

Parents' Association

Help Keep Lab Middle School Enrichment Programs Alive! Donate TODAY!

As Part of a School-Wide Phone-A-Thon, a Parent Volunteer Will be Calling YOU to help Raise \$100,000!



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NYC Lab Middle School for Collaborative Studies

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Dear Lab Families,

We're proud and fortunate that Lab Middle School provides our children with the most academically stimulating and enriching education. A major component of the school's community is its afterschool programs, activities and other classroom benefits. But without YOUR help, these programs are in danger of being cancelled.

The Lab Middle School PA depends entirely on financial assistance from within our own community to fund the programs listed below. If we cannot raise the money that is necessary to pay the bills, we may be forced to cancel the programs we've promised to offer our kids in the Winter and Spring.

LAB AFTERSCHOOL ENRICHMENT

- Math Team
- Drama Club
- Animation Club
- Science Olympiad
- Newspaper (Lab Free Write)
- Yearbook
- Stock Market Team
- After school supplies and transportation

SPORTS

- Athletic Director/Coaches
- Flag Football (JV/V Coed)
- Cross Country (Coed)
- Soccer (B/G)
- Basketball (B/G)
- Golf (Coed)
- Winter Conditioning (Coed)
- Track and Field (Coed)
- Baseball (B)
- Softball (G)
- Pep Squad (Coed)
- Volleyball (G)
- Table Tennis (Coed)
- Sports equipment, league fees, referees, uniforms

SCHOOL-LIFE ENHANCEMENT

- Class bonding trips and scholarship fund
- Arts/Literary programs for each grade
- Special Education events and planning lunches
- Professional Development and hospitality
- Musical Instruments
- Teacher Appreciation Week gifts and breakfast
- All Lab community events
- Classroom enrichment materials

TOTAL COST: \$138,000

We're thankful to those in our community who have donated and helped raise \$38,000 so far, but **we need to raise the remaining \$100,000 NOW to cover the bills for Winter and Spring.**

Please pitch in and contribute to keep the programs alive! We're suggesting that every family consider making a donation of \$500 or more. However, any donation amount is appreciated and needed. Please give what is comfortable for your family.

The PA is having a **Phone-a-thon on December 5th and 6th** to raise the required funds. You will be called and asked to donate over the phone by credit card. Or, you can contribute ahead of time by returning this form with a check, or paying by credit card. As always, donations are accepted online at www.nyclabschool.net. Your donation is tax-deductible as allowable by law.

Giving now will ensure that your child will benefit from all these fantastic programs and more, during this school year.

PLEASE MAKE YOUR GIFT TODAY! (For tax purposes, consider making your gift before the end of the year.)

Thank you very much in advance.

Sincerely,

Caroline Eichman and Igor Lamser
Co-Presidents

Nanette Ross
VP for Fundraising



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Donation Form

We are asking every family to consider making a contribution of \$500 or more.

\$1000 _____ \$750 _____ \$500 _____ \$300 _____ \$100 _____ Other \$ _____

__ Enclosed is my **CHECK** for the full amount (NO CASH PLEASE) Payable to: LAB Middle School PA

__ Enclosed is my first installment of \$ _____.

I will send further installment(s) by _____ . *(Kindly indicate dates and amounts.)*

Or, here is my **CREDIT CARD** information.

Credit Card (MC, Visa, AMEX): _____ Exp. date: _____

Name on Card: _____

I authorize you to process the above amount: Signature _____

Child's name(s): _____ Homeroom/Grade: _____

Parent/Guardian name: _____

Email: _____ Telephone: _____

Address: _____

Mail your contribution **PAYABLE TO: LAB Middle School PA** *(please include this form)*

Address: LAB MIDDLE SCHOOL PA, Attn: Treasurer Monica Pincus, Room 111
333 West 17th Street, New York, NY 10011

MATCHING GIFTS: Please check to see if your workplace makes matching donations.
(Please attach any forms your company requires and we will promptly complete them).

Employer's name for matching gifts: _____

Support to the Lab Middle School PA is tax-deductible as allowable by law.
The LAB MS PA is an IRS-qualified, not-for-profit organization