



RaisingHOPE, Inc.

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Dear Community Partner,

RaisingHOPE, Inc. invites you to partner with us by participating in our silent auction at the **6th Annual HOPE4Kids Festival & Run on April 28, 2018**, at Lake Sherwood in Thousand Oaks. Last year's event was attended by an estimated 3,000 festival and race participants, many of whom notice and appreciate businesses that support this important cause.

The mission of RaisingHOPE is to provide advocacy, awareness and funds to abused and neglected children, many of whom are or were in the foster care system in Ventura County and the Conejo Valley through funding, community events, mentoring and legal advocacy.

Thanks to funds raised through our annual HOPE4Kids events, we have seen a direct and positive impact on local foster youth. In 2017 we gave more than \$70,000 to help foster children in need. For example, we were able to meet needs such as bunk beds to keep sibling sets in the same placement, provide anesthesia for much-needed dental care and cover fees for children to participate in extra-curricular activities, along with college textbooks and car repairs for recently emancipated youth. Funds raised have also allowed RaisingHOPE to establish a mentoring program which provides valuable connections between foster youth and community members.

Enclosed is our Silent Auction Donation Form to return with your family-friendly donation of items and/or gift certificates/cards. You may create an entire basket if you choose, which can be wrapped by either you or us. Other ways to increase your exposure as an event contributor are by becoming an event sponsor and/or donating a gift certificate, coupon or other promotional material that we can include in the swag bags for each registered participant.

Please email your donation form to info@raisinghope.org or contact us to let us know that we can pick up a donation from your office.

We are grateful for your partnership and know that the community will appreciate your involvement as well. Visit us at www.raisinghope.org or www.facebook.com/raisinghope4kids/ Consider registering to run/walk in the race and attend the festival to see our event firsthand. We hope to see you there – thank you again for making a difference with your donation!

Sincerely,
Lauren Desai and Kari Coppinger
Silent Auction Volunteers
HOPE4Kids Festival & Run

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HOPE4Kids FESTIVAL & RUN SILENT AUCTION DONATION FORM

Company Name: _____

Contact Person: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

Website: _____

Item name and description including any restrictions or expirations: _____

Estimated Fair Market Value: \$ _____ (Required)

Donation: Gift Certificate/Card Tangible Item

Delivery: Item Enclosed Contact Me for Pick Up At _____
Items preferably will be received or picked up by late March/early April.

We would like to thank you in advance for your generous donation!

For donation submittals or questions, please contact
Kari Coppinger: 818-400-9803 or kari_coppinger@yahoo.com
Lauren Desai: rlauren422@gmail.com

Staff Only	
Basket #	_____
Final Bid Amount	_____
Form Paid	_____
Received by	_____
Released by	_____

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