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## **A Second Year for The Grand Walk supporting Heart + Stroke at the Formula 1 Canadian Grand Prix.**

Montréal, March 7, 2018 – The Formula 1 Canadian Grand Prix is pleased to announce the return of the Grand Walk, a charity event benefiting the Heart + Stroke Foundation. The event will take place at Circuit Gilles-Villeneuve on Friday, June 7<sup>th</sup> during the Formula 1 Canadian Grand Prix festivities.

As of 6 pm, participants of all ages will get to walk the track, where this year's F1 cars will have practiced just hours prior, alongside this year's spokes people Olympian-medallists Joannie Rochette and Alexandre Despatie.

**Date: Friday, June 7, 2019**

**Time: 6 pm**

**Where: Circuit Gilles-Villeneuve**

**Tickets: [gpcanada.ca](http://gpcanada.ca)**

"Hundreds of fans attended the inaugural walk last year to support a cause that hits close to home. I am proud to be able to present a second edition of this wonderful event and hope to see even more fans take part," declared the President and CEO of the event, François Dumontier.

To take part in this unique experience while supporting vital, cutting-edge research funded by Heart + Stroke, participants may purchase their tickets which are already on pre-sale at the cost of \$45. To do so, please visit our site at [gpcanada.ca](http://gpcanada.ca). The number of participants is limited.

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