

HATS OFF 2 KIDZ™

In support of Paediatrics Leukemia Research at the Hospital for Sick Children

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Hats Off 2 Kidz Announces Cancellation of Hats Off 2 Kidz Gala 2025

With sincere regret, the Hats Off 2 Kidz organizing committee announces the cancellation of this year's Hats Off 2 Kidz Gala, scheduled for September 26th, 2025.

This decision was not made lightly, and comes after careful consideration of current circumstances. Our founder, Deborah Bianchi has been diagnosed with recurrent Leukaemia. She faces challenging times ahead and as the heart and soul of Hats Of 2 Kidz, it has been decided not to go ahead this year. The focus will be on supporting Deborah and her recovery.

Hats Off 2 Kidz is committed to The Hospital for Sick Kids and will continue to support Paediatric Leukaemia Research.

The Hats Off 2 Kidz Gala has always been a cherished event, bringing together our community in celebration and support in finding a cure for Paediatric Leukaemia. Our mission remains stronger than ever, and we are already looking ahead to 2026 with renewed enthusiasm.

We are deeply grateful for the continued support of our partners, sponsors, and community members.

In lieu of this year's event, we will be offering alternative ways to stay engaged and contribute to our ongoing work—details to follow in the coming weeks.

Thank you for you understanding. Together, we will continue to make a meaningful impact in the lives of those affected by Leukaemia.

Sincerely,

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