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**Great opportunity for you to make a big difference within the community of the Town of the Blue Mountains!**

The Thornbury-Clarksburg Rotary Club is working on identifying projects to improve our community's amenities for all ages and abilities. We believe that ensuring inclusion in social and recreational aspects of life are important to a community's health, vibrancy and resiliency. Funds are needed for these projects and the T-C Rotary club is hosting **The Kindness Gala** to raise the initial funding for one large or several smaller projects which we are planning to announce later this year. We are reaching out for Friends in Kindness Ambassadors for our upcoming gala fundraiser. Our goal for this fundraiser is \$80,000.

We are truly excited to share details of this prestigious event! The Gala will take place on the evening of Saturday, November 12th, 2022 and is built around our Kindness theme, something which our club is extremely proud of and which evolved as a result of the pandemic. The date has been purposely selected to coincide with International World Kindness Day, the following day. The event will be held at the new and impressive Georgian Peaks Ski Club, Hwy 26, Thornbury. We will have 200 guests in attendance. The tickets are \$195 per person and we are looking forward to a successful sell out event. During this sophisticated evening, we will enjoy a sumptuous dinner with plentiful choices, accompanied by wine. Following dinner, we will have an exciting **Live Auction** and then we will dance away the evening with a fabulous band from Toronto. The event will also include an **online Silent Auction** preceding the Gala.

By generously becoming a Friend in Kindness Ambassador, you will help us to enhance the health and vibrancy of our Town for people of all ages and abilities within this amazing community. We are offering our Friends in Kindness Ambassador package to individuals as outlined below.

**Friends in Kindness Ambassador package - \$1,000.00 - Only 20 available**

- Two (2) complimentary tickets for you and your guest to attend the event.
- You will have a bottle of wine to enjoy at the dinner.
- Immediate personal recognition on our ticket sales platform, where guests purchasing tickets will see your name if you wish in our 'Friends in Kindness Ambassadors' section as one of the Gala's key supporters.
- You will receive immediate personal recognition if you wish and be placed on the 'Friends in Kindness Ambassadors Wall' of the T-C Rotary Club website for a period of approximately one year up until the launch of our 2023 Gala.
- Certificate placed at your table in recognition of your kindness and support for the community.
- Tax receipt for \$500.00.

**About the Rotary Club of Thornbury-Clarksburg**

Rotary International is a nonprofit, humanitarian service organization which brings together individuals in order to provide community service. Since 1938, the Thornbury-Clarksburg Rotary

Club has been working to serve needs in the Blue Mountains community and around the world. T-C Rotarians give their time so that every cent of every dollar we raise fulfils those needs. And much of what is raised stays in our community. Our most recent community projects include the 'Tree Trust Planting Event' where over 300 trees were planted in two local locations. One of the many great community services provided by Beaver Valley Outreach (BVO) is the Beaver Valley Pre-School. T-C Rotary has so far donated \$20,000 of \$25,000 committed in support of the Pre-School over five years. In addition, a \$5,000 donation to the BVO was made to fund the expansion of their Community Gardens. A contribution was made of \$125,000 for an MRI at the Owen Sound Regional Hospital. More information is available at [www.tcrotary.ca](http://www.tcrotary.ca).

Thank you for your time and consideration of this opportunity. I look forward to hearing from you very soon.

Kind regards,

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