

Gala of Giving

St. John Bosco Catholic School

October 4, 2017

Dear Parents,

With over a month of school in, I hope you are enjoying hearing about all the things your child(ren) are doing in school, along with some of the extracurriculars they may be involved in. Fall is an exciting time of year as well as a special time to enjoy God's beauty which is all around us. Because Fall is a wonderful time to be out and about, I need to ask a favor...

We have already begun work on our 2018 "Gala of Giving" event. As you may or may not know, the Gala is our school's largest fundraiser; it raises over \$40,000 annually to benefit our educational programs, technology and your child's academic experiences. But this doesn't happen overnight, nor does it happen without many helping hands.

Right now, I am looking for parents/families to "adopt" 10 businesses in our community. This is what the 'adoption' would entail:

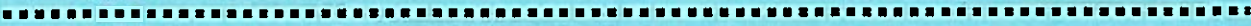
1. Hand deliver a donation letter to your 10 assigned businesses.
2. While delivering your letter, please share with the owner/manager/person in charge why you send your children to St. John Bosco and why we are asking for a donation—in other words, brag a little 😊.
3. Follow up with a call or another visit if necessary.
4. Pick up donation and deliver it to school.

If you would be able to do this small part for our Gala of Giving, please complete the bottom half of this paper and return it to school by Monday, October 16th. I will then contact you and get the letters you will need for your 10 assigned businesses. Please consider helping out—what a great excuse to visit businesses you may have never stopped by before!

Thank you for your time and consideration of my request. As they say, 'many hands make light work'! If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at lisa.mueller@johnboscoschool.org or call before or after school at 743-4144.

Sincerely,

Lisa Mueller



_____ I would love to adopt 10 businesses!

_____ Name

_____ Best number to reach me at.

_____ Check here if you would enjoy visiting more than 10 businesses 😊.