



PICKERING
MAYOR'S GALA



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HOSTED BY

MAYOR KEVIN ASHE

AT THE

PICKERING CASINO RESORT

888 DURHAM LIVE AVENUE
PICKERING, ONTARIO

NOV 14
RECEPTION STARTS AT 5:30PM

The Pickering Mayor's Gala returns for 2026, as Mayor Kevin Ashe hosts over 500 esteemed guests, including distinguished community leaders and generous corporate supporters.

As one of the most anticipated annual events in Ontario, this year's gala will evoke a time when style was second nature and the night always held a little mystery. Inspired by the golden age of mid-century glamour, the gala will feature live entertainment, exquisite food and mixology, and surprise twists.

In 2026, Mayor Kevin Ashe's Supper Club will highlight and empower organizations that support community well-being, funding healthcare, advancing mental health services, and bringing comfort and care to individuals and families facing hardship.

Join Mayor Kevin Ashe as he celebrates the passion and contribution of organizations that are bolstering positive change in Pickering.

A MESSAGE FROM MAYOR KEVIN ASHE

Dear Friends,

As one of the GTA's fastest-growing communities, with strong population gains, major development underway, and robust economic investment, Pickering continues to evolve and position itself as a staple in the province and country.

As we celebrate our continued achievements, I remain confident that our future remains unfalteringly bright—and gratified to be a part of this community that I so deeply value.

Our city is defined by a strong sense of pride and achievement—evident in the developers shaping our future neighbourhoods and the businesses whose innovation reaches across Canada. We have recently been recognized as Ontario's Municipality of the Year for events, earned the provincial Age-Friendly status, and secured major funding after exceeding housing targets in recent years, underscoring our momentum as a fast-growing, inclusive, and culturally vibrant city.

Yet I continue to be amazed and proud of our strong sense of community and the humanity of our fellow citizens, who repeatedly step up and help each other.

In 2025, we surpassed previous years and raised over one million dollars for our charities. I thank all of you who generously supported my prior galas.

The Pickering Mayor's Gala is Durham Region's signature black-tie charity fundraiser, bringing together our community's leaders and businesses to raise funds that will support our local hospital, along with the many organizations that make a difference in the lives of our youth and to all those in need.

I am so pleased to announce that this year's charitable recipients will be the Canadian Mental Health Association Durham, Sloane's House, the Starlight Children's Foundation, the Ajax Pickering Hospital Foundation, the Carion Fenn Foundation, and St. Paul's on-the-Hill Community Food Bank.

The ongoing support of our partners and sponsors has been essential to the success of our gala, and no doubt to our city. Their continued commitment is essential to our growth and development. I share my humble appreciation to their continued dedication to being part of this event and our community.

We invite and welcome sponsors to discover the excitement of the Pickering Mayor's Gala and support outstanding causes and this incredible city. We look forward to celebrating our brilliant future with you and welcoming you to the Supper Club.

Kevin Ashe

A MESSAGE FROM KIM CAHILL

Dear Guests,

With remarkable success in our three previous years, I am honoured to continue as Gala Chair for the 2026 Pickering Mayor's Gala.

I thank Mayor Ashe for inviting me to continue this important role and for once again putting his faith in me. I am delighted to be surrounded by our incredible community and the change-makers who shape our city, some of them represented by the organizations we are supporting this year.

With the incredible generosity and commitment from partners and donors, we hope to continue exceeding the amounts raised to support these worthy causes.

Thank you to our returning sponsors and a warm welcome to those new to this event. We sincerely appreciate your support and look forward to seeing you at the 2026 Pickering Mayor's Gala.

Kim Cahill

HIGH-ROLLERS

\$75,000

- Invitation to attend VIP pre-gala reception
- 4 hotel rooms if booked by October 14, 2026
- 20 dinner guests
- Option to host a recipient charity guest or local elected official
- Option for on-stage “thank-you” presentation
- Option to have a corporate representative attend cheque presentation to recipient organizations

LOGO RECOGNITION:

- Step & repeat
- Gala website
- Social media
- Gala program
- Premium placement on printed collateral at the gala
- Premium placement on digital screens at the gala

OUR TOP PARTNERS MAKE NATIONAL NEWS

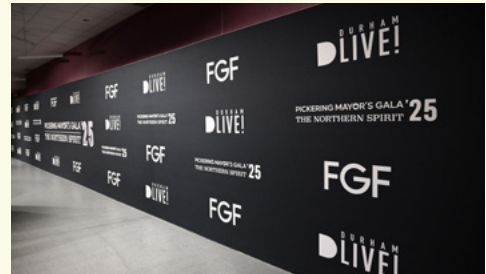
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ENTERTAINMENT

Doug Ford among the 500-plus guests at Pickering Mayor's Gala

The event, which featured a performance by Canadian singer Matt Dusk, honoured organizations such as the Ajax Pickering Hospital Foundation.

Pickering Mayor Kevin Ashe welcomed more than 500 guests to the Pickering Mayor's Gala in late November. The evening celebrated more than two decades of charitable contributions made possible with the support of key sponsors like Durham Live! and FGF Brands. Premier Doug Ford and Peter Bethlenfalvy were among the guests at an event that featured a performance by Canadian singer Matt Dusk and honoured organizations such as the Ajax Pickering Hospital Foundation.



RESERVE

\$50,000

- Invitation to attend VIP pre-gala reception
- 2 hotel rooms if booked by October 14, 2026
- 10 dinner guests
- Option to host a recipient charity guest or local elected official

LOGO RECOGNITION:

- Gala website
- Social media
- Gala program
- Premium placement on printed collateral at the gala
- Premium placement on digital screens at the gala

SHOWTIME

\$25,000

- Invitation to attend VIP pre-gala reception
- 1 hotel room if booked by October 14, 2026
- 10 dinner guests
- Option to host a recipient charity guest or local elected official

LOGO RECOGNITION:

- Gala website
- Social media
- Gala program
- Printed collateral at the gala
- Digital screens at the gala

MARQUEE

\$12,000

- 10 dinner guests
- Option to host a recipient charity guest or local elected official

LOGO RECOGNITION:

- Gala website
- Social media
- Gala program
- Printed collateral at the gala
- Digital screens at the gala



SPONSOR FORM

SELECT PACKAGE

HIGH-ROLLERS | \$75,000

SHOWTIME | \$25,000

RESERVE | \$50,000

MARQUEE | \$12,000

INDICATE PAYMENT METHOD

CHEQUE

Make payable to: Ajax Pickering Hospital Foundation
Mail to: Ajax Pickering Hospital Foundation,
580 Harwood Ave S., Ajax, ON, L1S 2J4

ELECTRONIC FUNDS TRANSFER (EFT)

REQUEST INVOICE

*For EFT payment or to request an invoice,
please call the foundation at, 905-683-2320 Ext 11501.

SPONSOR INFORMATION

Company Name: _____

Contact Name: _____

Billing Street Address: _____

City: _____ Province: _____ Postal Code: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email: _____

*Above mentioned contact will be used to provide/validate company logo and website information.
A high-resolution file (vector preferred) logo is required for printed materials.

I WOULD LIKE TO HOST A RECIPIENT CHARITY GUEST OR ELECTED OFFICIAL

I ACCEPT TO BE CONTACTED VIA EMAIL BY THE PICKERING MAYOR'S GALA

Please forward your completed sponsor form by email to:
sponsorship@mayorgalapickering.ca

For additional information, please contact Sponsor Chair
Kevin Cahill at sponsorship@mayorgalapickering.ca



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