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Virtual Gala June 9, 2021

EVENT TIMELINE

6:00 PM



PRE-SHOW VIRTUAL COCKTAIL TABLES

If you're a part of a virtual table, join your tablemates in your Zoom breakout room to raise a glass in advance of the main program.

VISIT THE PHOTOBOOTH

Snap some pics, gifs, and boomerangs - add special frames, filters, backgrounds, and stickers to amp up the fun!

Note that the photobooth cannot be in use at the same time as Zoom (both use the camera feature!)

ADD TO OUR EVENT LIVE FEED



Say hi to your fellow event attendees, share a favorite Read Ahead memory, or why you support Read Ahead!



VIEW THE DIGITAL JOURNAL

Before the main event begins at 6:30 PM, click through to the main program to view our digital journal.

6:25 PM - Wrap Up Virtual Tables

Please exit your Zoom breakout room, and go the event's "Schedule" page to access the link to the main program. It's almost time to begin!

6:30 PM



MAIN PROGRAM

Sit back and enjoy highlights from this year of Read Ahead, and join us in toasting tonight's honoree Principal Renny Fong of P.S. 130. We encourage you to use the chat!

7:00 PM - Program Concludes

QUICK TIPS

- You'll receive an access link the day of the event, sent to the email address you registered with, from our event platform Cadence. Please keep an eye out for it!
- To fully enjoy the event platform, we recommend using your laptop or desktop computer and a Chrome browser.
 If you prefer using a phone or tablet, you will need to download the Cadence app [Cadence - Event Experiences].
- The link you will be provided with is an instant log-in button. It is clickable for 24 hours. If you need to re-sign in, press the same instant log-in button.
- We encourage you to log in a little before the start time to ensure you are ready to go when the event begins.

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