's Day themed Thank You parties without the help of the staff and management of the bowling lanes who host us! We want to thank:

Elliot Doirion, **North Rustico Lions Club Bowling Lanes** (and the staff of the Club) Mike O'Connor and Curtis Preston and the staff of **The Alley, Murphy's Pharmacies Community Centre**, and Olivier Pagni and the staff of **The Lanes at Credit Union Place**.



MATCHMAKER'S CLUB

Our Bowl for Kids Sake Matchmaker members are so awesome! They have each raised \$1200 (or more), which is what it costs to make a brand new match. What an achievement!

Individual Matchmakers:

Linda Nowlan - \$6460
Bonnie MacDonald - \$3450
David Ford - \$1275
Shirley Broderick - \$1200

Team Matchmakers:

- Master Packaging - \$9890
- Malpeque Bay Provincial Credit Union - \$5525
- Kid Hub - \$2774.87
- Kiwanis Club of Charlottetown & 60 Squadron Cadets - \$2470
- Maximus Canada DeltaWare Division - \$2540
- Brown's Volkswagen - \$2000
- David Ford & Friends - \$1980
- Stratford Youth Centre Centre - \$1750
- EMCO - \$1670
- The Gray Group teams - \$1656
- Jared Clow's Pin Richards - \$1635
- Community Connections - \$1597
- Charlottetown Provincial Credit Union - \$1560
- Social Development, Housing & Child Services teams - \$1535
- MRSB Group - \$1525
- Action Aero - \$1492.32
- Shoppers Drug Mart Summerside - \$1480
- Hernewood School - \$1463
- Old Navy - \$1460
- Invesco teams - \$1385
- Exit Realty - \$1380
- A.M Financial Matters - \$1370
- Cox & Palmer - \$1366
- Marlee Gregory & Friends - \$1300
- Maritime Electric - \$1260
- Parkdale Sherwood Lions Club - \$1200



SUPERSTAR PRIZES AND RAISE & WIN SPONSORS



We can never thank our Bowl for Kids Sake Fundraisers enough, but we can try by offering really nice prizes for everything from fundraising to team costumes. We are able to provide great Superstar prizes as well as hand-crafted birdhouses, birdfeeders, garden decorations and Raspberry Cordial Soap created by **Harbourview Training Centre**, **Inclusions East**, and **The REACH Foundation**. We are able to provide such amazing prizes because of the support of some incredible local businesses including:

Air Canada Foundation
Anne of Green Gables Chocolates
Aqua Bounty Canada
Atlantic Superstore Charlottetown
Bell Aliant
Budley's Restaurant
Cavendish Farms
Century 21 Colonial Realty
Ching Brothers Inc.
City of Charlottetown
Confederation Centre of the Arts
Delta Prince Edward by Marriott
FedEx
Holland College Georgetown -
Welding Class
Kent Building Supplies -Summerside

Maritime Electric
Maritime Madness
Maritime Marine Supply
Northumberland Ferries Ltd.
Owls Hollow
PEI Mutual Insurance Company
Prince Edward Aqua Farms Inc.
Provincial Credit Union
Summerside Toyota
The Home Depot
The Inn at Bay Fortune
Township Chevrolet Buick GMC
UPEI Student Union
Upstreet Craft Brewery
VIA Rail
Winter River Wood Customs



EVENT VOLUNTEERS

Bowl for Kids Sake really is an enormous undertaking for our small staff. We would not be able to hold such a successful event without the help of our amazing volunteers! This year's volunteers include:



Alan & Albert Siby, Alister Compton, Amanda Creamer, Amerah Rahman, Ben Proctor, Carla Moore, Deanelle Magbanua, Edna Nino-Esparza, Erin Arsenault, Fazal Malik, Gary Conohan, Ginny Jin, Haley McKenna, Harper Hippenstall, Hayden Hardy, Irene Johnston & Logan, Janet Soley, Jenna Smith, Jessica Mutch, Kyle Arsenault, Lauren MacLean, Levi Tocjayao, Linda Hicken, Lisa Doyle-MacBain, Margaret Curtis, Margaret Dawson, Marie Lavle, Michele Vloet-Miller, Nancy Hood, Nancy Oldershaw, Nathalie Koha, Pam & Pat Murray, Santanna Williams, Sue Pollard, Tracy Lynn Ellsworth and Corey, Michelle, Patsy and Paula.

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