

25th annual Awards of Excellence dinner & auction



An evening to celebrate and honor individuals who have made outstanding contributions to the lives of children

DATE Saturday, November 7, 2009

TIME 5:00 p.m. Auction and Cocktails
7:30 p.m. Dinner, Award Presentations and Entertainment

LOCATION Donald E. Stephens Convention Center, Donald E. Stephens Ballroom, Rosemont, IL

ATTIRE Black tie preferred

ATTENDING 1,500–2,000 guests including RMHC® individual and corporate donors, RMHC Board members, McDonald's® Corporation employees, suppliers and the general public

HONORING The Awards of Excellence is a special night set aside each year to honor three remarkable individuals who have gone to extraordinary lengths to help children in need. This year's honorees:
Alonzo Mourning — *RMHC Award of Excellence Recipient*
Dr. Philip A. Pizzo — *RMHC Medical Award of Excellence Recipient*
Jonah & Lynn Kaufman — *Gerry Newman McTLC Award of Excellence Recipients*

ENTERTAINMENT Musical direction by Grammy Award winner Richard Marx, featuring a special guest

EVENT CHAIRS Herb Lotman & Ted Perlman

VICE CHAIRS Ralph Alvarez, Jose Armario, Don Crosby, Aggie Dentice, Mary Dillon, Tim Fenton, Javier Goizueta, Al Golin, Denis Hennequin, Shelly Lavin, Alex McClement, Greg Nickele, Ram Reddy, Mike Richard, Dick Rogers, Ed Sanchez, Al Schultz, Jim Skinner, Peter Sterling, Jeff Stratton, Don Thompson and Fred Turner

TABLES & INDIVIDUAL SEATS	Tables of 10:	Individual seats:
	\$35,000 Golden Circle	\$1,000 Benefactor
	\$10,000 Benefactor	\$750 Patron
	\$7,500 Patron	

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