

Dear Friend of the House,

Ronald McDonald House BC will proudly host the 9th Annual Ronald McDonald House BC Gala, presented by Freedom 55 Financial, on September 17, 2011 at the Four Seasons Hotel Vancouver. Since its inception, this sold-out gala dinner and casino night has raised more than \$500,000 for the families of Ronald McDonald House.

2011 is an extremely important year for the house as we will be building a new, 56,000 square foot Ronald McDonald House BC on the campus of BC Children's Hospital. Thanks to the generous support of our sponsors, donors, volunteers and friends in the community, we continue to provide a home-away-from-home for seriously ill children and their families who travel to Vancouver for treatment. The need is growing larger every year and we must expand in order to fulfill that need.

The **silent/live auction** portion of our gala event is imperative to the success of the evening and meeting our fundraising goals and we need your help. I would like to invite you and your organization to make a difference at Ronald McDonald House BC by donating an item for our auction this year. Your generosity will help benefit families with seriously ill children while earning valuable community exposure for your organization.

To ensure that you have ample time to consider supporting Ronald McDonald House BC, I have included a donation form for you to complete and return at your leisure. In return, we will profile your organization at the event and work hard on your behalf to meet and hopefully exceed our fund-raising goals.

If you have any questions, concerns, or require further information, please do not hesitate to contact me. On behalf of Ronald McDonald House BC, thank you in advance for your support.

Sincerely,



Richard Pass
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Prize/Auction Donation September 2011

(please submit one form per item)

DONOR NAME/ORGANIZATION: _____

Please print your name as you wish it to appear in the program

CONTACT NAME: _____

DONOR ADDRESS: _____

CITY/PROV: _____ POSTAL CODE _____

TEL: () _____ FAX: () _____ EMAIL: _____

YOUR DONATION

Current Market/Retail Value: \$ _____

Description of Item: (A complete and accurate description will help with presenting your donation in the event program. Please indicate size, style, colour if applicable.)

Restrictions: (Unless otherwise indicated, all donations will be valid until September 17, 2012.)

This donation will be delivered in the form of:

____ A Gift Certificate ____ Object or Merchandise ____ Both

DONATION DELIVERY: Please ensure the entire donation is delivered together.

____ This item is enclosed with this form.

____ I will deliver the item to the address below by the deadline date of September 2, 2011.

____ Please arrange to have my donation picked up by August 31, 2011.

DONOR SIGNATURE

DONOR: _____ DATED: _____

Please send this form to:

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