



February, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2020

Dear Friends of the Kelly Silverstein Memorial Poker Tournament,

MLSE Foundation is honoured to be a part of your event and we look forward to continuing our partnership, and honouring the legacy of Kelly. We cannot thank you enough for your dedicated support throughout the years.

MLSE Foundation believes all kids should have access to sport. We level the playing field for children by giving them access to sports programs while intentionally developing life skills to support their physical and mental well-being. Our partnership has created the Kelly Silverstein Basketball Court and the Regent Park Athletic Grounds Legacy Grants, supporting 11 organizations through 16 grants.

Funds raised through All In For KSM will support the continued work of MLSE Foundation and projects like MLSE LaunchPad- our largest initiative to date. Located in Toronto's urban centre of Moss Park, MLSE LaunchPad is a 42,000 square foot youth-focused facility that combines sport, education and research for social change. MLSE LaunchPad is more than a gym; it's a movement harnessing the intentional use of sport to build healthy communities and help youth reach their full potential.

We are proud to partner with the Kelly Silverstein Memorial Fund in delivering innovative programming at MLSE LaunchPad. Funds raised will enhance Healthy Mind programs by providing a space for programming in the Wellness Room, access to trained coaches and capacity-building support for our partner organizations. The Wellness Room, Supported by KSM, provides a safe, accessible and inclusive space for youth members and their families to speak to professional counselors from Skylark for free.

We are honoured to continue to be a part of All In For KSM. It is because of your support that we can continue to improve the lives of countless youth at MLSE LaunchPad – Thank you!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "T. Mruck".

**Tanya Mruck**

Executive Director, MLSE Foundation & MLSE LaunchPad