

February 2024

"I'd be safe and warm; If I was in L.A.; California Dreamin'; On such a winter's day." — The Mamas & the Papas

Dear Friends,

There are few sunny days for more than 430,000 children nationwide as long as they are not with their families. In California, we have 60,000 children in foster care with roughly about 25,000 in Los Angeles. These children lay their heads at night and dream for better days. Today, we have the opportunity to make children and youth's dreams come alive at our **California Dreamin': 2024 Five Acres Annual Gala** on Saturday, May 18, 2024.

Inspired by the beautiful landscapes in our state, stunning coastlines, and opportunity in thriving industries, California Dreamin' for better futures is what we desire for our children. Their dreams, wishes, and hopes for living in the land of opportunity is not lost on us. While we continue to keep them safe and warm, we also are committed to permanency with support from families who open their hearts and homes.

For more than 135 years, Five Acres has been bringing safe and warm homes to children who have experienced abuse, neglect or been abandoned. They are committed to ensuring that every child's wish to have a loving, permanent family of their own be fulfilled. We're delighted to invite you to celebrate with us and support the more than 6,500 vulnerable children and families they serve each year.

We will gather at **California Dreamin': 2024 Five Acres Annual Gala**, which will be held at the private estate of Meghan and Monte Baier in Sierra Madre on Saturday, May 18, 2024. Amidst the natural beauty and mountains, the festivities will take place outdoors in a luxurious lawn and poolside where guests will enjoy gourmet food, cocktails, music, and dancing.

Your generous support has been instrumental in helping us realize dreams for many in our history, and we invite you to join us again as a sponsor or underwriter. Together, we can make California's dreams a reality for foster care children, aspiring parents, and individuals in need of mental health support. Please review our sponsorship and underwriter levels to see where you envision making a contribution to fulfill our dreams. Thank you, in advance, for supporting **California Dreamin': 2024 Five Acres Annual Gala**.

Sincerely,

2024 Gala Committee

2024 Gala Co-Chairs Erica Adler \* Tammi Rogers Committee Claudia Alcaino \* Nancy Aplin \* Athena Asklipiadis \* Jennifer Berger \* Michael Bowman \* Chelby Crawford Smith \* Mimi Carter \* Michele Doll \* Shayna Fiore \* Trish Gonzales \* Rose Gonzalez \* Beth Hansen \* Kirsten Hansen \* Tera King \*Jenny Lin \* Jennifer Marinov \* Sue McGuirl \* Matt McIntyre \* Jessica Paz \* Marisol Perez \* Shoshana Puccia \* Nicole Rasic \* Candy Renick \* Chris Selak \* Sharick Smyser-O'Keefe \* Zoe Walrond \* Julie Yorba \* Armineh Yousefian \* Zeenat Zonte



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# Sponsorship Opportunities

## **CALIFORNIA DREAMIN' TOP SPONSOR \$25,000**

3 VIP Tables for 10 (30 guests) \* Tableside Champagne Service \* VIP Parking for 3 cars \* VIP Auction Checkout \* Logo inclusion on invitation \* Highlight on social media \* Logo on GOBO projection, step & repeat, and on 300+ mobile devices during event \* All Silver Sponsor recognition benefits

#### **GOLD SPONSOR \$20,000**

2 VIP Tables for 10 (20 guests) **\*** Tableside Champagne Service **\*** VIP Auction Checkout **\*** Logo inclusion on invitation **\*** Highlight on social media and logo on step & repeat and on 300+ mobile devices during event **\*** All Silver Sponsor recognition benefits

#### SILVER SPONSOR \$10,000

1 Premier Table for 12 guests **\*** Tableside Champagne Service **\*** VIP Auction Checkout **\*** Logo inclusion on invitation **\*** Logo on step & repeat and on 300+ mobile devices during event **\*** Recognition benefits in matrials including invitation, event webpage, Five Acres website, press release mentions, and name recognition on stage

#### **SAGE SPONSOR \$7,500**

1 Table for 10 guests **\*** All Silver Sponsor recognition benefits

### **TECHNOLOGY SPONSOR (TECH) \$5,000**

1 Shared Table for 4 guests **\*** Highlight on social media **\*** Logo on 300+ mobile devices during event **\*** All Silver Sponsor recognition benefits

#### PINK SPONSOR \$3,000

1 Shared Table for 6 guests **\*** Name recognition on invitation, event webpage, and Five Acres website

## LAVENDER SPONSOR \$1,000

2 Event Tickets **\*** Name recognition on invitation, event webpage, and Five Acres website

## **BLUE SPONSOR \$5,000**

1 Table for 8 guests **\*** Name recognition on invitation, event webpage, and Five Acres website

#### **CORAL SPONSOR \$2,000**

1 Shared Table for 4 guests ★ Name recognition on invitation, event webpage, and Five Acres website



All sponsors will receive corresponding Philanthropy Circle recognition and benefits. Please visit our website or contact Jenny Lin at JennyLin@5acres.org or call (626) 390-8453 for full details. Thank you!

#### Health & Safety Statement

Five Acres and our residence partner will follow all public health guidelines associated with operating an outdoor fundraising gala event. Five Acres will post on the event webpage and send any needed safety measures to all guests prior to the event.

This event is subject to change. Please consider underwriting your support if an in-person event is not possible due to inclement weather or unforeseen circumstances.

If for any reason you are unable to attend the event after your purchase, we thank you for your support as a donation.



# Underwriting Patron Opportunities

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SUNSET DINING	\$10,000
BEACH PARTY RECEPTION	\$5,000
CITRUS BLOOMS	\$3,000
CALIFORNIA DREAMIN' LOUNGE	\$2,500
SURF CITY ENTERTAINMENT	\$2,500
CHAMPAGNE AT THE POOL	\$2,000
TROPICAL SIGNATURE DRINK	\$2,000
PALM TREES CAR VALET	\$1,750
SURF'S UP DESSERTS	\$1,500
CALIFORNIA DREAMIN' DECOR	\$1,500
SWAG/PARTY FAVORS	\$1,500
CHILDREN'S SURFBOARD OF WISHES	\$1,000
SURFER VOLUNTEER MEALS	\$1,000
STAFF MEALS	\$1,000
GOLDEN GOBLETS	\$1,000
POOLSIDE BARS	\$1,000 EACH



All underwriters will receive recognition on invitation, event webpage, and all marketing materials.

For invitation recognition, please submit your sponsorship or underwriting contribution by March 15, 2024. For questions, please contact us at events@5acres.org or call (626) 487-3748.

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Five Acres is a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization ★ Federal Tax ID #95-1647810





# Yes, we'll support California Dreamin': Five Acres Annual Gala! (PLEASE COMPLETE ALL APPLICABLE INFORMATION)

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Donor Name						
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# Auction and Wine Donation Form

Yes, we'll support California Dreamin': Five Acres Annual Gala!

Auction Donor
Wine, Champagne, or Spirits Donor

PLEASE LIST DETAILS BELOW.

# We are unable to donate at this time. But the Five Acres mission is important to our community and we'd like to support children and families you serve.

\$

Please make checks payable to Five Acres.

# **AUCTION ITEMS & WINE**

Please provide details, including fair market value or estimated value(s) and restrictions/limitations. Please feel free to email photos or literature that will help us promote this item on the event webpage, marketing materials, as well as during the auction.

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**O** We wish to remain anonymous. Please do not list our names.

#### PLEASE REPLY BY APRIL 29, 2024 TO BE INCLUDED ON THE EVENT WEBPAGE.

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