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# WAVES OF IMPACT

## Welcome to an Evening of Celebration!

Welcome, everyone!

We're thrilled to be together tonight to celebrate our Evening of Celebration, the Waves of Impact Gala.

This room is filled with volunteers who have given their time, energy, and resources to give back to the communities where they live and work. Like waves, your support is constant, and we couldn't be more grateful.

Serving as this year's Campaign Cabinet Chair has been an incredible honour and privilege. Working alongside the dedicated Cabinet volunteers and the United Way Halton & Hamilton team has been truly inspiring — people who lean in time and time again to support those who need us most. Together, you've raised awareness and funds, working tirelessly toward our campaign goal. I couldn't be more proud to work with each and every one of you.

To our agencies, community partners, workplaces, labour, donors, and volunteers, thank you never feels

like enough. Your passion and commitment to giving people a hand up in our communities is deeply appreciated. You help ensure no one is left behind, and together we're building communities where everyone has the opportunity for a fair and inclusive future.

### With deep appreciation,

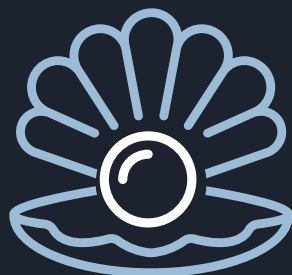


### Carrie Fletcher

2025-2026 Campaign Cabinet Chair,  
United Way Halton & Hamilton

# *Tonight's* AGENDA

|      |                                  |
|------|----------------------------------|
| 5:00 | COCKTAIL RECEPTION               |
| 6:00 | STARTERS SERVED                  |
| 6:10 | WELCOME &<br>LAND ACKNOWLEDGMENT |
| 6:45 | AWARDS CEREMONY                  |
| 7:00 | ENTREE SERVED                    |
| 7:50 | DESSERT SERVED                   |
| 8:00 | CAMPAIGN REMARKS                 |
| 8:15 | GOAL REVEAL                      |



# *Tonight's* **MENU**

## *Starter*

### **THREE GREENS SALAD**

*Assorted Green Leaves with Cucumber,  
Shredded Carrots & Red Grape Tomato  
and Balsamic Dressing*

## *Entree*

### **BONELESS CHICKEN BREAST**

*Sautéed Boneless, Skin-On Chicken Breast with  
Creole Butter Sauce, Roasted Potatoes and  
Seasonal Steam Vegetable Medley*

## *Dessert*

### **VANILLA RASPBERRY BOMBETTE**

*Creamy Vanilla Ice Cream with a Raspberry  
Coulis Centre, Atop a Decadent White  
Chocolate Wafer and Covered in a Delicate White  
Chocolate Coating*



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# AWARDS

STEP UP FOR THE COMMUNITY AWARD





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and Hamilton.



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# AWARDS

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## TOGETHER WE CARE AWARD

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Bentley Systems Canada  
Budds' Group of Companies  
CIBC  
Community Living Hamilton  
Community Living North Halton

EATON  
PCL Construction's Solar + BESS  
Division  
St. Joseph's Healthcare  
Town of Oakville

## LEADING THE WAY AWARD

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Cogeco  
KPMG  
McMaster University  
Oakville Hydro  
SB Partners LLP

Omar Mahamed, Mishka Social  
Services  
Royal Bank of Canada (RBC)  
Reliance Home Comfort

## LEADING THE WAY IN PHILANTHROPY AWARD

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Burlington Dad's – *Jamie Kozub &  
Chris Carter*  
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# Co-operators is honoured to support the **United Way's Evening of Celebration.**

Thank you for your dedication  
to fostering positive change.





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# AWARDS

## COLLABORATION IN ACTION COMMITTEE AWARD

Appleby College – *Student Week Council*

CUMIS/Co-operators

Ford Motor Company of Canada

Hamilton Health Sciences

IG Wealth Management

L3 Harris Wescam

LiUNA Local 837

Marmon Industrial Water

The Regional Municipality of Halton

## INSPIRING LOCAL LOVE AWARD

Burlington Hydro Inc.

Cancer Assistance Program

City of Burlington

City of Hamilton

Crothall Healthcare

Doane Grant Thornton

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Halton Healthcare

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## LABOUR OF LOVE AWARD

Canadian Union of Postal Workers  
Local 548

Canadian Union of Public Employees  
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Hamilton & District Labour Council

Hamilton Wentworth Elementary  
Teachers' Local

International Brotherhood of  
Electrical Worker's Local 105

International Operating Engineers  
Union Local 793

Oakville and District Labour Council

Ontario English Catholic Teachers'  
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Ontario English Catholic Teachers'  
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Canadian Union of Public Employees Local 932

Canadian Union of Public Employees Local 1000

Canadian Union of Public Employees Local 1281

Canadian Union of Public Employees Local 1404

Canadian Union of Public Employees Local 3396

Elementary Teachers' Federation of Ontario Halton

Elementary Teachers' Federation of Ontario Halton DECE

Hamilton & District Labour Council  
Hamilton Steelworker's Area Council

Hamilton Wentworth Elementary Teachers' Local

Hamilton-Brantford Building Trades Association

Hamilton-Wentworth Occasional Teachers Local

International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers' Local 105

Oakville & District Labour Council

Ontario Public Service Employees Union Local 202

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Union Local 273

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Unifor Local 504

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Unifor Local 707

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