

**Featuring** 

# **BILL HENDERSON**

Lead singer and guitarist of Chilliwack

# **AUCTION DONATION OPPORTUNITIES**



# ARThritis SOIRÉE 2020

Arthritis is more serious than most people think. Over 6 million Canadians, young and old, are affected by this disease. Arthritis research is the only way to find answers and save lives.

By supporting arthritis research, we can make a significant difference in the lives of those who struggle with this devastating disease. Arthritis Research Canada is a national organization headquartered in British Columbia, and is the largest clinical arthritis research centre in North America. Our research is aimed at arthritis prevention, early diagnosis, better treatment, and improved quality of life.

The date of Arthritis Research Canada's eighth annual signature fundraising event is set for **Thursday, May 21, 2020**. The ARThritis Soirée will return to **The Roof at the Hotel Vancouver** for another spectacular night that will see guests treated to a fabulous array of hors d'oeuvres, champagne, wine, and entertainment, along with an exquisite raffle, and silent and live auctions.

The ARThritis Soirée will continue to be presented as an elegant cocktail reception, allowing guests the opportunity to mingle and network. The event is designed to attract our city's business and community leaders, philanthropists, doctors, health care professionals, and more through the appreciation of art and the desire to support arthritis research.

Why an ARThritis Soirée? Research has shown that art adds to one's wellbeing and therefore is a great element in managing chronic diseases on a holistic level. Moreover, art adds an extra factor of excitement and depth to the Soirée through a varied presentation of art forms. **The 2020 ARThritis Soirée** promises to be another one-of-a-kind experience.

Arthritis Research Canada is thrilled to announce **Bill Henderson of Chilliwack**, along with an all-star band, as the evening's entertainment. In the intimate setting of The Roof, sponsors and guests alike will be treated to an amazing show that will include some of Chilliwack's greatest hits.

Please join us to create greater awareness and raise funds for leading edge arthritis research. Various levels of sponsorship are offered for your consideration and each includes an attractive and tailored benefit package. For more information on Sponsorship Opportunities or to confirm your 2020 sponsorship, please contact Patti Nakatsu, Director of Development at 604-207-4002 or by email at pnakatsu@arthritisresearch.ca.

Thank you for your support for the 2020 ARThritis Soirée. Together, we are making arthritis research a priority!







# Live & Silent Auction Donors

## **Benefits:**

- ✓ Donor recognition in Live Auction section of the ARThritis Soirée event program
- ✓ Donor recognition included with on-site Live Auction event signage
- ✓ Donor recognition included with Live Auction scrolling slideshow
- ✓ Company name and website link included in ARThritis Soirée event program
- ✓ Pre-event website promotion and social media mention

# **Silent Auction Benefits:**

- ✓ Donor recognition in Silent Auction section of the ARThritis Soirée event program
- ✓ Donor recognition with auction display and bid sheet
- ✓ Company name and website link included in ARThritis Soirée event program
- ✓ Pre-event website promotion



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# Sponsor Recognition Examples

### Invitation



# **Evening Program**



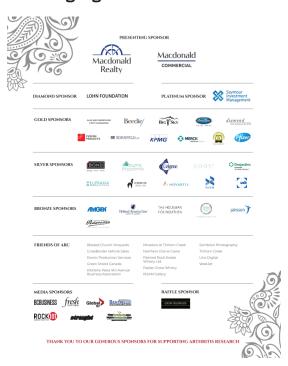








# **Event Signage**



### **Event Website**



## **Social Media Promotion**



# Annual Event Video https://youtu.be/f-dt6uwFwWQ







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#### ARTHRITIS RESEARCH CANADA

Leading Research. Finding Answers. Saving Lives.

#### **Mission Statement**

To transform the lives of people living with arthritis through research and engagement.

#### **Vision Statement**

A future where research-based services, tools and knowledge empower people living with arthritis to triumph over pain and disability.

#### About Us

Arthritis Research Canada was created in 2000 in Vancouver by the world renowned scientist Dr. John Esdaile and a dedicated Board of Directors who shared a vision: to conduct practical research for everyday living, research that would immediately touch and improve the lives of people living with arthritis.

Today, Arthritis Research Canada is home to four centres across Canada: British Columbia, Alberta and Quebec (Laval University and McGill University) and is the largest clinical arthritis research centre in North America. The multi-disciplinary team of over 100 research scientists are recognized as world leaders in clinical arthritis research excellence. Arthritis Research Canada is currently conducting more than 75 studies aimed at arthritis prevention, early diagnosis, better treatment, and improved quality of life for the 6 million Canadians, young and old, affected by arthritis.

Partnerships are central to Arthritis Research Canada's success. Visionary donors have invested in our work, and we are collaborating with patients, universities, hospitals, funding agencies, and arthritis treatment centres around the world. Please join us in making arthritis research a priority.

