

2026  
**TOAST OF THE TOWN**

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**TOAST OF THE TOWN 2026 – GUEST INFORMATION LETTER**  
**Honouring Terry O'Flynn & Advancing CAR T-Cell Therapy in Alberta**

Dear Guests,

It is our honour to welcome you to the **2026 Toast of the Town Gala event**, an evening dedicated to celebrating the leadership, generosity, and enduring community spirit embodied by **Terry O'Flynn**. We look forward to hosting you on **April 17th** at the **River Cree Resort and Casino**.

Many of you have been long-time supporters of Toast of the Town and close friends of Terry. Your presence adds a depth of meaning to this evening that cannot be overstated.

We are grateful to our presenting partner, **Synergy Projects**, our **Cornerstone, Gold and Silver Partners**, and the numerous long-standing supporters whose generosity helps make this evening possible.

This year, we continue raising awareness and critical funds for immunotherapy research at the Cross Cancer Institute. Thanks to supporters like you, we are nearing our **\$2.5 million goal** to bring the revolutionary **CAR T-cell therapy program** to patients across Alberta.

You can expect an evening filled with WOW!, warmth, laughter, and heartfelt moments as we celebrate Terry and the impact he has made. Terry's leadership, generosity, and unwavering commitment to community have touched countless lives, and it is our privilege to honour him. You will also hear directly from physicians and cancer survivors who will share the remarkable difference CAR T-cell therapy is already making.

## Evening Timeline

Master of Ceremonies: Kevin Karius

5:45 PM – Doors Open & General Reception

6:30 PM – Official Gala Program Begins

7:30 PM – Elegant Buffet Dinner

10:15 PM – Gala Dinner Event Concludes

## Program Highlights

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- Special commemorative touches inspired by Terry's legacy
- Heartfelt stories and tributes honouring Terry O'Flynn
- Surprise Entertainment and messages in Terry's honour
- Opportunities to connect with supporters, Team alumni, and community leaders

### Fundraising Features

- Luxury fishing experience for two at the Queen Charlotte Lodge, Haida Gwai, BC
- Autograph guitar with over 20 Country Music Recording Artists + private concert with a Country Music Recording artist
- Dinner for 12 at Ruth's Chris Steakhouse with Terry O'Flynn and Kevin Lowe
- Concert Suite Tickets to the Jelly Roll/Post Malone
- And more exciting packages to come

### Pre-purchase opportunities

- Limited Edition 2026 Commemorative Ball Caps — signed by Terry
- Argus Innovation Legacy Pucks
- Prize Balloons

### Event Logistics

- Complimentary parking in the Southeast lot
- Enter through the River Cree Hotel entrance
- Event signage will guide you to the ballroom
- Dress Code: Business or cocktail attire

### WHAT WE NEED FROM YOU

**Guest Names:** Please forward all guest names to:

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Rhonda Hjorth @ [rhonda@spirityeg.ca](mailto:rhonda@spirityeg.ca)

Thank you for supporting Terry and for being part of a community that continues to make a profound difference. Your generosity brings us closer to transforming cancer care in Alberta.

We look forward to sharing this evening of Wow with you on April 17th.

With Heartfelt Gratitude, The 2026 Toast of the Town Committee

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