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2017 "Bow Ties & BBQ" Fundraiser a Success!

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On Saturday, April 8, 2017 we celebrated our annual fundraiser, presented by Publix Super Markets, at the Intercontinental at Doral Miami. Our annual fundraiser supports the educational programs and services that



help over 15,000 South Florida students each year succeed in and out of school.

"Together we can create a society where all children discover their own greatness and build on their strengths, optimizing their own unique brand of excellence to become productive, fulfilled members of our community," explained Elyssa Linares, President & CEO.

This year's theme was "Bow Ties & BBQ," a family-friendly function to commemorate our dedication to empowering students to stay in school through mentoring, tutoring, skill development, community resources and more.

Guests enjoyed a delicious barbecue dinner, silent auctions, craft sales, and activities for both children and adults including a "make your own bow ties" station, table tennis, sand art and a photo booth.

The evening would have not been a success without the support from our wonderful sponsors: Publix Super Markets Charities; Greenberg Traurig; Florida Power & Light; Richard & Judie Jacobs; City National Bank; JPMorgan Chase & Co.; Olympus; Kaufman, Rossin & Co.; Lehman Auto World: Doral Hyundai and Doral Kia; Popular Community Bank; CI Management; and Shutter Box Photo Entertainment.

Our deepest gratitude goes out to everyone who joined us. It is our hope that if you are currently not engaged with our programs that you will join us in being the ladder for students throughout Miami-Dade County.

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