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Gatsby Glamour

FLAPPER CHIC WAS IN FULL SWING AT THIS YEAR'S 1920S-STYLED **KIDZ HORIZON APPEAL GALA DINNER**

THE ROARING TWENTIES WAS revived at this year's Kidz Horizon Appeal Gala Dinner with the 400-strong crowd dressed in the most dazzling 1920s fashion. Founded by **CAROLINE LOW-HEAH** in 2004, Kidz Horizon is dedicated to helping children with HIV or cancer by raising funds and disbursing them through the KK Hospital Health Endowment Fund. This year's dinner raised a hefty \$450,000 that will benefit these terminally ill children.

Decked out as a luxurious Orient Express train carriage, The Ritz-Carlton, Millenia Grand Ballroom was redolent with the glamour reminiscent of the famous plush train journey in that golden era of travel. To set the mood, screens on both sides of the walls displayed images of passing scenery to depict the moving train while a train master welcomed guests into the dinner party.

Evidently having a fabulous time with *The Great Gatsby* dress code, the dinner crowd wore classic 1920s glamour with panache. While male guests opted for smart tuxedos, the ladies had a ball with stinky flapper dresses, satin gloves, strands of pearls, and even fur stoles, as well as Marcel waves in their hair – evocative of the styles in the Jazz Age.