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SPRING AUCTION EVENT | **DONATION REQUEST** Spring 2024

I hope this letter finds you in good health and high spirits. I am writing to you on behalf of the Nevada Sage Waldorf School, a beloved educational institution in our community that has been nurturing the minds and spirits of children for many years.

We are excited to announce our upcoming Live and Online Spring Silent Auction, which is scheduled to take place on March 23, 2024 as a part of our ongoing efforts to support the school's mission and provide enriching educational experiences for our students. The funds raised from this event will be dedicated to enhancing the educational programs, enriching resources, and ensuring the sustainability of our school.

We are reaching out to our generous community members and local businesses, who have been the cornerstone of our school's success for many years, to kindly request your support by contributing a donation to our spring auction. Your generous contribution will play a vital role in helping us achieve our fundraising goals.

Your donation can take many forms, such as a product, service, experience, or a monetary contribution. It could be a gift certificate, a unique item from your inventory, a memorable experience, or any other valuable item you can provide. No donation is too small, and every contribution will be highly appreciated!

In return for your generosity, we will ensure that your contribution is prominently featured in our auction, with due recognition and exposure to a broad and engaged audience, including our students, parents, staff, and supporters. We will also highlight your contribution on our website and social media platforms, expressing our gratitude for your commitment to Nevada Sage Waldorf School.

To arrange for your donation or to discuss any questions or details, please feel free to contact fundraising@nevadasagewaldorf.org or Kristin Ryan at 775-501-0361. Your donation will need to be received by March 15, 2024 to ensure its inclusion in the auction.

Nevada Sage Waldorf School is deeply committed to providing holistic and individualized education that nurtures creativity, critical thinking, and a lifelong love of learning. Your support is instrumental in helping us achieve these goals and create a brighter future for our students.

Thank you for considering our request. We are profoundly grateful for your support and generosity, and we look forward to partnering with you to make our Spring Auction Event a resounding success. Please see enclosed for non-profit (501c3) private school tax exemption letter.

With warm regards and gratitude, **Kristin Ryan, Christmas Uberuaga, and Stefanie Hull** *Spring Auction Event Committee* fundraising@nevadasagewaldorf.org

WHAT IS WALDORF EDUCATION?

Non-sectarian and non-denominational Waldorf schools educate children with an academically rigorous approach to education. Waldorf education integrates the arts in all academic disciplines to enhance and enrich learning.

ARE WALDORF SCHOOLS ART SCHOOLS?

No, not quite. Research continues to show that the inclusion of the arts in academia increases aptitude and creative thinking in areas such as math and science, and has a positive effect on emotional development. International education studies (PISA scores) continually show that Waldorf students outperform all others in science. Waldorf schools operate as independent nonprofits. We focus on teaching the whole child, instead of just the rote memorization you see in many schools. Not only does Waldorf work with the students' heads, but their hands and hearts too, with very experiential hand work, lessons, and games. Waldorf students think for themselves, learning to problem-solve and find creative solutions. Waldorf schools turn out whole people, the best kind for solving challenges in a growing community and an expanding world!

NEVADA SAGE WALDORF SCHOOL | RENO, NEVADA

While there are over 1,000 Waldorf schools in 83 countries and over 250 Waldorf schools here in the United States, Nevada Sage Waldorf School is the only Waldorf school in Northern Nevada! Founded here in Reno in 1999 by a group of parents, Nevada Sage Waldorf School is dedicated to inspiring life-long learning in all students and enabling them to fully develop their unique capacities. Currently serving children in Nursery, Pre-K, and Grades K-8. Nevada Sage Waldorf is not your average private school. We are a 501c3 non-profit and 20% of our students receive tuition assistance. We are proud that parents value our school curriculum and that we are able to offer assistance to those in need.

Nevada Sage Novaldorf School

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Annual Spring Tundraiser MARCH 23, 2024 | 6:00PM VILLAGE WELL

7600 RANCHARRAH PKWY, SUITE 100 • RENO, NV 89511

This is an adult-only evening. All proceeds benefit Nevada Sage Waldorf School, whose unique

approach to education, based on the work of Rudolf Steiner, provides rigorous learning experiences that engage the mind, enliven the imagination, and honor the spiritual development of each child.



FIND OUT MORE & PURCHASE TICKETS



CLASS PROJECT LIVE AUCTION SILENT AUCTION WINE RAFFLE MUSIC DINNER & DESSERT *ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES NOT INCLUDED

SAVE THE DATE! ONLINE SILENT AUCTION ON QGIV APRIL 19-21 WE KINDLY THANK OUR SPONSORS AND DONORS FOR THEIR GENEROUS SUPPORT.





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Sponsorship Level, Amount:

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM TO: Nevada Sage Waldorf School | Attn: Spring Silent Auction | Fundraising@NevadaSageWaldorf.org

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE P. O. BOX 2508 CINCINNATI, OH 45201

Date:

OCT 27 2005

DESERT SAGE EDUCATIONAL INITIATIVE 541 MORAN ST RENO, NV 89502-0000 Employer Identification Number: 88-0451470 DLN: 17053274735035 Contact Person: THOMAS C KOESTER ID# 31116 Contact Telephone Number: (877) 829-5500 Public Charity Status: 509(a)(2)

Dear Applicant:

Our letter dated JANUARY 3, 2001, stated you would be exempt from Federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, and you would be treated as a public charity, rather than as a private foundation, during an advance ruling period.

Based on the information you submitted, you are classified as a public charity under the Code section listed in the heading of this letter. Since your exempt status was not under consideration, you continue to be classified as an organization exempt from Federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Code.

Publication 557, Tax-Exempt Status for Your Organization, provides detailed information about your rights and responsibilities as an exempt organization. You may request a copy by calling the toll-free number for forms, (800) 829-3676. Information is also available on our Internet Web Site at www.irs.gov.

If you have general questions about exempt organizations, please call our toll-free number shown in the heading between 8:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. Eastern time.

Please keep this letter in your permanent records.

Sincerely yours,

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Lois G. Lermer Director, Exempt Organizations Rulings and Agreements

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