

#### THANK YOU

Thank you for supporting Vanessa Behan as the sole beneficiary of the Pumpkin Ball. The funds raised at Pumpkin Ball are especially vital as we work to expand our capacity, which allows us to say "yes" to more children and families in our community.



#### **EVENT SCHEDULE**

#### **Silent Auction**

Our online Silent Auction is open until 10:00 p.m.

Scan the QR code to view the catalog and bid on items.

Visit our "Super Silent" Auction in the ballroom for exclusive silent auction items only available to attendees.



The "Super Silent" Auction will close at approximately 6:55 p.m.

- 5:30 Champagne Reception
  "Super Silent" Auction Opens
  - **Photo Booth**

#### 6:55 "Super Silent" Auction Closes

#### 7:00 Dinner

Sponsored by Rosauers Supermarkets



## It's all about the kids.

As it should be. Your generosity tonight will help Vanessa Behan protect many more of Spokane's children.

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#### **TONIGHT'S PROGRAM**

#### 7:20 Welcome

#### Kris Crocker and Robyn Nance

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#### "Rise Up" by Andra Day

Performed by Harper Ward, Student of Holy Names Music Center

#### **Signature Sponsor Message**

Linda Underwood, Senior Vice President Commercial Banking Center Manager, Banner Bank

#### 50/50 Glass Slipper Raffle Drawing

Sponsored by Kalispel Tribe of Indians and Northern Quest Resort & Casino

#### **Cuisine for Kids**

Sponsored by Numerica Credit Union

#### **Luck of the Draw**

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#### **Live Auction Part 1**

#### "The Clock is Ticking"

Amy Knapton Vega, Vanessa Behan

#### **Kids Count**

#### **Live Auction Continues**

#### **Magic Wand Drawing**

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#### **Dancing With the Cronkites**





#### **MENU**

#### **Dinner**

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#### **Curried Pumpkin Bisque**

With toasted pepitas and honey-cinnamon crema

#### **Entrees**

#### **Grilled Flat Iron Steak**

Mulled wine reduction, roasted garlic jam, parsnip-almond silk, and roasted heirloom carrots.

#### Maple-roasted heirloom carrots and caramelized golden beet

Served with butternut squash puree and parsnip silk, mushroom couscous, Marcona almonds and Ancho Morita glaze.

#### **Dessert**

#### **Carmelized Hazelnut Entrement**

Roasted hazelnut dacquoise, fleur de sel caramel, caramelized hazelnuts, brown butter anglaise, and chocolate gianduja Chantilly.

#### Wine

Proverb Sauvignon Blanc Proverb Pinot Noir



#### Tonight is a time to gather in support and celebration of our community's children.

However, we would not be here if not for the short life and tragic death of a 2-year-old named Vanessa Behan. Her death moved community members just like yourself to create a safe place for children. Vanessa Behan is that place for children to stay when their parents can't keep them safe in the moment. Thanks to your support, Vanessa Behan has been a haven for children from struggling families for 36 years.

Your support tonight will help Vanessa Behan provide over 80,000 hours of safe care for our community's children in 2023. Vanessa's death was not in vain. Because of her, tens of thousands of children have had happy, carefree moments at Vanessa Behan. Because of her, thousands of parents have been supported, comforted, and educated. In Vanessa's memory, together, we will continue this great work.

Thank you.



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#### **Individual Table Sponsors**

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Our sincere apologies if contributions were inadvertently omitted.

#### **Bibbidi Bobbidi Ball**

**Proud to partner with Vanessa** Behan in building brighter futures for youth and families.









#### **CUISINE FOR KIDS** SPEED AUCTION

Sponsored by Numerica Credit Union

Ready, set, bid! When our auctioneer calls out the name of your favorite restaurant on this list, be the first to raise you bid paddle, and you'll win! The winning bidder will pay double the face value of the gift card.

We thank Numerica Credit Union for supporting the Cuisine for Kids portion of our auction. Thanks to their generous donation, we were able to purchase all gift cards at face value and support our local hospitality industry. Thank you, Numerica Credit Union, for buying local and giving local!

Alpine Deli Maple Street Bistro

Ambrosia Bistro

Backyard Public House

Bark A Rescue Pub

Bennidito's Pizza

**Boots Bakery** 

**Brick West Brewing** 

Cascadia Public House

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Flatstick Pub

Hang 10 BBQ

Little Noodle

Mac Daddy's

Peace Pie

Peking North

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Sala Thai

Sorella

South Hill Grill

The Garden Coffee and Local Eats

The Grain Shed

The Milk Bottle

TT's BBQ and Brewing

Union Tavern

Wild Sage

### A CULTURE OF STEWARDSHIP AND GIVING.

Committed to fostering a safe community, the Kalispel Tribe of Indians is proud to support Vanessa Behan.

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#### **FUN AND GAMES**

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#### **Luck of the Draw**

\$25

Are you feeling lucky? If you answered yes, you'll want to take your chance in our Luck of the Draw Raffle! Each \$25 play gives you half a playing card that enters you into this game of chance. The auctioneer will play a game with the crowd to reveal our winner in the first half of the program.

Our winner will receive a gift certificate for a one-night stay in a classic room for two at Northern Quest Resort & Casino, dinner for two at Masselow's Steakhouse, and a 60-min companion massage at La Rive Spa valued at \$800!

#### 50/50 Glass Slipper Raffle

\$100

Dreams can come true! Buy your chance to win 50% of the bounty in our 50/50 raffle...which could be up to \$5,000! The other half will support Vanessa Behan!

#### **Magic Wand Drawing**

**\$75** 

With the wave of a wand, one lucky winner will win two coach round-trip tickets wherever Alaska Airlines flies. Purchase a wand for \$75 and protect it with care, there will only be 100 chances to win. We'll reveal the winning wand after the live auction.

#### Precious Pumpkins — Donation of \$50+

In keeping the children served by Vanessa Behan top of mind, we decided to showcase their creativity, their art, and their stories. Please visit the Precious Pumpkin Patch to see what they have created.

Take home one of these pumpkins for a suggested donation of \$50.\*

<sup>\*</sup>Proceeds will fund activities for children and Vanessa Behan

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#### **INTEGRUS**

A COLLABORATION OF YGH & INTEGRUS ARCHITECTURE

Proud to partner with Vanessa Behan to keep our community's kids safe & healthy.



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**FAIRYTALE TOTES** 

Sponsored by Integrus Architecture

Our highly coveted Fairy Tale Totes include a bottle of wine along with an assortment of sweet, savory, and self-care items from local businesses.

Price: \$100



Thank you to our generous donors:

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Vanessa Behan

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#### KIDS COUNT

This Evening's Appeal: "The Clock is Ticking"

The evening's special appeal is the most significant and direct form of giving to support the mission of Vanessa Behan. You can help us continue the 20-year mission of the Pumpkin Ball by being a direct contributor tonight.

Our auctioneer will ask you to raise your bid paddle to contribute at various levels. Your donation is 100% tax deductible and will help us raise critically needed funds for Vanessa Behan.

Many of you here tonight are a guest of a company, colleague, friend, or family member who has paid for your ticket. Please consider making a gift in appreciation of your generous host.

#### **Giving levels:**

\$5,000	\$2,500	\$1,000
\$500	\$250	\$100





#### **AUCTION RULES**

- 1 All sales are final no exchanges or refunds.
- 2 Payment by successful bidders will be made through the GiveSmart fundraising platform. To change your payment method, please log into your account at pumpkinball.givesmart.com or check-in with registration.
- **3** All merchandise is sold in "as-is" condition.
- 4 Values are estimates only and are not warranted for tax purposes or fair market value. Please contact a tax consultant for applicable tax laws.
- **5** Check your expiration date and any deadlines to claim prizes. Unless otherwise stated, all auction gift certificates expire on **October 28, 2024**.
- **6** The auctioneer alone has the authority to acknowledge all bids in cases of dispute, and he may choose a course of action to settle the dispute in such cases.
- **7** On Silent Auction tables, each new bid must equal or exceed the minimum bid increment as stated on the bid sheet to be valid. ◆
- **8** Any bid entered in the Silent Auction after the table has closed is invalid. The auction official at the table is the final judge on the validity of all bids, in cases of dispute. In such cases, they may choose a course of action to settle the dispute.

## The Pumpkin Ball



because <u>we</u> care about their care



### AUCTION ITEM & PRIZE PICK-UP

Information for Winners

Prizes for games/raffles, Cuisine for Kids gift certificates, live and "Super Silent" auction items are available for pick up at Registration across the hall in Meeting Room 1. Any items left over from the evening will be brought to Vanessa Behan and distributed in the same manner as online silent auction items.

#### **Online Silent Auction Pick-Up**

If you purchased an item issued as a certificate or gift card, your item will be mailed to the address you provided upon registration no later than **Wed, November 1**.

All other items will be available for pick-up starting

Mon, October 30 at noon - Fri, November 3 at 4:30 p.m.

#### Location

Vanessa Behan 2230 E Sprague Ave, Spokane WA

#### Hours

Mon - Fri 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Items not picked up by Mon, November 6 at 4:30 p.m. will be donated. If an item needs shipped, it will be at the winner's expense (excluding certificates and gift cards. When picking up your items, please bring a copy of the confirmation email you received when payment for your item was processed (either printed copy or receipt on your smartphone).

Have questions or need to make other pick-up arrangements? Please contact:

Amber Killingbeck at amber@vanessabehan.org



For providing children with a safe, loving place to stay. For supporting and strengthening families. For being a vital part of our community. It's an honor to stand with you.



### PUMPKIN BALL \* STEERING COMMITTEE

Kelly Brown
Denise Garceau
Doug Kapelke
Amber Killingbeck
Amy Knapton Vega
Amy Nichols
Jenifer Priest
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## Giving back is in our bones

At NWOS, we believe that caring for our community extends beyond delivering excellent orthopedic care to our patients, and we are proud to support **Vanessa Behan** and the difference they make for so many families and children in our community.



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#### **SPECIAL THANKS**

Thank you to the businesses and individuals who have made this year's event a success.

Holy Names Music Center

Peformer: Harper Ward
Instructor: Malinda W Metro

Charlie's Produce

Elizabeth Spruill Portraiture

12th Avenue Storage

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Terri O'Connor

Davenport Hotel Collection

Melissa Smith & Kim Cleason

Vanessa Behan House Parents

John Bartels

Happy Laundry & Dry Cleaning

A standing ovation to all of tonight's event volunteers!

Thank yous are listed as of September 8th. Our sincere apologies if anyone was inadvertently omitted.



#### **FINAL NOTE**

Thank you for joining us for the 20th Annual Pumpkin Ball. We look forward to hosting you and your guests for our 21st annual event on October 26, 2024 at The Davenport Grand Hotel.

We would love the opportunity to visit and share your impact on Vanessa Behan with you. To arrange a visit and tour, please contact Jenifer Priest.

#### **Jenifer Priest**

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