

Annual Review 2015-2016

Stronger together



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About us

Founded in 1981, Ronald McDonald House Charities Toronto keeps families close when they need each other the most. We are an independent charity, governed by a volunteer Board of Directors and operated by staff and volunteers. The first and largest chapter in Canada, we are part of a network of more than 360 licensed Ronald McDonald House chapters around the world.

We encompass:

- A House for 81 families in downtown Toronto
- Seven Family Rooms in five hospitals:
 - Markham: Markham Stouffville Hospital
 - Mississauga: Credit Valley Hospital, Trillium Health Partners
 - Toronto: The Hospital for Sick Children
 - Scarborough: Rouge Valley Centenary
 - Sudbury: Health Sciences North

Our mission

To provide a “home away from home” for seriously ill children and their families to heal better together

Our vision

To be a leader in providing a family-focused environment and innovative support services to seriously ill children and their families

Front and back covers: Claire, 1, and Madelyn, 2, with parents Aaron and Cheryl Andrews | From Lewins Cove, N.L. | Lived 218 days at the House while Claire waited for and then recovered from a heart transplant.



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Every **2 hours** last year, a new family in crisis arrived on one of our doorsteps.

We supported **4,367 families** with a seriously ill child from across Canada and around the world.



Dorothea and Hugo Saraiva | From Mississauga, Ont. | Used our Family Room at Credit Valley Hospital after Adriana was born prematurely.

Theodore and Todd Boyetchko | From Terrace, B.C. | Stayed at the House while Theo was treated for a heart condition.



Executive Message



Our House



Mary Grace and Sylvester Czyz, with Aniela, 8, and Olek, 7 | From Midland, Ont. | Stayed at the House for 257 days while Olek underwent cancer treatment.

"We're so grateful RMHC Toronto kept our family close."



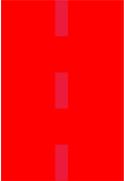
2015-2016 Highlights



762

2

55km



94%



26

97%

Our Family Rooms



Family Room users, like Kathryn McKissock from Oshawa, Ont., always benefit from a circle of support. Pictured here: Family Room volunteer, Niloy Hossain, and Trixie Williams, Director of Women & Children at Rouge Valley Centenary.

"When I get stressed and if I'm having a rough time, it's really easy for me to go to the Family Room. I have a place I can go talk to someone,"



2015-2016 Highlights



4 New Family Rooms

7

3,605



51%

212



93%

Family Programs

2015-2016 Highlights



Charlotte and Austin Reinhart love the RMHC Toronto School.

"Our older children are able to be here with us, thanks to the School. It gives them stability while allowing them to see their parents and their brother,"



20

2,786



192



Our Volunteers

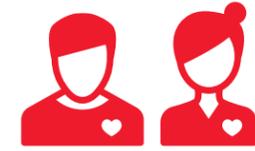


Mike Irwin, a six-year volunteer, and now a mentor to new volunteers.

"Being both a parent and a grandparent, I can appreciate the difficulties our families are facing,"



2015-2016 Highlights



460

3



\$693,445

75%

58%



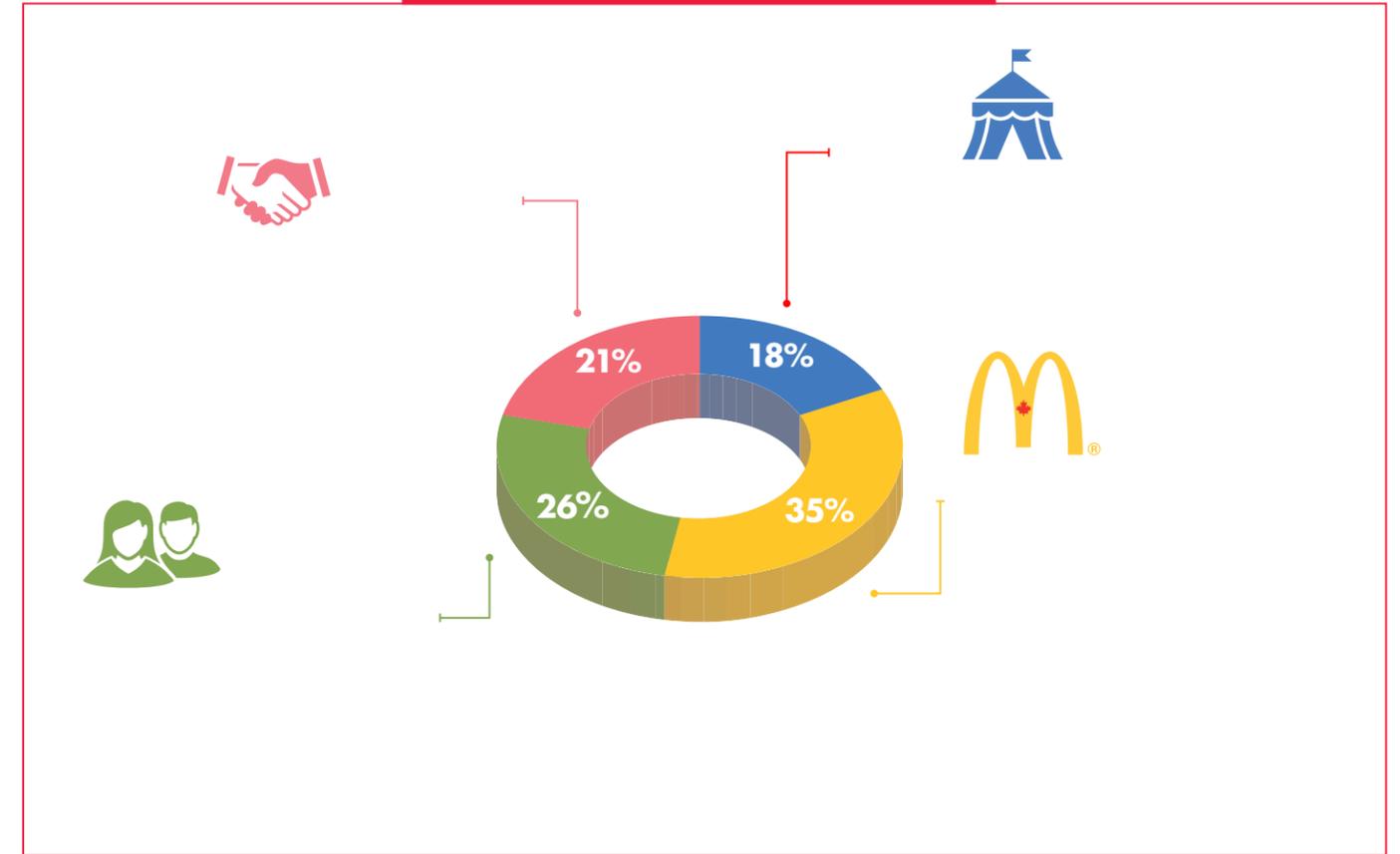
99%

Financial Report

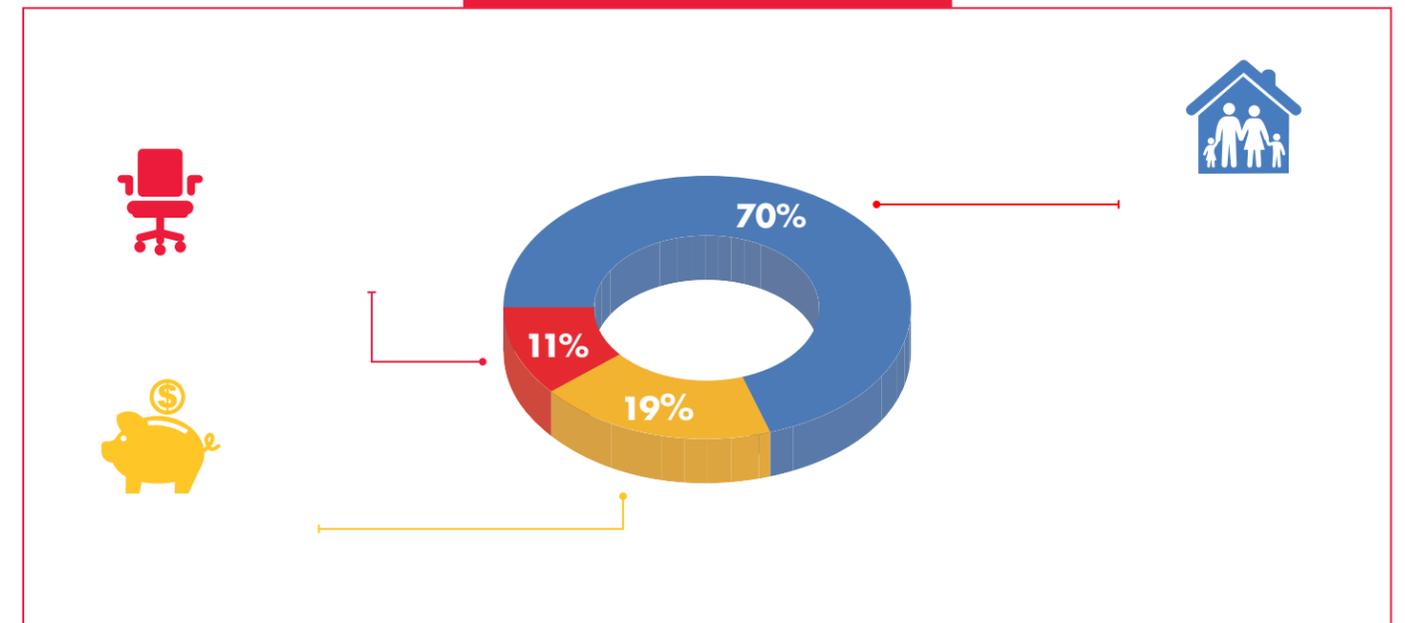
Year ended	October 31 2016	October 31 2015
	\$ 4,462,487	
	460,108	
	396,270	
	1,246,585	
	6,565,450	5,831,913
	952,491	
	2,090,078	
	1,284,883	
	559,151	
	791,518	
	5,678,121	5,395,845
	887,329	
	46,397,980	
Fund Balances, end of year	\$ 47,285,309	\$ 46,397,980

As at	October 31 2016	October 31 2015
	\$ 48,264,446	\$ 47,526,409
	979,137	1,128,429
	\$ 48,264,446	\$ 47,526,409

Where donations came from



Where donations went



Financial accountability and transparency are important to us. To view our full audited financial statements, please visit www.rmhctoronto.ca. Ronald McDonald House Charities Toronto operates under the legal name – Toronto Children's Care Inc.



We are sincerely grateful for the support of our founding and forever partner, McDonald's. Ronald McDonald House Charities Canada, McDonald's Restaurants of Canada Limited and its founder, George Cohon, and McDonald's Owner/Operators and their supplier network continue to provide critical support for our families. Thank you to every crew person, manager, franchisee, corporate employee and customer who helps us keep families close.

Our Founding and Forever Partner

\$1,551,723 raised

\$250,000+

\$100,000-\$249,000

\$50,000-\$99,999

\$25,000-\$49,999

\$10,000-\$24,999

\$5,000-\$9,999

\$2,500-\$4,999

\$1,000-\$2,499

\$500-\$999

Charity Golf Classic

\$257,000 netted

\$3 million netted since 2003

On July 11, 2016, 230 golfers gathered at Coppinwood Golf Club for the 14th Annual RMHC Toronto Golf Classic. The signature event was a success, and we're grateful to our sponsors, suppliers, friends and committee members who made it possible.



SPONSORS
Co-Presenting

\$5,000-\$9,999

\$1,000-\$4,999

\$10,000+

In-Kind Partners
\$5,000+

COMMITTEE



THE HOUSE PARTY

\$58,000 netted

\$150,000 netted since 2013

A record amount was raised at the 3rd Annual House Party in October 2016. Held at Steam Whistle Brewery, the House Party is the signature event of the RMHC Toronto Young Professionals Committee.

**PRESENTING
SPONSORS**

**SILVER
SPONSORS**

**In-Kind Partners
\$5,000+**

**GOLD
SPONSORS**

**BRONZE
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COMMITTEE

THANK YOU DONORS

We would like to recognize the following individuals, corporations, events, foundations and associations whose contributions between November 1, 2015 and October 31, 2016 helped us, collectively, raise \$4,462,487 to support more families last year than ever before. **THANK YOU!**

\$250,000+

\$10,000-24,999

\$100,000-249,999

\$50,000-99,999

\$25,000-49,999

\$5,000-9,999



“My crew is committed to supporting families at RMHC Toronto, many of whom come from our local community. I’m so proud of their incredible generosity.” – Glenn McKee, McDonald’s Owner/Operator ■ The crew and management at the Bayfield McDonald’s in Barrie raised \$15,000 through payroll deductions to renew their Adopt-a-Room pledge. They’ve raised \$35,000 to date.

“The RMHC Toronto School offers critical support to families during a very challenging time. Sofina Foods is proud to support an organization that has such a tremendous impact on the communities it serves.” – Umeeda Madhany, Vice President, Sofina Foundation ■ Michael and Marilena Latifi and their children. The Latifi family, through the Sofina Foundation, provides foundational support for our School.



\$2,500-4,999

\$1,000-2,499

Gifts in Kind

Thank you to the following donors who donated more than \$5,000 in products and/or services to support our families and enable us to deliver on our mission.



“RMHC Toronto has given unconditional care and support to many of our families and friends in their time of need, so we love giving back through our annual golf tournament.”
– RMH Charity Golf Tournament Thunder Bay committee ■ The RMH Charity Golf Tournament Thunder Bay has raised more than \$1 million since its inception in 1999.

“Our mom devoted countless hours to helping others. Through personal experience, she knew how challenging a child’s illness can be for families. She would be proud to know that her donation is providing them the support they need.”
– Marjorie Logan and daughters Carol Snider, Donna Guertin and Debbie Joannou ■ Marjorie donated \$20,000 in securities to support families.



\$500-999

Tribute giving

Thank you to the donors who paid tribute to a friend or family member with a donation. Gifts totaling more than \$500 were received as tributes to the following people.

In Honour

In Memory

Our donors are very important to us. Every effort has been made to ensure the listings in this Annual Review are accurate. Please notify our Development Office at 416-977-1346 of any omissions or changes. Our donor list is also online at www.rmhctoronto.ca.



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