



Lakeshore Alternative Elementary School PTA

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Dear Friend of Lakeshore

We need you. We are a public school in SF and we rely on you, our community, to help educate our children. It has been said that “it takes a village.” In these difficult economic times, with budget cuts threatening to diminish the quality of public education, this is especially true.

At Lakeshore, our PTA provides funding for Poetry, Gardening & Science, Studio Art, Theater, and other enrichment programs for over 560 children. The PTA also funds such basics as yard supervision, physical education, and classroom supplies. Our continued success depends on the support of businesses such as yours.

Our largest fundraising event of the year, the Auction & Wine Tasting Gala, will take place on April 24, 2010. Historically, the auction has generated about 30-50% of the PTA's budget, and has been attended by hundreds of Lakeshore parents, teachers, alumni, and friends. Please make a contribution to this important event. Gift certificates and merchandise are welcome, as is sponsorship through the purchase of advertising space. All donations will be acknowledged in the auction catalog. And, of course, all donations are tax-deductible as allowed by law. To donate, please complete the attached form and mail to the Lakeshore PTA by April 10, 2010. If you have any questions, please call me at (415) 824-7265.

This is a great way for you to support a terrific SF public school and to gain the satisfaction of knowing that you've made a difference in our children's lives.

Thank you, and warm regards,

Andrea Brown, MD
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