



**SOULS
HARBOUR
RESCUE
MISSION**

To Whom It May Concern:

For the fourth consecutive year, SaskGames is partnering with Souls Harbour Rescue Mission to host “**Play with Your Food**”, a charity event in which participants fundraise for an entire year before gathering for a 24-hour-long board game-a-thon in the fall.

The **Play with Your Food** event will be held this year on October 15-16 at the Dean Smith Youth Centre (located at the corner of Athol and Dewdney). In 2015, this event included 120 participants who fundraised over \$38,000, which went directly to supporting the various programs offered to vulnerable members of our community by the Mission:

- The **Women’s Emergency Shelter** consists of four rooms with a total of twelve emergency beds available for women and their children. The **Men’s Emergency Shelter** has accommodations for twelve individuals. Guests at both locations have access to shower, laundry facility, kitchen area, a warm meal and staff to talk to.
- **Shayil Home (Women’s Addiction Program)** is a year-long residency-based program where women and their children come to a safe environment to overcome addictions with the support of staff and alongside women on similar journeys.
- **Little Souls Daycare** is a licensed and subsidized childcare facility with 60 spaces located in North Central Regina. Their mission is to provide a caring, warm, and safe environment for each child from infant to school age to play, explore, and learn.
- **Zeike’s Place Youth Centre** consists of a full-sized gymnasium, a large games room, and a full kitchen and dining hall. It is currently utilized five times a week to reach out to high-risk youth in the community.
- The **Soup Kitchen** is open to anyone in need of a meal. More than 200 filling and nutritious supper meals are provided each week day for a cost of \$3.43 per meal.
- **Harbour House** is an apartment complex that has 25 bachelor suites and five 1-bedroom suites for hard-to-house individuals that has operated since 2008.

Souls Harbour Rescue Mission receives no ongoing funding from any level of government to provide services to those in need in the community. Events like **Play with Your Food** are integral to the success of their life-changing programs, and these events would not be possible without partnership with local businesses and organizations like yours.

The **Play with Your Food** Organizing Committee would like to ask for your partnership in making this event a success by becoming a Supporter for **Play with Your Food 2016**. There are several ways you can Support the event, including donating financially, donating goods or services for the event itself, or donating prizes to be auctioned or given out to participants.

In return for your Support, **Play with Your Food** and its partners, SaskGames and Souls Harbour Rescue Mission, will publicize your company in promotional materials and online on their websites, in addition to giving verbal and visual recognition throughout the event.

These are the specific benefits of Support:

\$50-plus “Key” Supporter

- ✓ Thank You on Saskgames.com (a website with over 1,000 registered users and over 200,000 page views per month) with your logo and a link to your web site;
- ✓ Thank You in the SaskGames newsletter.

\$200-plus “Helping Hand” Supporter

Everything included in the “Key” Supporter **plus:**

- ✓ Thank You on the official **Play with Your Food** website (www.pwyf.ca);
- ✓ Thank You on the advertising video that will continuously loop throughout the event.

\$500-plus “Community Builder” Supporter

Everything included in the “Helping Hand” Supporter **plus:**

- ✓ Thank You on Souls Harbour RESCUE Mission website (www.shrmsk.com) and social media;
- ✓ Your business’ logo will be displayed prominently at the event;
- ✓ Your business’ logo published in the SaskGames newsletter for one full year.

\$1000-plus “Life Changer” Supporter

Everything included in the “Community Builder” Supporter **plus:**

- ✓ Your business’ logo and a link to your website will also be published on shrmsk.com;
- ✓ Your business will be publicized as a Supporter through SaskGames and SHRM social media.

Note: please send a digital copy of your business’ logo to PwYF@saskqgames.com to assist us in recognizing you as a Supporter.

Thank you for considering supporting for **Play with Your Food 2016**. We look forward to having your help in making this event a success for our participants, for Souls Harbour Rescue Mission, and for the city of Regina.

Please contact me directly with any questions or specific requests about becoming a Supporter for **Play with Your Food 2016**.

Sincerely,

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