



HOPES & DREAMS GALA  
**Sponsorship Package**

**Friday, May 29, 2026**

**6:30PM GENERAL ADMISSION | 5:00PM VIP EXPERIENCE  
SAINT JOHN'S RESORT**

**Living  Learning**  
Enrichment Center



Dear Friends and Supporters,

As we prepare for our 5th annual Hopes & Dreams Gala, I'm filled with gratitude and excitement for what we've accomplished together and what lies ahead.

This past year has been transformative. We added 26 new job coaches, expanding to 135 community-based partner sites across 30 cities and celebrated 54 successful job placements. Our campus flourished with MOD Market showcasing member talents, our BLOOM initiative created beautiful bouquets, and our renovated kitchen hosted popular cooking classes.

Last year's gala energy was absolutely electric—over 600 guests and sponsors came together at Saint John's Resort, and we're thrilled to return there again this year for another unforgettable evening.

Your support has been incredible. We established our first endowment fund, and provided scholarships to ensure accessibility of our programs. Most importantly, 87% of parents observed positive changes in their loved one's mental health, and 74% of caregivers reported their loved ones were excited to wake up each day.

I'm honored that Governor Whitmer appointed me to the Michigan Autism Council, positioning Living and Learning to shape autism services statewide while advancing our mission of inclusion and independence.

Your partnership makes every breakthrough possible. Whether through sponsorships or donations to our auctions, your contributions directly impact lives, allowing us to expand programs and reach more individuals.

I invite you to join us once again. Together, we're not just dreaming of a better future—we're building it, one life at a time.

With heartfelt appreciation,

Rachelle Vartanian  
Founder, President and Parent  
Living and Learning Enrichment Center



## HOPES & DREAMS GALA Sponsorship Levels

### Presenting Sponsor | \$50,000

- Two reserved tables of ten and VIP Reception
- Recognition as “Presented by...” on printed materials, social media postings, and Gala webpage
- Individual sponsor signage and logo at Gala event
- Full-page advertisement inside front or back cover of Gala program
- Half-page sponsor profile in annual report

### Platinum Sponsor | \$25,000

- One reserved table of ten and VIP Reception
- Recognition in printed materials, social media postings, and Gala webpage
- Sponsor signage including logo at Gala event
- Full-page advertisement in Gala program
- Half-page sponsor profile in annual report

### Gold Sponsor | \$10,000

- One reserved table for ten and VIP Reception
- Recognition in printed materials, social media postings, and Gala webpage
- Sponsor signage including logo at Gala event
- Full-page advertisement in Gala program

### Silver Sponsor | \$5,000

- Reserved shared table with eight tickets to event and VIP Reception
- Recognition in printed materials, social media postings, and Gala webpage
- Sponsor signage at Gala event
- Half-page advertisement in Gala program

### Bronze Sponsor | \$3,500

- Reserved shared table with six tickets to event and VIP Reception
- Acknowledgment on Gala webpage and social media postings
- Sponsor signage at Gala event

### Copper Sponsor | \$1,000

- Reserved shared table with two tickets to event and VIP Reception
- Acknowledgment on Gala webpage and social media postings
- Sponsor signage at Gala event

### Reserved Table | \$3,000

- One reserved table of ten seats for Gala event (no VIP Reception tickets)

### Individual Gala Ticket | \$225 / \$300

- No reserved table seating
- Gala event only \$225
- Gala event and VIP Reception \$300

### Program Ad | \$500

- Half-page advertisement in Gala program



**Thank you for your Hopes & Dreams Gala sponsorship.  
Your donation will help to improve the lives of individuals with disabilities.**

**Please Complete the Information Below:**

- Presenting Sponsor** | \$50,000, full-page ad, prime position, half-page sponsor profile
- Platinum Sponsor** | \$25,000, full-page ad, half-page sponsor profile
- Gold Sponsor** | \$10,000, full-page ad
- Silver Sponsor** | \$5,000, half-page ad
- Bronze Sponsor** | \$3,500
- Copper Sponsor** | \$1,000

- Reserved Table** | \$3,000
- Individual Gala Ticket and VIP Experience** | \$300  
Number of Tickets: \_\_\_\_\_
- Individual Gala Ticket** | \$225  
Number of Tickets: \_\_\_\_\_
- Program Ad** | \$500

Contact name: \_\_\_\_\_

Company name: \_\_\_\_\_

Web address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Name as it will appear on signage, brochure, etc:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Form of Payment:**

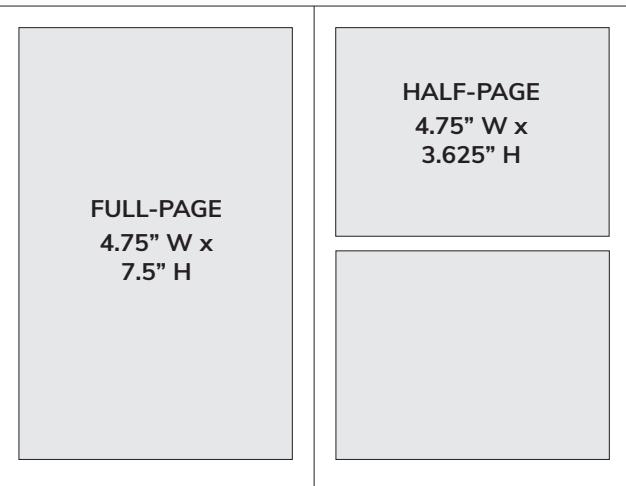
Check (Included): #\_\_\_\_\_ Please make checks payable to Living and Learning Enrichment Center.

Credit Card: \_\_\_\_\_ Visa \_\_\_\_\_ Mastercard \_\_\_\_\_ Discover \_\_\_\_\_ AMEX \_\_\_\_\_ Credit Card #: \_\_\_\_\_

Name on Card: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_ CVV#: \_\_\_\_\_

Please send this completed form and 100% of payment to Living and Learning Enrichment Center, 801 Griswold St, Northville, MI 48167. Send company logo and ad to Dennis Howie at [dhowie@llecmi.org](mailto:dhowie@llecmi.org). See design specifications below.

**Event Program Ad and Logo Specifications**



**PROGRAM AD SPECIFICATIONS:**

Preferred format: high resolution PDF (embed all fonts, images 300 dpi)  
Other acceptable formats: TIFF (CMYK/300dpi), or Adobe Illustrator EPS (CMYK, fonts converted to outlines and rasterized graphics embedded). Please size your ad to the ad sizes on the left.

**LOGOS:**

Preferred format: vector Adobe Illustrator EPS file with all fonts converted to outlines and rasterized graphics embedded.  
Other acceptable formats: PSD, TIFF, PNG, or JPEG. The logo must be a minimum of 5.5" wide or 4" high (whichever is the larger proportion) at 300 dpi.

**AD DEADLINE: April 24, 2026**

Submit ads to Dennis Howie at [dhowie@llecmi.org](mailto:dhowie@llecmi.org). For additional information, please contact Dennis Howie at 248.308.3592 ext.122.



## HOPES & DREAMS GALA Auction Donation



Our Living and Learning Enrichment Center Hopes & Dreams Gala will include a silent and live auction at the event. Your contribution will ensure this part of our event is a huge success! The deadline to donate auction items is April 24, 2026.

*Thank you for your generous support.*

### Please Complete Auction Information Below:

Donated By: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Business Name or Personal Name)

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Donated Items With Description:

Donation Value: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please pick up my donation after this date: \_\_\_\_\_

I will deliver or mail my donation to:

Hopes & Dreams Gala  
c/o Living and Learning Enrichment Center  
801 Griswold Street, Northville, MI 48167

Received by LLEC Staff/Volunteer: \_\_\_\_\_

Date Received: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please send a completed copy of this form to Melissa Cooper at [mcooper@llecmi.org](mailto:mcooper@llecmi.org).  
If you have any questions, please call Melissa at (248) 308-3592, ext. #125.**



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