

OPÉRATION ENFANT SOLEIL GETTING TO KNOW US



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HOW MUCH HAS OPÉRATION ENFANT SOLEIL RAISED FOR QUEBEC HOSPITALS AND ORGANIZATIONS SINCE ITS FOUNDATION?

Since 1988, more than \$240 million has been distributed to major paediatric centres, regional hospitals and organizations in the province.

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WHO RECEIVES THESE FUNDS?

Donations are distributed among Quebec's four major paediatric centres:

- The CHU de Québec's Centre mère-enfant Soleil-Université Laval;
- The CHU Sainte-Justine in Montréal;
- The Montreal Children's Hospital of the CUSM;
- The CIUSSS de l'Estrie – CHUS.

In addition, near than 120 grants are given out each year to organizations and regional hospitals.

Opération Enfant Soleil is a non-profit organization that raises funds for the development of high-quality paediatrics and to contribute to social health projects for all the children in Quebec.

Opération Enfant Soleil is Quebecers' first choice in philanthropy. (Omnibus survey, SOM 2018)

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HOW IS THE MONEY USED?

This money is used by:

- Quebec’s major paediatric centres to equip themselves with state-of-the-art technology and facilities specially adapted for sick children;
- Regional hospitals to obtain specialized equipment, which allows children in the area to be treated close to their families;
- Organizations working in the fields of social and physical health to purchase specialized equipment for the children.



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THE GRANT TOUR: YOUR DONATIONS MAKING THE ROUNDS!

- Children in need of medical care live all over Quebec.
- People just like you, who are concerned with the health of these children, make donations to Opération Enfant Soleil.



- Health professionals want to give these children every chance to get better. Sometimes this requires purchasing supplies and specialized equipment, or developing spaces for the reception, diagnosis and treatment of these children.



- The large paediatric centres and regional hospitals send us their financing requests for specific projects.



- A committee of independent experts made up of health professionals analyzes all requests with the aim of meeting the most urgent needs.

- The 2019 Grant Tour will kick off at the beginning of February. Our team, along with the Telethon hosts, will make stops all over the province. The 2019 Enfants Soleil will be introduced in their region.

- Near than 120 grants will be awarded, funded by donations just like yours.



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WHAT IS THE OPÉRATION ENFANT SOLEIL TELETHON?

The Opération Enfant Soleil Telethon is the organization’s most important fundraising activity. The total amount raised during Opération Enfant Soleil’s 31st Telethon was \$20,057,478. The 32nd Telethon will be broadcast live on TVA for 15 hours on June 2nd.

More than 1 500 partners, volunteers, artists and stage technicians take part in organizing this event that attracts hundreds of visitors.

The Telethon is an emotion-filled event where children are the stars of the show, both on and off camera. A VIP lounge designed especially for Enfant Soleil children and their families is often the stage for magical moments.



Photo : Dezz productions

Campaigns

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Maison Enfant Soleil
signée Bonneville: draw



Opération Halloween:
fundraising using
collection boxes



Défi country:
country dance activity



Passeport de rêve:
draw for a \$50 000 travel
credit voucher



Ô Quilles: bowling activity



Resto Soleil:
restaurant that gives
a part of the profit
of a preselected dish
to Opération Enfant Soleil



Les Toqués du vin:
gourmet supper



RelisDon: sale of used
books in primary schools



Opération Groenland:
a charity trip with kayaking
and trekking



Porte ton pyj: pajama day
in school in exchange for a donation

Programs



Parents Soleil:
monthly donation program



Entreprise Enfant Soleil:
philanthropic certification
for companies

Dons planifiés

Planned giving program:
offer health as your legacy/
charitable bequest program

In addition to these campaigns, thousands of fundraisers are organized throughout the year thanks to the generosity and support of thousands of volunteers and over 1,100 partners across Quebec.



Photo: Krystel Beaulieu

2018's Telethon hosts and co-hosts

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WHO ARE THE OPÉRATION ENFANT SOLEIL SPOKESPERSONS?

Our representatives are celebrity volunteers who work throughout the year to show their commitment to the cause. Whether they participate in our grants tour across the province, in visits with children staying in hospital, or in the activities organized by our partners, these representatives put their skills to work to promote the well-being of sick children.

2018-2019 spokespersons

Maxime Landry, Annie Brocoli, Étienne Boulay, Jean-François Breau, Camille DG, Alain Dumas, Anick Dumontet, Philippe Fehmiu, Roseline Filion, Louis-Georges Girard, Marie-Ève Janvier, Arthur L'aventurier, Josée Lavigueur, Ève-Marie Lortie, Annie-Soleil Proteau, Félix-Antoine Tremblay

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WHO ARE THE ENFANT SOLEIL CHILDREN?

Every year, Opération Enfant Soleil honours the courage of children faced with illness. Coming from 17 of Quebec's regions, the Enfant Soleil children and their families act as ambassadors for the cause by telling their stories during the Telethon and other fundraising events.





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WHY SUPPORT OPÉRATION ENFANT SOLEIL?

Opération Enfant Soleil is the largest support network for sick children in Quebec, whatever their illness.

Together, we can accomplish a lot. Each donation made to Opération Enfant Soleil, whether large or small, contributes to offering children the best there is.

Thanks to the donations raised, Opération Enfant Soleil makes hundreds of projects throughout the province possible.

Donations allow highly specialized care to be offered in the four major paediatric centres of Quebec.

The donations also help to support other organizations and regional hospitals, allowing children in the area to be treated close to their families.

These are the reasons why thousands of people choose to support Opération Enfant Soleil year after year.

*From the sick kids of Quebec,
thank you, from the bottom of our hearts!*

I'D LIKE TO GET INVOLVED BY ORGANIZING AN ACTIVITY

It's simple. Just call us at our toll-free number.

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