



Dear Rainbow Friends,

Summer 2023

Although Reaching for Rainbows had another beautiful school year with our lovely girls, we really need your help! Please take a moment to read about our 2023 fundraising appeal below.

2023 Urgent Fundraising Appeal We need your help!!!

This year we are facing a critical financial shortfall that jeopardizes our organization's programming. Without immediate funding we will be forced to limit our services.

With your support, we can:

-  Sustain and enrich our programming that includes yoga, reading, music, arts, cooking and sports,
-  Ensure the girls receive healthy snacks,
-  Invest in training and development opportunities for our staff and volunteers, to continue to provide high-quality care and support.

We understand that you receive numerous requests for assistance, but we genuinely believe in the impact of our work and the potential for positive change.

To learn more and make a donation, please visit our website or visit CanadaHelps and search for Reaching for Rainbows. Thank you for your commitment to creating a better world for our community's young girls.



Donate Here

Volunteer with us!

We're looking for volunteers to help in our playroom one day a week from Monday to Thursday, 2:00 -5:00 p.m. Support the girls as they navigate positive peer interactions through play, crafts, fun activities and help with snacks. Interested in joining the fun? We'd love to hear from you! Reach out to us at info@reachingforrainbows.com or 613-438-6469 to learn more.

We would like to thank our volunteer Pat Dye from County Kids Reads for her many years of service to Rainbows. Enjoy your retirement, Pat!





Another School Year Wrapped Up!


That's a wrap on another wonderful program year for Reaching for Rainbows! We had our last playroom day with the girls before summer holidays start and capped off the year with a lovely graduation to wish fond farewell (but never goodbye) to our senior girls. We thank all of our families, dedicated staff Karen and Kelly, and gracious volunteers for a beautiful graduation and memorable year. The smiles on the girls faces say it all and we'll carry them


with us as we break for the summer and work behind the scenes to get ready to welcome them back in the new school year. We would like to extend a very special thank you to La Condesa for raising \$500 which we put to this party!


Thank You to All Who Donated!

 In January Joanne Edema from Bethany Christian Reformed Church in Bloomfield organized craft kits for all the girls.

 The girls were so excited to receive their gift bags from "Something Good" Erin Connor. It was perfect timing for March Break.

 Janice Duffy from Serendipity Yoga offered Yoga classes to our Junior girls.

 Janet Marissen from the Lions Foundation of Canada and Future Guide dog King joined our Seniors program.

 The addition of a karaoke machine to our program has brought so much fun to both groups and not to mention a great confidence builder.

Thank you to all our amazing donors!!



*The Reaching for Rainbows
Board of Directors*

