

Your Legacy



“Children are the living messages we send to a time we will not see.”
- John F. Kennedy

Your Will may be one of the most critical documents you create in life.

It is mind-boggling to think that just one document can make life a little easier for seriously ill children and their families 10, 20, or even 30 years from now.

Writing your future can essentially write the future of sick children.

Now THAT is a beautiful thought.

Writing Your Future...

Talking about death, or even thinking about it, can make some uneasy, but it's time to shift our thinking into the beautiful thought of **“Writing your Future”**.

If you would like to know more about how a gift in your Will can help seriously ill children and their families, please contact Mary-Anne at maherrema@jenash.org or call 905-852-1799 x26



The Lives You Touched

These are just two of the areas you helped support last year:

Prevented eviction and kept the heat and lights on for

95

Ontario families struggling financially due to their child's medical condition



Nutritious groceries for

692

medically-fragile children and family members



THANK YOU



Thank you for supporting Jennifer Ashleigh Children's Charity families during such a difficult time. Your help makes a difference in this world.

YOU help lift people up when love is not enough. On behalf of all the JACC families...

THANK YOU!



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SPRING 2022

Meet Sweet Jenna!



Jenna taking some time to play at the park!

Just look at her beautiful smile.

Twelve year old Jenna has been so strong throughout her life. She was born with complex needs which she battles everyday. Because of your help, Jenna can focus on her wellbeing, receiving the care she needs.

Jenna's family is beyond grateful for your generous support.

“Thank you very much for the assistance you provided our family to help pay for our daughter, Jenna's medication and medical supplies. It was a huge help for our family.”

- Jenna's Mother

You helped her family afford medication which is not covered by government funding or private insurance and assisted with disposable medical supplies.

They are so grateful for people like YOU, who help families who need it the most. Because of this, you have helped alleviate some of the stress of Jenna's family.

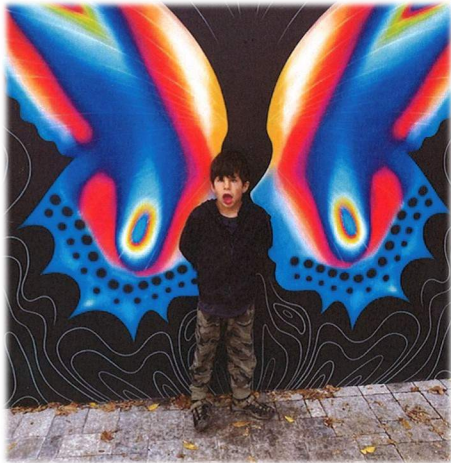
Your support towards Jennifer Ashleigh Children's Charity makes the worries of families like Jenna's a little more manageable. Your financial donations for Jenna's medication and medical supplies have given her a better quality of life.

Thank you immensely for always being there for JACC families when they have nowhere else to turn.



Jenna enjoying the Spring weather.

You Were There When Benjamin Needed it Most



Born with Myotonic Dystrophy, a progressive muscle weakness.

Eight year old Benjamin was diagnosed with Myotonic Dystrophy, a progressive muscle weakness disease.

Benjamin's grandmother works very hard to ensure Benjamin has all the support he needs. But she could not afford Benjamin's one-on-one respite care.

Your support provided one-on-one respite care for Benjamin, which allowed his Grandmother the opportunity to stop and catch her breath, and have a brief break from Benjamin's constant care needs.

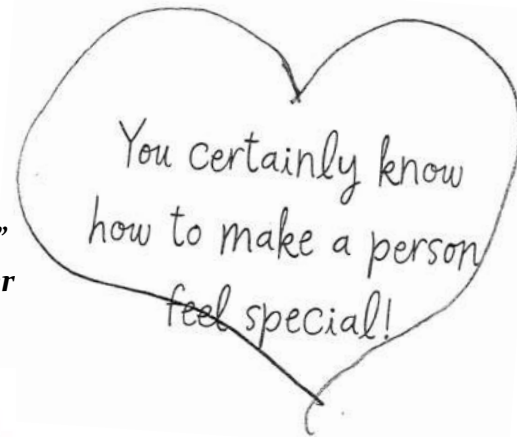
This helps to keep their little family strong!

"You guys are truly angels. God bless you all!"
- Benjamin's Grandmother

**Thank
YOU**

Thank you for lifting a weight off Benjamin and his family so they can focus directly on Benjamin's wellness.

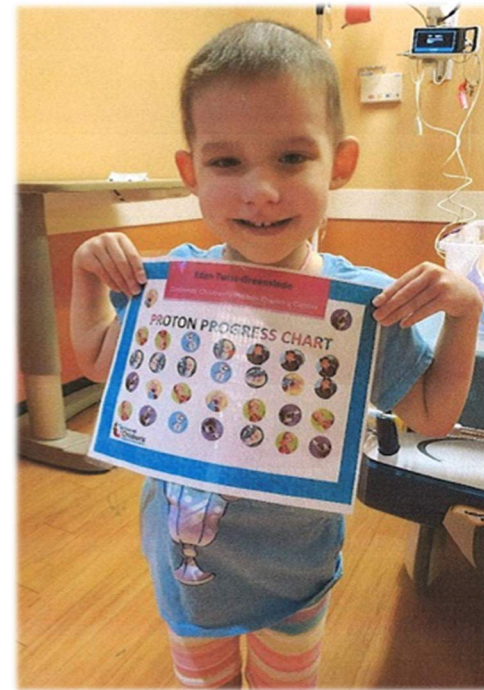
"I would like to thank you sincerely on behalf of Benjamin and my entire family."



"The day I opened the cheque, I literally had the exact amount of overdue bills and no way to pay for them. God Bless you all!"

- Benjamin's Grandmother

Because of You, They Got Through a Tough Time



Sweet little 4 year old Eden.

When Eden was 3 years old she endured what no child should have to go through. Eden has been through so much and is continuing to fight at 4 years old.

Eden suffered her first seizure when she was three years old. Sadly after removing a brain tumor and a few tests later, Eden was diagnosed with Brain Cancer.

At such a young age, Eden has not had an easy journey. But thanks to your support a little stress has been relieved.

You helped Eden and her family with keeping nutritious food on the table and transportation to and from hospital appointments/treatments.



Eden has spent most of her journey through life so far in and out of the hospital. She has even had to travel to the United States for treatment which was not offered in Canada. After a very long journey, Eden has finally been able to attend Junior Kindergarten with her twin sister.

During such a challenging time along with the added stress of COVID-19, YOU brought a smile to this family's face. No family should have to endure what these families have. Thank you for making it a little easier for them.

"We are truly thankful for your charity and all of its generous donors." - Eden's Mother

Lots Has Happened Since Our Last Newsletter

Holiday Box Program

The Holiday Box Program helps families have a special Christmas.

When your child is sick, the number one priority is to care for them. This program is a special surprise for some of our JACC families.

Thank you to all the in-kind donations which helped fill boxes for families to open on Christmas morning.



During a time of giving, JACC families were able to embrace a special moment.

Year End Appeal

Thanks to you, AMAZING donors, and an incredible matching gift, our year end appeal in 2021 raised a total of...

\$321,863.74

Thank you so much for supporting JACC families!

Mark Your Calendars!



September 15, 2022

Our event team has been busy preparing a new and exciting

event roll out for the fall. Think ... a September evening at a picturesque, private, elevated barn venue; talented entertainment, gourmet food from local eateries, and it's all in support of families that need us.

June 29, 2022 - Annual General Meeting.

Please RSVP to Mary-Anne at 905-852-1799 x26

Watch your mailboxes for a raffle and silent auction mail out too!

Fun things are ahead at JACC and we can't wait to see you!

Follow us on social media to keep up with the latest happenings and JACC families! We are active on Instagram (@jenniferashleighcharity), Facebook, Twitter (@jenashcharity) and LinkedIn

