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# THE ENCHANTED BALL

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**TOMBSTONE  
OPPORTUNITIES**

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**FRIDAY 21 NOVEMBER 2025**

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As the largest annual fundraiser for the Financial Markets Foundation for Children (FMFC), the Enchanted Ball is a highlight of the financial industry calendar.

The event sees the big four banks come together alongside leading industry players to raise \$1,000,000+ in an evening that promises philanthropy, fun, entertainment and networking.

Circa 1,000 guests will attend, including the RBA Governor, CEO's and senior executives from Australia's prominent financial and corporate institutions, global investment and institutional banks, Partners and senior representatives from top tier legal & accounting firms, and of course our vital sponsors.





OUR BENEFICIARY

# THE FINANCIAL MARKETS FOUNDATION FOR CHILDREN

Over 34 years, the FMFC has allocated more than \$30m to 263 research projects that focus on the health and welfare of Australian children.

In an exciting update on the FMFC's work, \$2.3 million of funding has been committed to "Healthy Beginnings", a collaborative project between the University of Melbourne, Monash University, University of Sydney and University of NSW, which will investigate the feasibility of an early intervention system to identify children with physical and mental health issues and developmental difficulties in their childcare years.

In the first 2,000 days of our children's lives, early identification of and intervention in health and developmental challenges optimize their life chances as they grow (and saves the Australian taxpayer \$15.2 billion per year).





1 In 2 children aged 0–5 attend  
childcare centres and this high  
population affords an opportunity to  
reach over 1.3 Million children across  
all ethnic and socio-economic groups.

As well as addressing gaps in the current system,  
the staged programme of work, will:

1. Develop a screening tool
2. Develop the intervention program
3. Pilot a feasibility study within the identified population

As part of the intervention, child health and developmental support will be offered in person and via online multidisciplinary teams. Without long waiting times, key outcomes of early child development, social and emotional wellbeing and thinking skills will be optimized at this crucial time in the lives of Australian children.





## PAST SPONSORS

# WHAT OUR SPONSORS HAVE TO SAY:

“What an absolute privilege it was for United Airlines to be a part of the 2024 Enchanted Ball. A truly amazing evening filled with fabulous company, dining and entertainment to raise funds to support the incredible work of the FMFC”.

**–United Airlines**

“The magnificent achievements of the Enchanted Ball and FMFC are something that the Pepperstone Group are very proud to be a part of. It’s an honour to support such an important cause year on year. Bring on the Enchanted Ball 2025!”

**–Pepperstone**

“Supporting the Enchanted Ball and the incredible work of the FMFC is an absolute honour. Knowing that our contribution helps make a real difference in children’s lives is deeply meaningful to us. We are proud to stand alongside such a dedicated community and look forward to continuing our support for this important cause.”

**–Smile Solutions**





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# HOW YOU CAN PARTNER WITH US

To support our beneficiary – the FMFC – and enable it to continue its vital work to improve the health and welfare of Australia's children, the Enchanted Ball Committee is co-ordinating a 2025 Tombstone.

Contributions from members of the financial markets community are donated directly to the FMFC, dollar for dollar, with participants appointed roles according to their contribution.

The Tombstone offers an exciting way to compete with your finance industry peers by making a pledge. We hope you will join us in making a charitable contribution to become a Co-Manager, Lead Manager, Global Arranger or Contributor in 2025.





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# TOMBSTONE POSITIONS AS FOLLOWS:

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\$10 – 15K	Contributor
\$15K	Co-Manager
\$20K	Lead Manager
\$25K+	Global Arranger

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The final 2025 Tombstone will be announced at The Enchanted Ball and Tombstone participants will be acknowledged by way of:

- \* Company logo on Enchanted Ball website – [www.enchantedball.com.au](http://www.enchantedball.com.au)
- \* Link to Enchanted Ball website from FMFC website
- \* Full page advertisement in Kanga News (date TBC)
- \* Dedicated Tombstone page in the official Enchanted Ball program received by guests
- \* Announcement of final Tombstone contributions on digital screens at the Enchanted Ball
- \* Global Arrangers will also enjoy prominent bespoke signage at their table and preferential seating

Global Lead Arranger is occupied by CBA as Enchanted Ball host bank.

We thank the following for their contribution to the 2024 Tombstone – NAB, ANZ, Westpac and Macquarie Bank (Global Arrangers), Bank of America, RBC, TD and UBS (Co-Managers) and J.P. Morgan and Citi (Contributors).





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