

# Beat the winter blues-join the festivities and support RVH

It's tempting in the cold winter weather to "hole up inside" and go out as little as possible, but celebration and community help to battle the winter blahs.

Two upcoming events in our community have the added benefit of supporting Renfrew Victoria Hospital in its mission to provide quality care close to home.

Coco Jarry's Restaurant is hosting a retro '80s dance on Saturday January 19, costume and dance contests, door prizes, a silent auction featuring prints by Joanne Kalimeris, a wine rack from Deslaurier Custom Cabinets, a one night stay for two and golf pack from Calabogie Highlands, a date night package from Coco Jarry's, and movie passes.

"A cold Renfrew Saturday is perfect for Hot Stuff and an all-vinyl DISCO party! It's also perfect to raise money for the Renfrew Victoria Hospital. After all, they take care of us for: Stayin' Alive, I Will Survive, Night Fever, Born to be Alive. We Are Family!" says party host DJ Mitch.

"We are firm supporters of the hospital, both personally and professionally," adds Steph Miller, Web PR Manager, Coco Jarry's Restaurant & Thirsty Parrot Bar.

Saturday January 25 is the 15th annual day-long Celebration of Life, the legacy of Janet Robertson.

"We are proud to continue to support RVH in memory of our mom Janet Robertson," says Alyssa Gillan. "The Celebration of Life

event was special to her, as she personally experienced what it meant to be able to access care close to home. Continuing this event means a lot to us, as it allows us to continue her legacy and ensure her community spirit lives on. The continued support and turnout from the community has been tremendous."

"The RVH Foundation is extremely grateful for the community support and

engagement through third party events including the upcoming Celebration of Life day and Coco Jarry's dinner and disco night," says Melanie Clemmer, RVH Foundation Donor Relations Assistant.

"Our door is always open to support fundraising event ideas, big or small. We are here to help!"

## Coco Jarry's Disco Party

#### January 19

**5 p.m.** supper – specially themed menu with part of proceeds to RVH Foundation

7 **p.m.** dance party – free admission but donations to RVH encouraged.

### **Celebration of Life**

#### January 25

**7 a.m.** breakfast at Rocky Mountain House with myFM radio on location

11:30 a.m. lunch at Finnigan's Roadhouse

Supper – order in from Renfrew Pizzeria

**7 p.m.** silent auction and dance feature Ghost Town Cryers and The Riley New Band – admission \$10 per person



For information about these and other Foundation events, contact Melanie Clemmer, <u>Donor Relations Ass</u>istant, 613-432-4851 ext. 276 or clemmerm@renfrewhosp.com