

# Please Join Us!



Dear Friend of Rotary,

As a successful businessperson and a vital part of your community, you know that it's important to regularly show support for the residents and businesses who support you. As Rotarians, we commit to Service Above Self and also look for ways to give back to the communities where we live and work and that have helped fuel our success.

One of the ways that we raise funds to support our causes is through fundraising events. Our major annual event is a fundraising dinner and auction called "Bidding & Blarney II" and is coming up on Saturday, March 16, 2019 at the Double Tree by Hilton.

Our goal this year is to raise \$100,000 and we're hoping that we can count on you to assist. You can provide support by:

- 🍀 donating a live or silent auction item,
- becoming a sponsor, and/or
- purchasing a ticket for the event (\$150 each or table of 8 for \$1,200) online at stalbertrotary.com or by completing a ticket order form

Thanks to the generosity of supporters such as you, we are able to use these funds to assist people locally and internationally. We are also extremely proud to say that 100% of the money contributed is given to charitable causes with no administration fees taken so **every last dollar goes to where it is needed**.

As a public appreciation for your support, a sponsorship recognition program has been developed that will provide recognition for you and your company. Please see the Sponsorship Package enclosed.

Thank you for considering our request. We look forward to hearing from you and hopefully we'll see you at what is sure to be an amazing event!

**Mark Dixon** 

Dinner & Auction Chair Rotarian

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5:00 Cocktails and Silent Auction Edmonton Ceili Dancers

6:00 Emcee: Mark Dixon O'Canada Grace

6:05 Salad

6:20 Dinner Service

7:00 Stage Presentation
President's Message: Lynn King

Live Auction Begins
Auctioneer: Danny Hooper

First Silent Auction Pull

Second Silent Auction Pull

**4:10** Live Auction Wraps

4:15 "Vibram Souls"

4:45 Silent Auction Ends / Party Begins



Post tweets or photos of your evening Twitter #StAlbertRotary Instagram @stalbertrotaryclub

Please don't drink and drive.







### What is Rotary?

## What would it take to challenge the world?

Rotary's 1.2 million members believe it starts with a commitment to "Service Above Self." In more than 34,000 clubs worldwide, you'll find members volunteering in communities at home and abroad to support education and job training, provide clean water, combat hunger, improving health and sanitation and working on the eradication of polio. And you have two Clubs right here in St. Albert:

The Rotary Club of St. Albert and the Saint City Rotary Club.

#### We Fund and Supports

- Worthy international projects
- Projects that strengthen our community
- Youth projects in St. Albert ...and we have fun doing it!



Rotary's Four Way Tes A code of ethics that guides decisions and actions of all Rotarians



2. Is it fair to all concerned?

Will it build goodwill and better friendships?

Will it be beneficial to all concerned?



#### Rotary Club of St. Albert

#### **At Work In Our Community**

- Children's Literacy Project
- Paul Kane Rotary Interact Club
- Food Bank of St. Albert
- Sculptured benches in St. Albert
- Rotary Park
- · Coats for Kids program
- · Teacher of the Month
- Rotary Youth Leadership Awards
- · Reaching Out Program



#### At Work In The World

The Rotary Club of St. Albert supports grassroots projects that fit with Rotary's six areas of service:

- Disease prevention and treatment
- Water and sanitation
- Maternal and child health
- Basic education and literacy
- Community development and local economy
- · International student exchange



## Sponsor Package



# Saturday, March 16, 2019 DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel

(formerly the Mayfield Inn)

16615-109th Avenue, Edmonton Danny Hooper auctioneer







A rainbow of items to bid on!



Miss it and you'll be green with envy!







## Sponsorship Opportunities

### Signature Level Event Sponsor — \$5,000+

- Front table at event for 8 guests
- Table recognition sign on all tables
- Corporate logo on podium and entry display sign
- Large logo in newspaper thank you ad
- Logo on front cover of evening program
- Large logo and recognition on website
- Special recognition during the event

### Major Level Event Sponsor \$3,000 - \$4,999

- Table for 8 quests
- Logo in newspaper thank you ad
- Corporate logo on entry display sign
- Logo on back cover of evening program
- Logo on website
- Special recognition during the event



Shamrock the night away!



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### Gold Level Event Sponsor \$2,000 - \$2,444

- 4 tickets to the event
- Name recognition in newspaper thank you ad
- Name recognition in evening program
- Name recognition on website
- Recognition during the event

### Silver Level Event Sponsor \$1,000 - \$1,999

- Name recognition in newspaper thank you ad
- Name recognition in evening program
- Name recognition on website
- Recognition during the event

## Table Level Event Sponsor \$800 - \$999

- Recognition in evening program
- Table name recognition sign
- Name recognition in newspaper thank you ad
- Name recognition in evening program

#### Bronze level event sponsor \$250 - \$744

- Name recognition in newspaper thank you ad
- Name recognition in evening program









#### Through our fundraising efforts we have been able to support the following:

#### **Community Projects**

- St. Albert Rotary Music Festival
- St. Albert Food Bank
- St. Albert Rotary Park
- St. Albert Children's Literacy Project
- Scholarship and development programs for local youth

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#### **Vocational Programs**

- International Exchange Student
- Bursary funds for local secondary education
- Youth leadership and development programs

#### **International Programs**

- Financial Support to a girls' school in Malawi
- Donations to Polio Plus in an effort to eradicate Polio

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## To Make A Donation Contact:

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For information or to purchase tickets, visit stalbertrotaryclub.com



## ST. ALBERT ROTARY CLUB – GALA EVENT – March 16, 2019 TICKET ORDER FORM



First Name		Last Name		
Phone		Email (required for re	eceipt)	Table Preference
	\$150/ticket = \$			Rotary Club of St. Albert
Paid by: Sold by:	☐ Cheque	∟ Cash		Tickets can also be booked online by going to: stalbertrotaryclub.com

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March 16, 2019

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## TICKET ORDER

RECEIPT	
#Tickets:	

Total:	\$ .		_
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Date:

If you don't receive an Eventbrite confirmation email in 10 days from the date above, please contact Mark at:

mdixon@rotaryclubofstalbert.ca

## **ANNUAL GALA DINNER LIVE & SILENT AUCTION**





DONOR'S NAME (as it is to appear in the progra	am):
ADDRESS:	
CITY/PC:	PHONE#:
COMPANY CONTACT:	EMAIL:
ONE ITEM TO	A FORM
Description of item for program (size, colour, lin	mitations, artist, etc.)
Donor recognition: As listed above ☐ Pr	refers to remain anonymous $\Box$
Donor recognition: As listed above ☐ Pr	-
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MEMBER'S NAME:  ESTIMATED VALUE: \$	S THIS DONATION: