



**BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS  
OF NORTHWEST NEW JERSEY**

December 20, 2009

Dear Supporter,

I am writing to you on behalf of the **Boys & Girls Clubs of Northwest New Jersey**. We are holding our Twelfth Annual Dinner Dance, our marquee fundraising event, on March 26, 2010 at the Brownstone in Paterson, N.J. All proceeds will be used towards the enrichment of our youth development programs. We are respectfully requesting, and would very much appreciate, a donation of an item or service from your organization to be included in the Silent Auction held that evening.

The Boys & Girls Clubs of Northwest New Jersey relies solely on the generosity of individuals, local businesses and corporations for support. As a successful business leader of today, we are hopeful that you will help assure the continuation of programs and activities that will develop and mold our society of tomorrow.

As you may be aware, the Boys & Girls Clubs of Northwest New Jersey has been a leader in youth development for over 36 years, making a pronounced and positive difference in the lives of young people. In the past five years the Club has experienced tremendous growth, and we are continuing the expansion by initiating development of programs and services throughout Northwest New Jersey. By offering positive alternatives to the host of negative forces and pressures facing today's youth, the Boys & Girls Clubs of Northwest New Jersey is effectively battling juvenile crime and gang involvement, alcohol and other drug use, alienation and apathy.

We thank you for your consideration, and look forward to receiving an item from your organization to be included in our Auction. We request that all items be received by **March 12, 2010**. Please contact Lisa Moen at 973-633-9007 should you have any questions or need us to pick up your donation.

We appreciate your support of the children of our community!

Best regards,

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