



AND FIGHT CHILDREN'S ALLERGIES

SPONSORSHIP PROPOSAL

Friday 11 November 2022
St Kilda Town Hall
99A Carlisle Street, St Kilda

AN INVITATION

Epworth HealthCare and the Australian Food Allergy Foundation are proud to offer their corporate friends the opportunity to partner together and join them in the annual food gala to fight children's food allergies – Gather to Graze.

Now in its third year, Gather to Graze brings friends together over great food and great company. It celebrates the notion that every person, no matter what allergies they experience, should have the opportunity to enjoy the finest of foods.

We invite you to join us for an evening featuring an abundance of food designed to be shared together, as prepared by a leading guest chef. In previous years we have been fortunate to have Guy Grossi and Shane Delia curate a menu, showcasing their craft and cuisines through a range of grazing dishes designed to bring people together over food. All courses are generously paired with premium matching wines from our wine partner, Levantine Hill.

A variety of corporate engagement opportunities are available for what promises to be a culinary feast.

All funds raised from this event will be directed towards the Centre for Paediatric Allergies at Epworth.



BACKGROUND

About the Centre for Paediatric Allergies

(An Australian Food Allergy Foundation and Epworth partnership)

According to the Department of Health and Human Services, about one in 10 infants, one in 20 children up to five years of age, and two in 100 adults have food allergies in Australia.

In response to this significant issue, the Centre for Paediatric Allergies was launched in August 2018 through an exciting partnership between Epworth and the Australian Food Allergy Foundation.

The Centre's dedicated fellow, Dr Samara Baldwin, is currently leading a series of research projects in consultation with a team of allergists and immunologists. These projects are focussed on creating change and improving both short and long term outcomes for children with food allergies.



About Epworth HealthCare

Epworth HealthCare is Victoria's largest not for profit private hospital group, renowned for excellence in diagnosis, treatment, care and rehabilitation. Epworth is an innovator in Australia's health system, embracing the latest in evidence-based medicine to pioneer treatments and services for our patients.

The group provides acute medical and surgical services, sub-acute care, diagnostics and rehabilitation to more than 133,000 inpatients and 156,000 outpatients each year. Epworth is a leader in cardiology, oncology, maternity, urology, gastroenterology, orthopaedics, rehabilitation and mental health.

The organisation has five divisions employing over 7,000 staff with 3,000 accredited medical specialists and 1,000 affiliated general practitioners across Victoria.



About Australian Food Allergy Foundation

Today one in ten Australian babies is diagnosed with some form of food allergy. As local scientists and researchers continue to investigate the cause of this growing epidemic the Australian Food Allergy Foundation supports this investigative clinical work by providing annual grants to enable their research to continue and expand.

As advocates for people of all ages living with food allergy and anaphylaxis the Foundation's vision is that all people can lead safe, healthy lives without the fear of a food-related medical emergency. The Foundation is dedicated to improving the lives of people with anaphylaxis and food allergies by raising funds to support Australian scientific research, and educating and informing Australians on how to care for a person with a medically diagnosed condition. The foundation is registered as a Deductible Gift Recipient with the Australian Tax Office.

How you can help

The aim of this event is to have all produce and skills donated towards the event to minimise costs maximise the fundraising outcome of this food gala event.

Levantine Hill has confirmed their committed as the wine partner for now the third year in a row, Atlantic Group will be providing all kitchen and wait staff for the event, and our guest chef is yet to be announced and will be sure not disappoint.

We are now seeking sponsors for Gather to Graze 2022 with levels of sponsorship available and their benefits listed overleaf.



GATHER TO GRAZE

Date:	Friday 11 November 2022
Time:	6.15pm (for 7.00pm) to midnight
Venue:	St Kilda Town Hall 99A Carlisle Street, St Kilda
Audience:	Business, community and social leaders, together with, Epworth HealthCare clinicians, executive staff, board members and trustees, and Australian Food Allergy Foundation board members and special events committee members
Target:	360 guests
Purpose:	To raise funds for children's food allergy research by Epworth and the Australian Food Allergy Foundation.
Dress:	Cocktail
Guest Chef:	Adam D'Sylva, Tonka, Coda, Lollo, Boca Gelato
Chief Winemaker:	Paul Bridgeman, Levantine Hill



LEVANTINE HILL



CORPORATE SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Major Sponsor @ \$15,750

Benefits:

- Three tables of eight seated in prominent location
- Brand signage on three tables
- Key Epworth HealthCare staff seated at your tables (optional)
- Full-page advertisement in the event program
- Audio-visual brand acknowledgement during the evening
- Corporate acknowledgement by the host during the event
- Corporate photo opportunity
- Corporate acknowledgement on website

Associate Sponsor @ \$10,500

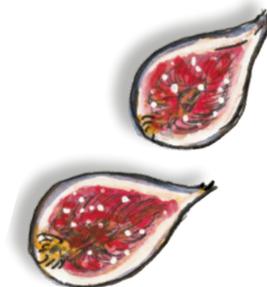
Benefits:

- Two tables of eight seated in prominent location
- Brand signage on two tables
- Key Epworth HealthCare staff seated at your tables (optional)
- Half-page advertisement in the event program
- Audio-visual brand acknowledgement during the evening
- Corporate acknowledgement by the host during the event
- Corporate photo opportunity
- Corporate acknowledgement on website

Table Sponsor @ \$5,250

Benefits:

- Table of eight seated in prominent location
- Brand signage on the table
- Audio-visual brand acknowledgement during the evening
- Brand acknowledgement by the host during the event
- Corporate photo opportunity
- Corporate acknowledgement on website



CONTACT US

We do hope you will come on board and join us at this spectacular food gala!

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