The Pembroke Regional Hospital Foundation's 5th Annual Auto Lotto for Healthcare Grand Prize Winner Announced!

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The Pembroke Regional Hospital Foundation's fifth annual *Auto Lotto for Healthcare* has a winner! This year's *Auto Lotto* did not disappoint, raising over \$101,000 for the Pembroke Regional Hospital's highest priority equipment needs!

The Grand Prize Draw was held on Thursday, December 12th at 11:30 a.m. and the winner of the 2024 Hyundai Kona Essential AWD SUV, Samantha Lefebvre was announced on site at Hyundai Pembroke live on Facebook. Samantha had the difficult decision to make between taking the car or the cash, and she chose the \$30,000 cash! Congratulations Samantha!

Dealer Principal of Hyundai Pembroke, Shannon Slaughter says, "Hyundai Pembroke is so proud of this community and all their contributions to this year's *Auto Lotto* in support of the Pembroke Regional Hospital. We understand first-hand how fortunate we are to be healthy at this time and we are proud to be able to improve the patient experience in a number of ways through this fundraising initiative. This contribution would not be possible without the unwavering support of our community. To everyone who supports us at Hyundai Pembroke, THANK YOU! Your support allows us to give back in meaningful ways, like being part of the *Auto Lotto* for two years in a row. We're thrilled to be part of this initiative again and look forward to continuing to give back to our incredible community."

"We would like to say a big thank you to all the incredible sponsors who helped make this possible, our presenting sponsor, Hyundai Pembroke and supporting sponsors, Perri-Rae Boell & Associates The Co-operators, Baker Tilly REO LLP, Ry J's Climbing Adventure, Tomlinson Group, Henry's Furniture, Valley Refrigeration and Stephanie Hughes for all your support," said Leigh Costello, PRHF Community Fundraising Specialist.

The PRH Foundation's Executive Director, Roger Martin states, "We are so excited for the winner, Samantha Lefebvre, and even more excited that we were able to raise some incredible funds for local health care! It felt like there was some amazing energy in Renfrew County, as people were able to give back to a great cause while trying to win something so amazing. Thank you to our community for all of your incredible support this year, and thank you for helping us celebrate five years of *Auto Lotto for Healthcare*."

In addition to the Grand Prize Draw, three Early Bird Draws were also held! First, two tickets to a World Juniors Hockey Game + \$500 sponsored by Jason Turcotte – Royal LePage were won by Cathie MacIntosh. Second, five \$500 grocery cards sponsored by Hyska's Your Independent Grocers were won by five winners, Barry Davidson, Nathan Rainville, Eric Sims, Darlene Turner and Jean Belec. Third, five \$500 gas cards sponsored by The Brick Pembroke, were won by five winners, Leslie McAllister, Garry Kargus, Adam Smith, Brenda Zadow and Tricia Darley.

Congratulations to all and thank you for your incredible support!

Donations to the PRH Foundation are welcome at any time by calling (613) 732-2811, extension 7408 or visiting the PRHF website at www.prhfoundation.com.

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