





### **CAMPFIRES & COCKTAILS**

Nov.9th, 2012

### DEAR FRIEND,

We are writing to seek your support as an auction/raffle donor for Campfires & Cocktails 2012, the first annual volunteer-driven fundraiser for The Neil Lovatt Memorial Fund. The Neil Lovatt Memorial Fund was established 10 years ago as an initiative of the Muskoka Woods Youth Foundation\* to raise funds to send economically disadvantaged children to summer camp at Muskoka Woods. Each year, the Neil Lovatt Memorial Fund has been able to send over 120 deserving youth for a week at Muskoka Woods by working with partner agencies like Urban Promise, Youth Unlimited & the Salvation Army.

Campfires & Cocktails is Toronto's gala charity event celebrating summer camp and the very best of Muskoka. This year's event will be held on Friday, November 9, 2012 and will feature a Canadiana theme, transforming the Berkley Church on Queen St. East into a truly magical Muskoka Experience. With haute-camp food, classic cocktails, craft brews, a "raffle basket" style auction stacked with amazing items, phenomenal gift bags, and our amazing celebrity host, participating in our live or silent auction will provide you with first-rate exposure and valuable public relations opportunities. It is also an economical way to advertise your product to a select and high-end target group who will be impressed by your involvement.

We are also excited to announce that a private donor has underwritten the entire cost of the event allowing all donations and sponsorship to go directly to send kids to camp!

#### **AUCTION DONOR BENEFITS:**

- You will be credited as an auction/raffle donor in the evening's program.
- You will be thanked and credited as an auction donor in the Muskoka Woods Youth Foundation Event Follow Up Communication.
- You will be credited as an auction donor on the Campfires & Cocktails and Muskoka Woods Youth Foundation websites, which are viewed collectively by 18,000 people monthly
- Opportunity to donate products to the gift bags; over 300 gift bags will be offered (upon approval).
- If requested, a charitable tax receipt will be issued to you for the value of the item donated. Please note that we cannot receipt for services or certificates.

An item donation form is included in this letter.

If you have any questions, please contact Taryn Clarke at 416.495 6960, or at taryn@muskokawoods.com

Sincerely,

IAIN LOVATT
Event Co- Chair

JENN DUMARAN

**Event Co-Chair** 

<sup>\*</sup> The Muskoka Woods Youth Foundation is a registered charity that receives donations to fund in part The Neil Lovatt Memorial Fund



## ITEM DONATION FORM

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DATE:	NO:
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ITEM(S):	DETAIL HALLE A
DESCRIPTION:	
WILL YOU BE E-MAILING OR ATTACHING A HIGH RESOLUTION IMAGE OF YO	UR AUCTION ITEM?
PLEASE E-MAIL TO TARYN@MUSKOKAWOODS.COM; PHOTOS MAY BE S	ELECTED FOR PRESS OPPORTUNITIES.
- CAMPFIRES & COCKTAILS CAN'T RECEIPT FOR HST.	
• ITEMS OVER \$1,000 WILL REQUIRE AN INVOICE FROM DONOR.	
· IF AVAILABLE, PLEASE PROVIDE US WITH JPEGS (300 DPI) OF THE ITE	M(S) FOR POTENTIAL MEDIA USE.
DONOR INFORMATION	
DONOR NAME: MR./MS.	
ADDRESS:	SUITE:
CITY:	POSTAL CODE:
BUSINESS PHONE:	HOME PHONE:
EMAIL ADDRESS:	
CONTACT NAME [IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE]:	
POSITION:	



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PICK UP/DE	ELIVERY					
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MUSKOKA	WOODS OFFICE					
DELIVERY HO	OURS: MONDAY TO FR 9:00 TO 4:30	RIDAY				
ADDRESS:	MUSKOKA WOO	DDS CIRCLE (WARDEN AVE	ב פדבנו בפ אויב)			
	SCARBOROUGH M1W 3Y5	-	d STEELES AVE			
	416.495.6960					
CAMPFIRES	S & COCKTAILS OF	FICE USE ONLY				
FORM COMP	LETED BY:					
DATE:						

AFTER COMPLETING THIS FORM, PLEASE FAX IT TO TARYN CLARKE AT 416.495.1300



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#### ABOUT THE NEIL LOVATT MEMORIAL FUND

For many kids, leaving their city or neighbourhood is just a dream. Established in 2002, the Neil Lovatt Memorial Fund puts summer camp within the reach of deserving youth from at-risk communities. Through our "Send a Kid to Camp" program, we work with respected agencies and organizations to select youth who come to Muskoka Woods. Those who are chosen not only have an unforgettable summer and the chance to experience fresh air, freedom and fun—they also get a taste of life with new possibilities.

Our Timbergrove Lodge built in 2010, allows our partner organizations to bring up a group of youth with their own leaders during our regular summer program. This unique cabin offers our guests an opportunity to continue building their relationship with a common meeting room and campfire pit. Imagine making camp a reality for youth from at-risk communities. Donate to the Neil Lovatt Memorial Fund and make someone's dreams come true.

### CAMPFIRES & COCKTAILS EVENT SPONSORSHIP LEVELS: GOLD - \$5000 SILVER - \$2500 BRONZE - \$1000

The Muskoka Woods Youth Foundation relies on the generous support of corporate sponsors to maintain and grow its vital programming like the Neil Lovatt Memorial Fund. Through the on-going generosity of corporate sponsors, The Neil Lovatt Memorial Fund has been able to expand its programs for providing life-changing summer camp opportunities for young economically disadvantaged children.

### **EVENING SPONSORHIP BENEFITS INCLUDE:**

- · Association with a unique, high profile, charity
- Recognition on all campaign and event marketing materials
- Exposure on campfiresandcocktails.com.com and in communications to loyal Muskoka Woods database through Muskoka Woods Youth Foundation websites, which are viewed collectively by 18,000 people monthly.
- Exposure to Muskoka Woods loyal supporters through creative sponsorship activations
- Event on-site activation and sampling opportunities
- Right to use of Campfires & Cocktails logo and messaging
- You will be credited as an Evening Sponsor in the evening's program.
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