

A Child's H.E.A.R.T., Inc.



Homes, Ethnicity, Advocacy, Resources, Training

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Dear Community Supporter:

May is National Foster Care Awareness Month, and there are currently 115,000 foster youth living in the state of California.

For A Child's H.E.A.R.T., Inc., is a non-profit organization which provides counseling and support services to foster and adoptive youth, and their caregivers, and is proud to have served foster children, youth, and families in Solano County and surrounding areas for the past 16 years.

Many of the youth we have served over these years are already, or on their way, out of the foster care system, not having a permanent family/home. Statistics also indicate that within two to four years of aging out of the foster care system 51% of former foster youth are unemployed, 40% incarcerated and 25% homeless.

On the evening of **Saturday May 31st** we will sponsor our **Annual Foster Pride Celebration & Recognition Dinner** to celebrate the accomplishments of graduating foster youth, by providing scholarships for transitional living and/or continued academic studies; and recognize others for excellence and improvement in academic and other areas of performance. We will also acknowledge foster parents, social workers and others who have made a positive impact in the lives of foster youth.

During the day we will offer a unique, intensive, hands-on, interactive **workshop** for youth and young adults ages 15-25 years old, entitled "**Foster Pride & Empowerment: Stepping Into Our Greatness**". This workshop, designed and endorsed for use by motivational speaker **Les Brown**, himself a former foster youth, will provide insights, strategies and tools to enhance the participants' ability to realize and discover the greatness and potential in their individual lives, families, and communities.

It is said, "youth are 40% of our population but 100% of our future". and we are asking your company to partner with us in making a significant investment into both our youth and the future of our communities by becoming a sponsor of these events.

Attached you will find the Sponsor/Donor Agreement form along with categories of sponsorship through which you may partner with us, as well as a Wish List for product donations.

We look forward to your partnering with us, and thank you in advance for doing something special "for a child's heart"

Sincerely,

Evelyn Polk, LMFT
Founder/Executive Director

Counseling & Support Services for Children in Out-Of Home Care & Their Caregivers/Consultations/Trainings/Workshops

Visit our Website: www.forachildsheart.org

E-Mail: HEART@forachildsheart.org

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SPONSORSHIP AGREEMENT

1. SPONSOR INFORMATION:

Company Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Contact Person: _____ Phone: (____) _____ Ext. _____

Fax: (____) _____ E-mail: _____

SPONSORSHIP CATEGORY SELECTION

I/We will partner with For A Child's H.E.A.R.T., Inc. for the Foster Pride Celebration and Foster Pride Empowerment Workshop with sponsorship in the following category:

- \$20,000 Platinum Heart
- \$15,000 Crystal Heart
- \$10,000 Heart of Gold
- \$5,000 Silver Heart
- \$2,500 2 Grand Heart
- \$1,000 Grand Heart
- \$500.00: Sweet Heart
- \$100.00: Caring Heart

2: PAYMENT:

- PayPal Online** (www.forachildsheart.org)
- Check** enclosed in the amount of: \$ _____ (Payable to **For A Child's H.E.A.R.T., Inc**)

Credit Card Payment:

____ Visa ____ MasterCard ____ Discover ____ American Express

Card Number: _____ Exp. Date: _____ 3-Digit Code: _____:

Name on Card (Please Print): _____

Cardholder Signature: _____

3. PRODUCT DONATION:

I/We will donate the following items valued at \$ _____ from the "Desires of HEART" Wish List:

4. SPONSOR RECOGNITION:

A digital image of our Company logo or a photo to be included in event program materials will be sent via e-mail to fosterpride@forachildsheart.org not later than **Friday, 5/23/08** ,

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**“DESIRES OF HEART”
WISH LIST**

(200) Gift Bags

Gift Bag Items for 100 youth & 100 Adults

Workshop Materials for 100 Youth:

1” Binders

Pens

Poster Board

Scissors

Glue Sticks

Color Markers

Award/Photo Frames

(3) Paper Shredders

Snacks for 100 Youth

21” Trophy

Decorations and Centerpieces for 15 tables

(25) \$25 and \$50 Gift Certificates for Award Recipients

Web Conferencing Equipment/Set-Up