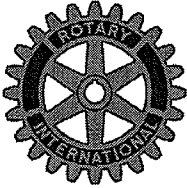


Rotary Club of Washington, D.C.



September 11, 2008

Dear Potential Sponsor:

Organized
July 11, 1912

Club No. 46
District 7620

The Rotary Club of Washington, DC will hold its Annual Wine Auction at the Stars & Stripes Lounge at the Nationals Stadium on Saturday, November 1, 2008 at 7:00 p.m. The proceeds of the Annual Wine Auction are used to support our international humanitarian projects. Our theme this year is **MAKING DREAMS REAL FOR KIDS**. The Rotary Club of Washington, DC, as one of the oldest and largest Rotary Clubs, is extremely active in addressing many of the most pressing humanitarian issues facing people around the world today, including HIV/AIDs, hunger, clean drinking water, healthcare services for children and – an increasingly important tool that is being used to address worldwide poverty – youth entrepreneurship. We have several large projects in progress and several more under consideration for the upcoming year, including:

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- a potable water distribution system for 1,600 elementary school students, teachers and villagers at 3 school sites located in rural, poverty-stricken villages in mainland China – Qingyan, Longbao, and Shanniin;
- burn prevention, treatment and rehabilitation programs for children in Panama, Dominican Republic, El Salvador and Bolivia (a little known fact is that over 7 million children, mainly in Latin America, are severely burned **each** year);
- electrocardiogram equipment for the public hospital in Vincente Lopez, Argentina and a children's vision program in that region;
- water filtration systems to be installed in various cities in Zambia;
- heart surgeries for children with severe heart ailments in India;
- an orphanage in Tanzania for kids that have lost their families to HIV/AIDs;
- water filtration systems to be installed in multiple cities in Argentina; and
- projects in Senegal, Sudan and Haiti addressing malaria and certain other diseases affecting young children.

Please find attached the listing of sponsorship opportunities. We appreciate your consideration of this request and hope that you will join us in **MAKING DREAMS REAL FOR KIDS**. If you have any questions, please contact me at (202) 625-3651. Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Lisa-Marie C. Monsanto".

Lisa-Marie C. Monsanto
Co-Chair of World Community Service Committee

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**SPONSORSHIP INFORMATION
ROTARY CLUB OF WASHINGTON, DC
2008 WINE AUCTION**

MAKING DREAMS REAL FOR KIDS

Our sponsors at the Titanium Level (\$10,000) are entitled to:

Preeminent event signage

Premier table location

Introduction during the program

Opportunity to make remarks at the event

Pre-event recognition in the written (electronic) materials and on the Washington DC Rotary Club weekly newsletter and the Wine Auction Website

Up to 16 event tickets

Our sponsors at the Platinum Level (\$5,000) are entitled to:

Preeminent event signage

Premier table location

Introduction during the program

Pre-event recognition in the written (electronic) materials and on the Washington DC Rotary Club weekly newsletter and the Wine Auction website

Up to 8 event tickets

Our sponsors at the Gold Level (\$3,000) are entitled to:

Preeminent event signage

Premier table location

Introduction during the program

Pre-event recognition in the written (electronic) materials and on the Washington DC Rotary Club weekly newsletter and the Wine Auction website

Up to 6 event tickets

Our sponsors at the Silver Level (\$1,000) are entitled to:

Event signage

Pre-event recognition in the written (electronic) materials and on the Washington DC Rotary Club weekly newsletter and the Wine Auction website

Up to 4 event tickets

Our sponsors at the Bronze Level (\$500) are entitled to:

Event signage

Pre-event recognition in the written (electronic) materials and on the Washington DC Rotary Club weekly newsletter and the Wine Auction website

Up to 2 event tickets

Please make your check payable to the Rotary Club of Washington, DC.