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Global TV anchor Jamie Orchard to be honoured at Grand Marshal's Roast & Toast

HUDSON – The organizing committee of Hudson's St. Patrick's Parade is looking forward to formally welcoming Global Television anchor Jamie Orchard as the Grand Marshal of the 2019 edition of the parade at the annual Grand Marshal's Roast & Toast dinner on Saturday, March 2.

Ms. Orchard, a veteran broadcaster who is well known to Montreal's English-speaking community, will be honoured at the event, which will include appearances by well-known Montreal broadcasters Tom Whelan and Peppermint Patty.

"It's really an honour, especially in this the 10th year of the parade," said Orchard, commenting on being named Grand Marshal.

Former former Grand Marshal, the late Randy Tieman, will be honoured at the event this Saturday, as the Randy Tieman Memorial Award will be unveiled. This award will be presented to the best media entry in this year's parade, on Saturday, March 16.

Tickets for the Grand Marshal's Roast & Toast, which will be hosted at the Whitlock Golf & Country Club in Hudson, are \$65. Seats must be reserved by calling 450-458-5305.

For more information about the parade, please go to www.hudsonparade.ca

WHO: Jamie Orchard – Parade Grand Marshal

WHAT: Grand Marshal's Roast & Toast

WHERE: Whitlock Golf & Country Club, 128 Côte St. Charles, Hudson, 450-458-5305

WHEN: Saturday, March 2, at 6 p.m. Tickets: \$65.

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