



November 6, 2009

Dear Community Sponsor and Donor,

On April 22, 2010 Freedom4U will hold our annual fundraiser, *Evening with the Stars III*. This exciting evening, held at Trump National Golf Club, features guest sports and entertainment stars, silent and live auctions, a fabulous dinner and live jazz entertainment provided by talented youth musicians. **We are writing to ask for your support by becoming an event sponsor and/or donor.**

Freedom4U is a non-profit organization providing programs in creative arts, life skills, leadership and service to youth in the Palos Verdes and South Bay communities. We offer a variety of programs to help youth develop and share their talents, form healthy and safe relationships, and reduce risky behaviors. Our programs include:

- Joint operation of the Annex Youth Center with PV Library District. The Youth Center is a safe, supervised center open after school and on Saturdays to middle- and high-school youth.
- Drug and alcohol abuse prevention programs.
- School-based counseling services.
- Programs promoting creative arts and sharing of youth talent such as our Jazz Expression, The Awakening, Music Night and annual film contest.
- Workshops (GirlWise and WiseGuys) to facilitate development of healthy relationships, responsible decision making, goal setting, and improving school performance.
- Resource services for parents including classes and seminars on parenting, decision making, youth stress management and other topics.

Generous sponsorships and donations helped to make last year's *Evening with the Stars II* a huge success; we raised over \$40,000. This year our goal is \$50,000! All proceeds from the event go towards continuation and growth of the important programs and services we provide to youth and parents in the community.

We hope that you will contribute to *Evening with the Stars III* by becoming a sponsor or donor. Sponsorships are available at different levels as outlined in the attachment. The success of this event depends on the support and generosity of members of the community like you.

Thank you again for your consideration of our request. To become a sponsor, please return your sponsorship form by March 13, 2010. If you have any questions, please contact Dr. Greg Allen, Director of Freedom4U, at (310) 897-5043 or greg@freedomcommunity.com.

Very truly yours,

Dr. Greg Allen
Director