

Dear friend and supporter:

Marvista Elementary School in Normandy Park, WA is a unique resource in our community. Being the only public school located in our city, Marvista is Normandy Park's heart, its hub, its anchor. We have outstanding academic success, unparalleled parent involvement, and amazing school pride. Go Orcas! Today's kids will be tomorrow's leaders in business and our wonderful community. By supporting our school you play an instrumental role in making sure that every student will be **"Standing in the Hall of Fame"** in whatever venture they choose. You are ensuring their academic, social & emotional success.



Our 2017 PTSA auction was a smashing success. Guests donned their totally awesome 80s attire and we rocked the night! The room was packed with friendly faces from the school and our community. Our amazing patrons helped us beat all of our fundraising goals. Once again, we ended the night with smiling faces, tired dancing feet and the question of "what will next year's theme be"? So this year we will envision every student **"Standing in the Hall of Fame"**. We will gather on **Saturday, March 24th, 2018 at The Cove in Normandy Park** for what is sure to be a night to remember.

Because of our outstanding parent, community and local business support, we have been able to continuously offer our students and families the following (just to name a few):

- Support for enriching field trips
- Art curriculum in every classroom
- Teacher grants
- Reading and math resources to enhance and supplement the district curriculum
- A unique, multi-layered music program for 5th and 6th graders including orchestra, marimba and band
- Increased access to technology in the classrooms through the purchase of important computer hardware

All of these incredible gifts wouldn't be possible without the support of people like you. As our schools continue to struggle with tight budgets, it is **increasingly** important for the PTSA to step up and provide these extra resources for our school.

We ask that you consider making a tax-deductible donation to support our children and our very special community school. When considering your donation, think about offering an experience, item or service that represents our **"Standing in the Hall of Fame"** theme. We also have valuable sponsorship and advertising opportunities for businesses who want to reach the Marvista audience of consumers. We anticipate more than 250 guests at this year's event and our auction communications reach more than 800 individuals. If you are interested, please indicate so on the enclosed procurement form and a PTSA member will contact you.

Please complete the enclosed procurement form and return the top copy with your item (**the yellow copy is for your records**) to the Marvista PTSA Auction at the address provided. For catalog inclusion please return it by February 11, 2018.

Thank you in advance for your generous support of Marvista Elementary PTSA!

Sincerely,

Your 2018 Auction Chairs

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