

Clear Lake-NASA Area



LUNAR
Rendezvous
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Post Office Box 57486 ♦ Webster, Texas 77598

Welcome to the 46th annual Lunar Rendezvous Festival! The first Lunar Rendezvous Festival was held in 1965 to celebrate the rendezvous of Gemini VI and Gemini VII in space and to preserve the history and accomplishments in the space sciences area. Over the years, the Festival has grown beyond its founder's imagination. Each year, hundreds of volunteers work together to foster community spirit and raise funds to benefit the Bay Area. The proceeds from the Lunar Rendezvous Festival are used to support the Bay Area Museum, award college scholarships, and provide program funding for local non-profit organizations in our community.

I hope you will consider becoming a Corporate Sponsor or an In-Kind Donor for the 2011 Lunar Rendezvous Festival. Please keep in mind that Individual Sponsors are also welcome. Sponsorship provides contributors a unique opportunity to touch the lives of many people, from all walks of life, throughout our community. Our 2011 Corporate Sponsors and In-Kind Donors receive complimentary advertising in event programs, in area newspapers and magazines, and on local television shows that will highlight Lunar Rendezvous events. Our website, www.lunarrendezvous.org, is updated annually to promote our Corporate Sponsors, Court Sponsors, In-Kind Donors, and the current Festival Court.

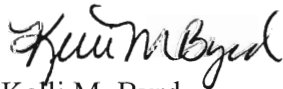
Journey with us in 2011 as we commemorate the first rendezvous of Gemini VI and Gemini VII and take to the stars with this year's theme "Come Fly with Me." Please join us for the Kick-off Party, which will be held at the University of Houston-Clear Lake, Bayou Building, Atrium II on Sunday, April 17, 2011 beginning at 3:00.PM. Community members and Lunar Rendezvous supporters are invited to enjoy the event and meet the 2011 Festival Court, comprised of Princesses, Lieutenants, Little Ladies in Waiting, and Pages. In addition, all 2011 Corporate Sponsors will be recognized.

I have enclosed a Corporate Sponsor Form and an In-Kind Sponsor Form for your consideration. The forms list the different levels of sponsorship available and what each level offers the sponsor. Should you wish to donate an amount not listed, please contact me so that we may accommodate your desired sponsorship level. Please remember we are a Non-Profit 501(c)(3) organization so some or all of your donation may be tax deductible.

I have also enclosed a summary of the Distribution of Funds from 2008, 2009 and 2010. Lunar Rendezvous has given hundreds of thousands of dollars in scholarships over the years. We also continue to provide for the local businesses and charities. We give as much as we possibly can each year and we are able to do so with the generosity and continued support of people like you.

If you would like to become a 2011 Festival Corporate Sponsor, In-Kind Donor, or have any questions, please contact Kelli McCorkle Byrd at 713-622-3900 or kmbbyrd@wadecocpa.com.

Warm Regards,



Kelli M. Byrd

2011 Lunar Rendezvous Festival

General Chairman

Lunar Rendezvous Festival Corporate Sponsor Benefits

501(c)3 Tax ID # 23-7122743
www.lunarrendezvous.org

Return to: Lunar Rendezvous General Chair

Post Office Box 57486
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Phone (281) 326-5950

- Lunar Galaxy \$ 25,000**
 - Acknowledged at all events.
 - Camera Ready Full back page Ad in Fashion Show and Coronation Ball program.
 - \$5,100 in ticket admission to Festival events
 - Invitation to Thank You/Wrap Up Party
- Diamond \$ 10,000**
 - Acknowledged at all events.
 - Camera Ready Full page Ad in main event programs
 - \$3,250 in ticket admission to Festival events
 - Invitation to Thank You/Wrap Up Party
- Platinum \$ 5,000**
 - Acknowledged at all events.
 - Camera Ready Full page Ad in main event programs.
 - \$2,000 in ticket admission to Festival events
 - Invitation to Thank You/ Wrap Up Party
- Gold \$ 3,000**
 - Acknowledged at all events.
 - Camera Ready Half page Ad in main event programs.
 - \$1,050 in ticket admission to Festival events
 - Invitation to Thank You/Wrap Up Party
- Silver \$ 1,500**
 - Acknowledged at all events.
 - Listed on one page with other donors in programs.
 - \$ 650 in ticket admission to Festival events
 - Invitation to Thank You/ Wrap Up Party
- Bronze \$ 1,000**
 - Acknowledged at all events.
 - Listed on one page with other donors in program.
 - \$ 250 in ticket admissions to Festival events
 - Invitation to Thank You/Wrap Up Party
- Lunar Star \$ 300**
 - Listed with this level donor in Ad programs
 - Considered a donation or to a designated event
 - \$ 125 for ticket value to Festival Events
 - Invitation to Thank You/Wrap Up Party

I unable to be a sponsor this year but accept this donation on my behalf: \$ _____

A Corporate Sponsor Coordinator will contact you to determine which events you wish to attend, to help coordinate your advertising in event programs and provide you with any other information. Please mail the completed form to the above address or call Bay Area Museum (281) 326-5950 for information. E-mail info@lunarrendezvous.org.

Acknowledgement at events will be printed once payment is received. Your designated sponsor event tickets may NOT be exchanged or substituted for any other events if not used or you do not attend the event.

Signed: _____

Title: _____

Date: _____

Revision 11/30/10

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-Brings the community together through the use of volunteers in a united effort to celebrate the Clear Lake Area's legacy and to foster a passionate commitment to serve the community.

-Encourages excellence in education through the selection and distribution of annual scholarship funds to area high school students and other designated charities.

All printed material camera ready art must be submitted and paid for by second Wednesday in June for inclusion in the programs.

Identify your level or type of sponsorship

Check if your company has matching funds. Please enclose a completed matching gift form

Name of company _____

CORPORATE SPONSOR INFORMATION:

BUSINESS OR INDIVIDUAL DONOR

List Donor as a person or as a business as you wish it to be listed in printed materials.

Name _____

Phone _____ Cell _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email _____

Contact person to call: _____

PAYMENT OPTIONS:

Amount \$ _____ Date _____

Checks payable to: Lunar Rendezvous Festival

Check # _____ Visa Master Card AmEx

CC # _____

Expiration date: _____ 3 digit # _____

City & State _____

Billing Zip code (for credit card) _____

Print Name as appears on card: _____

Signature: _____

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Name _____

Phone _____ Cell _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email _____

Contact person to call: _____

Type of Services Provided:

What event (s): _____

Value of In Kind donation: Amount \$ _____

INKIND SPONSOR BENEFIT LEVELS

- Distinguished \$ 10,000 - \$ 25,000**
 - Acknowledged at all events
 - Camera Ready Full page Ad in Fashion Show and Coronation Ball program due by deadline.
 - \$1,000 in ticket admission to Festival events
 - Invitation to Thank You/Wrap Up Party
- Major \$ 5,000 - \$ 9,999**
 - Acknowledged at all events.
 - Camera Ready Full page Ad in Fashion Show and Coronation Ball program due deadline.
 - \$ 500 in ticket admission to Festival events
 - Invitation to Thank You/Wrap Up Party
- Benefactor \$ 3,000 - \$ 4,999**
 - Acknowledged at all events.
 - Camera Ready Half page Ad in Fashion Show and Coronation Ball program due by deadline.
 - \$ 250 in ticket admission to events
 - Invitation to Thank You/Wrap Up Party
- Patron \$ 1,000 - \$ 2,999**
 - Acknowledged at all events.
 - Listed on one page with other donors in programs.
 - Invitation to Thank You/Wrap Up Party
- Lunar \$ 500 up to \$ 999.00**
 - Acknowledged at all events.
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Distribution of Funds
2008, 2009, and 2010

Bay Area Museum	\$ 102,762.00
Bay Area Museum Guild	3,000.00
Assistance League of the Bay Area	4,500.00
Bay Area Habitat for Humanity - Houston, Inc.	500.00
Bay Area Houston Ballet and Theatre	4,500.00
Bay Area Turning Point	3,000.00
Bay Area YMCA	4,000.00
Butler Longhorn Museum	1,000.00
CCISD College Scholarships (\$2,000 each)	170,000.00
CCISD Science Department	2,000.00
CCISD - Hugh O'Brian Youth Leadership Conference	3,000.00
CCISD - Girls State and Boys State	2,600.00
Community in Schools	3,000.00
Family Outreach Clear Lake/Bay Area Inc.	1,000.00
Friends of Evelyn Meador Library	23,000.00
Friends of Freeman Branch Library	1,000.00
Helen Hall Library	1,000.00
Houston Symphony League - Bay Area	2,000.00
Interfaith Caring Ministries	1,500.00
Lunar Rendezvous Festival Endowment for College Scholarships	10,100.00
Lunar Rendezvous Festival Start Up Funds	10,000.00
Lutheran South High School College Scholarship	2,000.00
Razzmatazz, Jill Rauscher School of Dance	1,000.00
The Arts Alliance Center at Clear Lake	5,000.00
University of Houston - Clear Lake	5,500.00
Volunteer Houston Bay Area	1,950.00
West Bay Common School Children's Museum	1,000.00
Total Distributions for 2008, 2009 and 2010	<u>\$ 369,912.00</u>