

Oh Yeah, It's The Mom Prom, Folks

WOMEN AND CHILDREN ARE THE BENEFICIARIES OF THIS FESTIVE ANNUAL FUNDRAISING EVENT.

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Blake Shelton, Bradley Cooper and Shemar Moore were all spotted at Saratoga Mom Prom this year—well, at least their cardboard cutouts were.

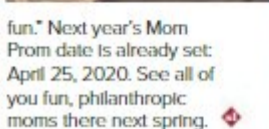
The Saratoga Mom Prom, an annual event that raises money for local women's and children's charities, took place on April 13 at the Holiday Inn Saratoga Springs. The event, which featured raffles, tarot card readings, caricatures, music by DJ Caroline Kurkowski and the

crowning of a prom queen,* raised more than \$26,000 for the Saratoga County Children's Committee's Back To School Program. That amount brings the total funds raised by the Mom Prom to more than \$118,000 over the last seven years.

After the event, one of the 300 guests said she loved "seeing women of all ages coming together for a good cause, while another said, "It's such a fun thing—to be with all those great women dancing and having



mothers' nature This year's Saratoga Mom Prom featured cardboard cutouts of the hottest celebrities, a prom queen pageant and plenty of dancing.



fun." Next year's Mom Prom date is already set: April 25, 2020. See all of you fun, philanthropic moms there next spring. ♦