

Inaugural 2025 Chelly Summer Invitational

June 10th-12th, 2025
Bell Sensplex, Ottawa



Registration Now Open!
Pre-Registration Selection

The Chelly Summer Invitational is dedicated to supporting local charities and families in need. This summer event promises to be a top-tier experience for all participants and spectators.

\$2,500 Entry Fee	Up to 22 Teams	350 Participants	4 Divisions	3 Game Minimum
Elite	Competitive A	Competitive B	Women Exhibition	
Championship Trophies Sponsorship Opportunities				

On-Site Full-Service Bar/Restaurant – Wednesday Night Social Event with Live Music!

All proceeds raised in 2025 will be donated to the Laidlaw family in support of Jack and developing a cure to SPG4!

Ways to get Involved:

Register a Team!

Purchase a Ticket to Jack's
Gala!

Donate to SPG4 via Blu
Genes!

Become a Sponsor!

[Jack's Gala: Reaching for
the Stars Tickets, Multiple
Dates | Eventbrite](#)

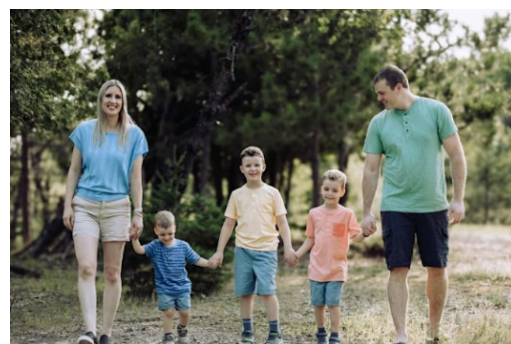
[SPG4 Cure - Blu Genes
Foundation](#)

This Years Charity:

The Laidlaw family, Richard and Anna Laidlaw live in Stittsville with 3 beautiful sons: Jack, 7, Scott, 6 and Tom, 3.

Their eldest son Jack is a bright, happy, friendly and empathetic boy. In true Canadian spirit, Jack is passionate about playing hockey.

In December of 2023, Jack was diagnosed with a rare genetic disease known as Hereditary Spastic Paraplegia Type 4 (SPG4). SPG4 is a progressive disease that currently has no cure or treatment. This diagnosis means he is slowly becoming paralyzed over time due to neuron degeneration in his brain. Eventually, Jack's ability to play the game that he loves will be taken away from him.



Why They Need Our Support

The Laidlaw family is urgently raising funds to support research for a cure for SPG4. Time is critical; once their son Jack's neurons degenerate, they cannot be restored or grow back. With SPG4 affecting approximately 1 in every 50,000 people, research funding is limited, placing the responsibility on families like the Laidlaw's to support this essential research. They are the only Canadian family affiliated with a Canadian charity raising money for SPG4 research. Your support is vital to advance research toward a life-changing cure and to help prevent Jack from becoming paralyzed.

Every registration and sponsorship help to make a difference! Please reach out by May 16th, 2025, with your sponsorship intentions. (Please see our sponsorship package for more details).

If you have any questions or ideas, please do not hesitate to contact Chelsea McDonald (mcdonaldchelsea@live.com) and Marc Telmosse (marc.telmosse@gmail.com).

Thank you in advance for your support! Let's showcase what the Hockey community is all about!