



THE BEYOND GALA

PRESENTED BY OUR
PARTNER IN PLAY



September 26, 2026

ROYAL SONESTA CHASE PARK PLAZA HOTEL

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Meet Our Beyond Gala Co-Chairs

LESLEY SHEKELTON AND MIKE HART

Lesley Shekelton is honored to return for a second year as Chair of the BEYOND Gala, continuing her deep commitment to the mission of Ranken Jordan Pediatric Bridge Hospital. She serves on the Ranken Jordan Foundation Board of Trustees and the Friends of Ranken Jordan Advisory Group, where she is recognized as a thoughtful leader and passionate advocate for children and families.

Lesley's dedication to service extends throughout the St. Louis community, with leadership and volunteer involvement supporting organizations such as Missouri Baptist Hospital, Second Chance Ranch, Pink Ribbon Good, and Baking Memories 4 Kids. Guided by compassion and vision, Lesley believes in asking, "What If" and helping turn possibility into reality, so that families at Ranken Jordan experience not just exceptional care, but hope, dignity, and opportunity at every step of their journey.

Mike Hart is proud to serve as Co-Chair of the 2026 BEYOND Gala alongside Lesley. He serves on both the Ranken Jordan Foundation Board of Trustees and the hospital's Board of Directors, offering strategic insight and a strong commitment to long-term sustainability and growth.

As Chief Financial Officer of American Piping Products, Mike brings disciplined financial leadership paired with a deep passion for community impact. His philanthropic involvement includes support of Haven House, the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation, and other local nonprofit organizations. Mike has played an instrumental role in helping Ranken Jordan expand services and strengthen the vital bridge between hospital and home, advancing innovative models of care that support children and families well beyond their hospital stay.

Together, Lesley and Mike are inspired to help Ranken Jordan look BEYOND what is and imagine "What If". They are committed to expanding support, advancing innovation, and ensuring more children with complex medical needs have a bridge between acute care and home, supported by a robust network of care and community. They are deeply grateful to the sponsors, partners, and supporters who make this work possible and look forward to an evening that offers inspiration, meaningful connection, and a powerful glimpse into the future of Ranken Jordan.



Lesley Shekelton



Mike Hart

PROGRAM SCHEDULE

6:00 PM
Cocktails and
hors d'oeuvres

7:00 PM
Dinner program
and auctions

9:00 PM
After party
featuring
DJ Rico Steez

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Sponsor Benefits

PARTNER IN PLAY, PRESENTING SPONSOR \$50,000 (\$43,250 Tax Deductible)

- Premier reserved seating for thirty (30) guests including early admission at 5:30pm to the cocktail reception, dinner program and after party
- Top billing prior to the BEYOND Gala on marketing materials, event website and additional outlets including email, digital ads, and social media (Sponsorship must be confirmed by 5/1 to be included on event invitation)
- Recognition at the BEYOND Gala during dinner presentation, with opportunity for brief remarks
- VIP ticket for all attendees, including free valet parking, VIP gift, VIP concierge during dinner program, and more
- Full screen ad shown throughout the night on all event screens

JOURNEY TO HEALING SPONSOR \$5,000 (\$2,750 Tax Deductible)

- Premier reserved seating for ten (10) guests including admission to the cocktail reception, dinner program, and after party
- Recognition prior to the BEYOND Gala on event website
- Recognition at the BEYOND Gala during dinner presentation
- VIP ticket for all attendees including free valet parking, VIP gift, VIP concierge during dinner program and more
- Half screen ad shown throughout the night on all event screens

BEYOND THE BEDSIDE SPONSOR \$25,000 (\$20,500 Tax Deductible)

- Premier reserved seating for twenty (20) guests including early admission at 5:30pm to the cocktail reception, dinner program and after party
- Recognition prior to the BEYOND Gala on event website and additional outlets including email and social media
- Recognition at the BEYOND Gala during dinner presentation
- Naming opportunity at a featured gala component (i.e. photo booth, raffle table, bar, etc)
- VIP ticket for all attendees including free valet parking, VIP gift, VIP concierge during dinner program, and more
- Full screen ad shown throughout the night on all event screens

FRIEND SPONSOR \$2,500 (\$2,050 Tax Deductible)

- Reserved seating for two (2) guests including admission to the cocktail reception, dinner program, and after party
- Recognition prior to the BEYOND Gala on event website
- Recognition at the BEYOND Gala during dinner presentation
- VIP Ticket for 2 attendees including free valet parking, VIP gift, and more
- Half screen ad shown throughout the night on all event screens

BRIDGE HOME SPONSOR \$10,000 (\$5,500 Tax Deductible)

- Reserved seating for twenty (20) guests including early admission at 5:30pm to the cocktail reception, dinner program, and after party
- Recognition prior to the BEYOND Gala on event website and additional outlets including email and social media
- Recognition at the BEYOND Gala during dinner presentation
- VIP ticket for all attendees including free valet parking, VIP gift, VIP concierge during dinner program and more
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ADVERTISING SPONSOR \$2,000 (\$2,000 Tax Deductible)

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- Does not include admission to event

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The Impact of Your Gift

\$50,000

Provides lodging annually for any inpatient families who live too far to drive home while their child is at Ranken Jordan

\$25,000

Provides spiritual care for families including weekly programs, bedside visits, and spiritual support for one year

\$10,000

Provides monthly meals for all inpatient families for one year creating opportunities for families to spend much needed time as a unit

\$5,000

Provides the ability to offer annual special sibling support activities and events such as Cookies with Santa and family fun days

\$2,500

Provides the financial support to install a ramp so that a patient can easily get in and out of their house

\$2,000

Provides monthly counseling sessions for a year for two families to process their complex medical journey



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Sponsorship Levels

DUE AUGUST 15, 2026

PARTNER IN PLAY \$50,000

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\$20,500 Tax Deductible

BRIDGE HOME \$10,000

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\$2,750 Tax Deductible

FRIEND SPONSOR \$2,500

\$2,050 Tax Deductible

ADVERTISING \$2,000

\$2,000 Tax Deductible

TOTAL INVESTMENT

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Please return form by August 15, 2026 to receive all sponsorship benefits.

Email us at events@rankenjordan.org.

Ticket Levels

DUE AUGUST 15, 2026

_____ QTY

STANDARD TABLE OF 10 \$4,000

\$2,050 Tax Deductible

_____ QTY

STANDARD TICKET \$450

\$255 Tax Deductible

_____ QTY

AFTER PARTY TICKET \$75

\$39 Tax Deductible

_____ QTY

AFTER PARTY GROUP TICKET \$50 (5 OR MORE GUESTS)

\$14 Tax Deductible

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Mail or email form and payment to:

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