

# 24<sup>th</sup> Annual Helping Kids Soar Gala

**Renfrew Educational Services Foundation**  
Charitable Registration No. 777625492 RR0001

Thursday, March 9, 2023

Renfrew Educational Services offers a broad range of specialized programs and is an acknowledged leader in program development for children with severe special needs. Renfrew is also known for its responsiveness to the needs of families and the community which leads us to a very exciting announcement. Renfrew is expanding our programs to meet the needs of students with severe special needs in Junior & Senior High School. What an exciting opportunity as we strive to provide a continuum of services from pre-K right through to grade 12.

Renfrew's Charity Gala is one of Calgary's premiere charity fundraising events. Over the years, this event has raised over \$7.5 million for school buildings, buses, specialized rooms, adaptive equipment and specialized programs and services. This year's Gala will be held on **March 9, 2023**, at the Westin Calgary (320 4 Ave SW). Money raised will go toward our new school in Bearspaw.

We would love for you to become a sponsor at our event. For enquiries about sponsorship opportunities, contact **Janice McTighe, Executive Director, [janicemctighe@renfreweducation.org](mailto:janicemctighe@renfreweducation.org), 403.219.5388**. For those of you who have supported us in the past we greatly appreciated your support and ask that you consider becoming a sponsor for this year's event.

For sponsorship or ticket information, visit our website at **[www.renfreweducation.org](http://www.renfreweducation.org)**.

Our Gala features an amazing silent and live auction. If you wish to donate an item or have questions about the auction, contact **Jacki Cassidy, Event Manager, [jackicassidy@renfreweducation.org](mailto:jackicassidy@renfreweducation.org)**.

On behalf of all the children/students, families and staff of Renfrew Educational Services, we invite you to support the development of our new Flagship school as we SOAR to grade 12.

Yours truly,



**Jim Reid**  
Chairman, Foundation Board of Directors



**Tom Buchanan**  
Chairman, Society Board of Directors