



Dear Community Supporter,

Friends of Mandarin Scholars (FMS) will celebrate its 5th annual Lunar New Year Gala on Saturday, March 4, 2017 at Domenico Winery in San Carlos, California. Please help us celebrate the continued growth and success of San Mateo-Foster City School District's only public Mandarin Immersion program.

Friends of Mandarin Scholars needs your support! FMS supports the only public Mandarin Immersion program in the San Mateo-Foster City School District that educates K-8 students at the College Park Elementary School and Bayside STEM Academy Middle School campuses, respectively. As our largest fundraiser of the year, the gala helps raise critical funds necessary to enable FMS to continue its funding for teaching aides, homework assistance and professional development, as well as provisions such as texts, materials, supplies and enrichment opportunities through summer school and scholarships.

You can support our efforts with a tax-deductible donation of auction items to be offered in our silent or live auction. Your contribution is an extraordinary way to support a program that opens doors for young students, providing them with exceptional learning opportunities and a greater world view. We look forward to showcasing your name amongst the list of supporters featured in this year's gala program. With an expected 250 plus attendees, our gala is a perfect opportunity to not only show your support, but have great visibility to a large number of potential customers.

We have included our donation form, detailing how you can help. We ask that all items donated for auction be received by **February 4, 2017** to be included in our program booklet.

We gratefully appreciate your dedication to bringing excellent education to our students. Please contact us at sponsorship@mandarinscholars.org with any questions or learn more about us at www.mandarinscholars.org.

Sincerely,

Nhi Huynh
FMS Auction Committee Chair

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Auction Donation Form: FMS Lunar New Year Gala 2017

Business or Donor Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Contact Person: _____ Phone: _____

Email: _____

Item Donated to Auction: _____

APPROXIMATE RETAIL VALUE (rounded to the nearest dollar): \$ _____

Description of Item: _____

Restrictions or Special Conditions (preferred expiration date is 3/04/2018): _____

Check the appropriate box:

- Certificate/Item enclosed
- Please contact to arrange pick-up or delivery
- Please provide certificate on my behalf

Please email/mail this form by February 4, 2017 to:

Email this form to: sponsorship@mandarinscholars.org

Send your auction donation to:

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Thank you for your generosity!