



CELEBRATING THE GIFT OF GIRLHOOD



5:00 - 9:00 PM
THE DEPOT, MINNEAPOLIS

225 3rd Ave. S., Minneapolis, MN

CELEBRATION OVERVIEW

- Delicious food and cash bar
- Connect and engage with community members
- Excellent entertainment
- Live & silent auctions
- Memorable and uplifting program

GRANTS, MENTORSHIP, AND DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITIES

The Ann Bancroft Foundation (ABF) is in its 27th year of steadfastly investing in the bright futures of girl-identifying youth in Minnesota and equipping them with the knowledge, skills and resources essential to thrive. ABF remains the sole organization in Minnesota to offer programming that combines grant awards, mentorship, and development opportunities for girls enrolled in Kindergarten-12th grade. Grantees are encouraged to "imagine something bigger" for their future and partake in a broad range of activities and opportunities where they express themselves, ignite an interest or fuel a passion, deepen their knowledge, and push themselves further than ever. This is made possible with proceeds raised each April at the Ann Bancroft Foundation annual celebration event.

POSITIVE IMPACT ON ABF GRANTEES

The Ann Bancroft Foundation programming has an uplifting and transformational impact on our 5,700+ grantees, aligning seamlessly with our Theory of Change. The Ann Bancroft Foundation believes investing in girls by increasing access to transformative experiences builds COMPETENCE, CONFIDENCE, CONNECTION, CHARACTER AND CARING, and disrupts the impacts of gender inequities by helping girls build skills to navigate today's challenges, and laying the foundation for future successes that strengthen our communities.

What's more – 100% of girls surveyed agreed that their funded activity helped them learn more about themselves and changed their lives for the better. 81% of evaluated grant recipients reported that without their grant, they were unsure if they would have been able to participate in their activity. And 94% of the girls surveyed indicated that their mentor's support helped them succeed.

SUPPORTING THE 2024 ANNUAL EVENT

This work continues to change girls' lives with proceeds raised at the Ann Bancroft Foundation annual celebration, our primary fundraiser. The 2024 event takes place on April 25, 2024, at the Depot in downtown Minneapolis. This year, we anticipate a record-breaking 650 guests to attend including long-time and new donors, grantee alumna, mentors, parents, board members, staff, community partners, and their guests. The revenue generated at this event is essential to continuing to provide grants, programming, and resources to talented, driven girls across the state. When you donate an auction item, you proudly partner with the Ann Bancroft Foundation and directly support girls in reaching their full potential.

For questions or additional information, please contact events@annbancroftfoundation.org



Imagine Something Bigger



With your auction donation, you support Ann Bancroft Foundation's mission to create a world where every girl has a chance to live her dream and reach her full potential. Thank you for ensuring the success of our event and making dreams possible!

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		ITEM:	
BUSINESS/DONOR NAME (As it should appear in print materials)		ESTIMATED VALUE:	
CONTACT		DESCRIPTION (include quantity, size, color, number of days/nights, expiration date and ALL RESTRICTIONS):	
MAILING	ADDRESS		
PHONE			
EMAIL			
Auction items must be in-hand no later than April 8th.		CHECK APPLICABLE LINE(S):	
<u>Piease i</u>	return this form by March 28th to:	Donor will deliver item	
EMAIL:	events@annbancroftfoundation.org	Item needs to be picked up	
MAIL:	Ann Bancroft Foundation	Donor will provide promotional material	
	2356 University Avenue W. #404	Donor will provide certificate by April 8th	
	Saint Paul, MN 55114	ABF to create certificate by April 8th	

The Ann Bancroft Foundation is a non-profit tax-exempt organization (#41-1691868). All contributions are tax-deductible under IRS tax code section 501©(3). If you have questions, please contact Amy Eppen at events@annbancroftfoundation.org or 612-361-8191.

Donors will receive an acknowledgement of gifts in May. Thank you!

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