



The Sun Peaks Volunteer Fire Department Societys' 2024 Gala - A Winter's Masquerade

Date: Saturday, November 9, 2024

Location: Sun Peaks Grand Hotel

Time: 5:30pm to 11:30pm

Event Benefactors

[The Sun Peaks Volunteer Fire Department Society](#) was established in 1998 to further support the Sun Peaks Fire Rescue volunteer firefighters. In true spirit of giving back and supporting their local community, the society created the Sun Peaks Annual Charity Firefighters' Gala to draw attention to the meaningful work being conducted by volunteer firefighters and to assist fellow on-mountain not-for-profits in earning additional financial support.

Every year two organizations are chosen to equally share in gala proceeds. We are proud to announce the two benefactors of the 2024 Gala will be The Sun Peaks Recreational Trail Association (SPRTA) and The Community Association of Whitecroft.

The Sun Peaks Recreational Trail Association (SPRTA) is a non-profit volunteer organisation dedicated to the maintenance and development of free-to-use recreational trails in the Sun Peaks area. We are focused primarily on mountain bike trails, but also develop and maintain trails for other outdoor activities like hiking and snowshoeing. Since 2019, SPRTA has constructed 17.5km of new mountain bike and multi-use trails in Sun Peaks for use by our community. Funds raised from the 2024 Fire Fighters' Gala will be used to hire a paid trail crew position to assist us with trail maintenance, building, and repairs – ensuring our trails remain in excellent condition for everyone in the community to enjoy. sunpeakstrails.com

The Community Association of Whitecroft is a dedicated non-profit organization driven by volunteers, committed to enhancing the lives of residents in Whitecroft and its surrounding areas through fostering unity, building connections, ensuring safety, and promoting physical education. The community had a dream to offer a community park and playground to provide neighbouring families of Whitecroft, Sun Peaks, and Heffley with a safe place to gather and play. In receiving a tremendously donated 2-acre plot of land from the family of area resident Nanci Wilson, the dream has now turned into a reality. Funds raised from the 2024 Fire Fighters' Gala will be used toward the first of three phases of the park's construction plan. When completed, the fully fenced park will feature a playground, roofed concrete pad for sports such as basketball and hockey, and a pump track. whitecroftbc.com