



EDMONDS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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Dear Sir or Madam,

The STARS Foundation is a non-profit organization dedicated to creating enrichment and learning opportunities for the children of Edmonds Elementary School. We are a group of parents, teachers, and community members intent upon providing a better education for our children. Our focus is on the arts, sciences, technology, and cultural studies. Some of our past grants have funded:

- Enhanced Science and Health Curriculum for all grades K-6
- Outdoor School at YMCA Camp Orkila for 6th graders
- Argosy Science Afloat Oceanographic Lab for 4th Graders
- Artist in Residence Programs, including acting, puppeteers, sculptors, painters
- Reading, Math, & Science supplemental materials to improve classroom learning
- *The Jungle Book* All-School Musical
- Books for school and classroom libraries

Last year our annual auction raised over \$30,000 thanks to donations from our parents and business community. This year's auction will be held in April 16, 2010 at the Edmonds Yacht Club.

We are asking you to make our auction a success this year by donating goods or services from your company or place of business. Gift certificates, sample products or other items will help us reach our goal.

Your help is vital. With your support we can provide enriched learning opportunities to motivate our students to embrace the challenges of higher education after leaving Edmonds Elementary. Your commitment to an enriched public school education is deeply and genuinely appreciated by the students, parents, and staff at Edmonds Elementary School.

As a STARS donor, you will be recognized publically during the auction, with repeated acknowledgement on our website www.edmondselementary.com and in the school's email newsletter, *The Orca News*. A procurement form is attached.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Dina Dimmock, Auction Chair or Kristin Sewell and Carol Sheldon, STARS Co-Presidents at (425) 431-7374.

Sincerely,

Kristin Sewell
STARS Co-President

Carol Sheldon
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• OUR MISSION •

To ADVOCATE for all students by PROVIDING a learning environment which EMPOWERS students, staff and the community to MAXIMIZE their personal, creative and academic potential in order to BECOME lifelong learners and responsible world citizens.