

SCENE AT BANFF



On May 15, the Kinnear Platinum Club celebrated its inaugural event. Through their membership fees, Club members support the Kinnear Centre and the artists and leaders who gather there.

Above (l-r) Chris MacKimmie, Gerald D. Chipeur, Q.C, Barbara Chipeur and guest.



The Kinnear Platinum Club event provided an opportunity to mingle with Alberta and community leaders, including Jim Kinnear, chairman and CEO of Kinnear Financial Ltd, Karen Sorensen, Town of Banff mayor, and Jeff Melanson, president of The Banff Centre.



Canadian jazz singer Laila Biali serenaded Kinnear Club members and spoke eloquently about the creative inspiration provided by The Banff Centre. "I wrote nine songs in three days," the JUNO-nominated pianist and singer said.



Club members enjoyed wine and hors d'oeuvres and a chance to network with other attendees. Above: Jeff Melanson chats with Lisa and Howard Backman.

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