



POW!

Feel the power of

**SPIRIT OF GIVING
SUPERHERO GALA**

A call goes out...

And heroes respond!



SATURDAY, NOV. 9
ANDOVER COUNTRY CLUB

TITANIC TEAM-UP OF
LISA HUGHES
DAN ROCHE
MATT NOYES

DINNER
FUN GAMES

LIVE MUSIC
AMAZING AUCTIONS

Challenge Unlimited at Ironstone Farm

*unleashes its 17th annual Spirit of Giving Gala**

with this year's theme:

SUPERHEROES!

Supporting our nonprofit programs for children, veterans and others

Tickets: \$150 per person

ONLINE: IRONSTONEFARM.ORG/GALA

CALL: 978-475-4056

Master of Ceremonies: 'The Weatherman'
Meteorologist Matt Noyes

- Awesome High-end Auctions!
- Ridiculously Interesting Raffle!
- Mindblowing Music!
- Life-Changing Sponsor a Child!
- Dynamite Dinner!

*** TIGHTS OPTIONAL, BLACK TIE ENCOURAGED**

IF YOU'RE COMING TO SUPPORT IRONSTONE, YOU'RE ALREADY A HERO TO US. COME IN COSTUME, OR COME IN FORMAL WEAR LIKE TONY STARK (IRON MAN), BRUCE WAYNE (BATMAN), LOIS LANE OR DIANA PRINCE (WONDER WOMAN) MIGHT.



Spirit of Giving Award Recipient Lisa Hughes

Award-winning journalist Lisa Hughes anchors WBZ-TV News weekdays with co-anchor David Wade. She has received both a 2014 Columbia DuPont Award and a 2013 George Foster Peabody Award as part of WBZ-TV's team coverage of the Boston Marathon bombings. She received an Emmy Award for Best News Anchor in 2014 and 2016, and has earned Emmy Awards and an Edward R. Murrow Award for her reporting.

Lisa is also involved in a number of community organizations and charities that support populations served by Ironstone Farm. She is on the board of directors of Big Sister Boston, serves on the development board at Spaulding Rehabilitation Hospital and volunteers her time with Project 351, Children's Hospital Boston and the Boys and Girls Clubs of Dorchester. Starting in 2011, Lisa began riding annually in the Pan Mass Challenge to raise money for Dana Farber Cancer Institute.



Spirit of Giving Award Recipient Dan Roche

Dan Roche is an award-winning sports anchor and reporter for WBZ-TV News and myTV38 (WSBK-TV).

Dan won a New England Emmy Award for Outstanding Sports Series for "Red Sox This Week," and has been nominated twice for Emmy Awards for Best Sports Reporter in New England.

Dan has given his time for many charity events as a master of ceremonies and in other roles, for organizations including the Jimmy Fund, American Lung Association, The BoSox Club, Lazarus House and The Boys & Girls Clubs of Lawrence and the Lowell Spinners. Born in Methuen, a graduate of North Andover High, and a current resident of Andover, Dan is well known for his support of nonprofits in the Merrimack Valley, and has served as a celebrity bartender for Ironstone Farm's nonprofit programs.



Ironstone Farm: What We Do

We use the dynamic power of horseback riding and our farm environment to provide highly effective therapies and experiences. Top doctors and medical institutions refer clients because of our success. Children with special needs learn to walk. People who did not speak before – including those on the autism spectrum – begin speaking. Additional educational and therapeutic programs improve the lives of others, including veterans who have experienced trauma, children and parents at risk, survivors of cancer, and elders with memory issues. Within our education center, life skills, music, cooking, nature and art can be learned by diverse groups.





HONORARY CHAIRPEOPLE - 2018 HONOREES

Reverend Liz Walker and Brig. General Jack Hammond



PREVIOUS SPIRIT OF GIVING HONOREES

George D. & Margo Behrakis, 2003	Mary Denise McCarthy, 2008	Reverend Cal Mutti, 2012
Charlie & Maura Weis, 2004	Edward B. Stevens, 2008	Susan Wornick, 2012
Rodolfo "Rudy" Baez, 2005	Jon Goode, 2009	Dave McGillivray, 2013
Doug & Laurie Flutie, 2006	Senator Daniel P. Leahy, 2009	Jack & Therese O'Connor, 2013
Frank Forlizzi, 2006	Jim O'Brien, 2009	Douglas & Diana Berthiaume, 2014
Drew & Joann Weber, 2006	Robert "Ziggy" Burns, 2010	Normand Deschene, 2014
John Henry, 2007	Senator Susan Tucker, 2010	Tony Orlando, 2015
Laurie Cox-Schreiber, 2007	Gina Johnson, 2011	Bill Pennington, 2016
Isaac Schreiber, 2007	Peter C. Raffalli, M.D., FAAP, 2011	Bob MacCormack, 2016
Paul Sullivan & Mary Jo Griffin, 2007	Jack Williams, 2011	Dennis Eckersley, 2017
Allen C. Crocker, M.D., 2008	Al Lenzi, 2012	Bob Lobel, 2017
	William F. Merritt, 2012	

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