





# What is TeleMiracle?

- TeleMiracle is a 20-hour telethon that raises millions of dollars every year.
- TeleMiracle is also known as "Saskatchewan's Charity."
- The first telethon was held in Saskatoon on February 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup>, 1977.

### Who puts on TeleMiracle?

- Over 700 Kinsmen, Kinette, and KIN volunteers from around Saskatchewan organize and put on the show.
- Every year there are 17 new KIN volunteers that make up the TeleMiracle Committee that plan and organize the show.
- Over 125 production volunteers from around Saskatchewan operate the cameras, lights, & audio.

### How can I watch TeleMiracle?

- It airs on CTV, starting at 9:00 pm on Saturday and ends at 5:00pm on Sunday.
- Stream Online at telemiracle.com for the entire telethon.

### When is TeleMiracle?

- $\circ~$  February 24<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup>, 2024 in Regina.
- It changes from Saskatoon to Regina each year.

### How can I help the people of Saskatchewan?

- You can become a Miracle Maker by donating your own money!
- Get your school/community involved by putting on or supporting a fundraiser.

#### • Examples of Fundraisers:

- selling/buying Helping Hands
- have a dance-a-thon.
- donate your allowance.
- have a lemonade stand.

#### What happens to the money after the telethon?

• The money raised at TeleMiracle goes to the Kinsmen Foundation, which was created by the Kinsmen volunteers in 1971 to gift out all the money raised

## What is the money raised used for?

- It is used to provide resources to kids and adults with specialized needs for medical assistance & equipment that they cannot otherwise afford.
  - Examples of medical assistance:
    - Fund a trip to Edmonton for a child's heart surgery.
    - Travelling back and forth for cancer treatment that is not provided in someone's home community.
  - Examples of specialized equipment:
    - Wheelchairs
    - Scooters
    - Talking Machines
    - Hearing Aids
    - Stair lifts
    - Ramps for wheelchairs
    - Van conversions