

RIGHT TO PLAY

2023

ANNUAL GALA

FAQs

- **What is Right To Play?**
 - Right To Play is an International Non-Governmental Organization whose mission is to Protect, Educate, and Empower children facing adversity around the world. They serve children in 15 countries across the Middle East, Asia, Africa, and North America and are supported by fundraising teams in 8 National Offices scattered throughout the globe. They currently reach 2.78 million children worldwide through play-based learning methodologies.
- **What if I have food restrictions or allergies?**
 - Not a problem, just let a RTP (Right To Play) Staff member ASAP! We will provide the venue with all restrictions and make sure an alternative food item is served to you!
- **Is the venue (Cipriani 25 Broadway) wheelchair accessible?**
 - Yes, Cipriani 25 Broadway has wheelchair accessible entrance at 23 Broadway (Planet Fitness). You can use the ramp at this location for direct entrance into the gala.
- **What are the parking and MTA options to get to the venue (Cipriani 25 Broadway)?**
 - Parking options:
 - Quik Park:
 - 70 Little West Street, New York, NY 10006
 - Battery Parking Garage:
 - 80 Greenwich Street, New York, NY 10006
 - MTA:
 - Take the 4 or 5 to Bowling Green, take the 1 to Rector St, or take the J or Z trains to Broad Street.

- **Is there a dress code?**
 - Yes, festive cocktail attire is recommended

- **What is our fund-a-need?**
 - A fund-a-need event is a type of fundraising auction where supporters pledge certain dollar amounts to an organization, typically for a specific purpose or special appeal. Anyone attending the gala will be able to participate and have the opportunity to directly fund an array of Right To Play's programs!

- **What is our live auction?**
 - The live auction will take place the night of the event and will be conducted by renowned auctioneer Harry Santa-Olalla – items to be announced!

- **What is our silent auction?**
 - The live auction will be entirely conducted online through the One Cause auction platform. It will be opened a week before the event, allowing for any individual (even those not attending the event) to begin the bidding process and continue to bid until the auction closes at the end of the gala.

- **Information on host of event (Gaby Abdelnour)**
 - We are pleased to announce that Gaby Abdelnour will receive the Champion for Children Award in recognition of completing his tenure as a member of RTP's International Board of Directors. Gaby served as the Chair and CEO of J.P. Morgan Asia Pacific, as well as having worked in an advisory role with: Bain Capital, Standard Life Insurance, Labara Group, BB Energy, and Monolith Brands Group. We thank Gaby for his ongoing passion for the work of Right To Play!

- **What do I do if I cannot make it at the last minute and someone else wants to sit in my place?**
 - Not a problem! Simply, inform the new guest to check in as the person they are replacing and update at registration.
 - For other registration questions contact Anais Josee Mewha at amewha@righttoplay.com