



## Press Release For Immediate Release

**Montreal, May 13, 2016**: Under the honorary presidency of Mr. Pierre Pomerleau, CEO of Pomerleau, the seventh biennial edition of the Grand Ball of the Montreal Real Estate Foundation for Kids took place on Thursday, May 12<sup>th</sup> at the Sheraton Centre under the theme of *Renaissance*.

With more than 700 guests and moguls of the real estate industry in attendance, this prestigious black-tie event was the Foundation's most successful to date. The revenues raised for the evening reached over \$480,000 which will be invested towards the real estate needs of charitable organizations dedicated to underprivileged or sick young Montrealers.

Many VIP guests were present including Mr. Pomerleau and the Ball's Vice-Presidents representing the evening's Platinum sponsors:

- Sylvie Bouvette of Borden Ladner Gervais
- Joseph Broccolini of Broccolini
- Sylvain Cossette of FPI Cominar
- Viviane Garneau of Mouvement Desjardins
- Richard Hylands of Kevric
- Blake Hutcheson of Oxford Properties Group
- Danielle Lavoie of Cadillac Fairview
- Claude Sirois of Ivanhoé Cambridge

On the <u>attached photograph</u> (photo credit: Bob Hendriks) from left to right, the members of the Board of Directors of the Foundation are seen with Mr. Pomerleau (the Honorary President of the Ball), during yesterdays' major event:

- Bernard Poliquin, Ivanhoé Cambridge
- Dominic Gilbert, Fonds de placement immobilier BTB
- Jean-Guy Bernard, Groupe Altus
- Nathalie Bédard, Donati Maisonneuve, and President of the Ball Committee
- Mario Bédard, Bentall Kennedy
- Renée Vézina, Groupe Immobilier Oxford, and President of the Montreal Real Estate Foundation for Kids
- Pierre Pomerleau, Pomerleau, and Honorary President of the 2016 Ball
- Christine Babkine, Ivanhoé Cambridge
- Yves Dubois, Borden Ladner Gervais
- Jacques Laplante, Wal Immobilier

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