

# Montessori Academy

Private Pre-school & Public K-8 Charter School in Paradise Valley

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## Montessori Academy's Shining Stars Gala needs You!



This premiere event needs parents, faculty, and community members partnering with local businesses to support our school in holding a delightful evening of fun for a great cause. It takes a coordinated effort to host a successful event like *Shining Stars Gala*, which is why...

### *We Need Your Help!*

- We are asking all families to donate or solicit a minimum of *two items* for the auction. Consider making a simple request to businesses with whom you interact regularly, or to family and friends. Every single donation helps us reach our goal!
  - Two-part donation agreements are available in the school's front office.
  - If you use the attached "email version", please make an extra filled-out copy: one copy goes to the donor and one copy must be sent in with the donation.
- If you are a business owner, please consider making a donation from your company.
- Ask your employer if they are willing to support this event by either making a donation and/or attending the event. Many large companies have a Donation contact.
- Help underwrite the cost of the event by becoming a *SUPER SPONSOR*.
- Know anyone who can donate tables, linens, invitations, printing, serving staff, etc?
- Invite family members, friends, colleagues, and neighbors.
- Tickets \$65 individual, \$120 couple. Reserved VIP Table for 10 guests is just \$600 and includes a bottle of champagne. Each guest will receive dinner, 2 drink tickets, and casino chips.

This year we are fundraising specifically to help with Assistant's Salaries, Technology Advances, and Facility upgrades.

Remember, Montessori Academy is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization, and your donations may be tax-deductible. Our Tax ID (EIN) is 75-2990833. If you can help us, or if you have any questions, please email us at [maazoffice@montessoriacademyaz.org](mailto:maazoffice@montessoriacademyaz.org), or visit us at [www.montessoriacademyaz.org/ssg.html](http://www.montessoriacademyaz.org/ssg.html).

*Thank You!*

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