** VOCALEYE 15TH ANNIVERSARY 50/50 RAFFLE

Dear Friends:

In celebration of VocalEye's 15th Anniversary, we're excited to launch our third online <u>50/50 Raffle</u>— a fun way to celebrate 15 years of making arts and culture accessible to the blind and low vision community! With a jackpot of up to \$15,000, you could win half! Please spread the word and share this announcement with friends and family in BC!

How you can help:

Your support is more crucial than ever. Due to losing the venue for our annual fundraiser (Moose's Down Under) and waiting on vital grant funding, VocalEye's programming is at risk. By purchasing a raffle ticket, you're not only supporting a cause you care about—you could also win! Half of the raffle pot goes directly to the lucky winner.

Ticket Details:

Choose between a single ticket, starting at \$5, or ticket packages:

- Single Ticket for \$5
- 3-Ticket Pack for \$15

- 15-Ticket Pack for \$30
- 45-Ticket Pack for \$45

Each ticket gives you a chance to win half the total jackpot – that's up to \$7,500!

Purchase Raffle Tickets

*Must be a resident of British Columbia to purchase and 19+ to purchase.

For support purchasing tickets, call <u>604-364-5949</u> or email <u>info@vocaleye.ca</u>. All proceeds go towards VocalEye programs and services that make arts and culture more accessible to people who are Blind and Partially Sighted.

Deadline: Tickets will be available until Wednesday, December 18, 2024 at 5 pm Pacific Time. The draw takes place during our <u>Holiday Surprise Almost Live Zoom event</u>—don't miss it!

BC Gaming License #156831 | Know your limit, play within it.

To our previous winners: A heartfelt thank you to all our previous 50/50 raffle players and lucky winners **Maria Cutchey** and **Louise Johnson**. Your support means the world!

About VocalEye

VocalEye is Canada's first dedicated live description service for the blind, offering programs both <u>in-person</u> and <u>online</u> that improve accessibility, encourage participation, and prioritize the experience of blind and partially sighted individuals.

We provide:

- Descriptive theatre performances, visual arts, and cultural events;
- Social gatherings around arts events (Notable Socials);
- Weekly online Almost Live events featuring guest artists;
- Monthly online Describer Cafes covering topics in audio description and arts access;
- Descriptive tours of public art;
- Sighted guide training.

Our services are free of charge and made possible by a small team, volunteers, project grants, and fundraisers like this one.

Other ways to help

Can't purchase a ticket or outside BC? No problem! You can still support us by:

- Sharing your testimonials and letters of support.
- Engaging with us on social media.
- Telling your friends and family about the raffle!
 Every ticket sold helps us reach our goal. Share the link and encourage others to join: <u>vocaleye.rafflenexus.com/</u>

Let's max out the jackpot for one lucky community member- and help VocalEye build a sustainable future!

Thank you and good luck!

We gratefully acknowledge the generous support of the funders, donors and supporters who help us make the arts more accessible for people who are blind and partially sighted.

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