DSCBA ANNUAL AUCTION



FEBRUARY 27, 2027
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Sponsorship Invitation

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CONNECTING FAMILIES SINCE 1998

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DSCBA Annual Auction, Vintage Elegance Gala

BECOME A COMMUNITY PARTNER

The Down Syndrome Connection of the Bay Area (DSCBA) invites you to make a meaningful impact by partnering with us for our *2027 Annual Auction: Vintage Elegance Gala* on Saturday, February 27, 2027, at the Claremont Resort & Club.

Step into an evening of vintage-inspired elegance alongside 250 community leaders, supporters, and advocates. Enjoy a cocktail reception, dinner and exciting live auction led by Franco Finn, Golden State Warriors and San Francisco 49ers Hype Man. We are also honored to welcome back Mark Ibanez, veteran sportscaster and longtime DSCBA Master of Ceremonies.

Because our 2027 Gala is taking place earlier than in previous years, we are beginning our sponsorship outreach now. We would love to have you join us as a Community Partner and be part of making this special evening a success.

WHY YOUR SUPPORT MATTERS

Your sponsorship directly sustains vital DSCBA programs and services that make a difference in the lives of individuals with Down syndrome and their families. By partnering with us, you will:

- Provide families with access to essential resources, services, and support
- Strengthen specialized programs for individuals with Down syndrome
- Expand outreach and access to underserved communities across the Bay Area

With a fundraising goal of $175,000, your support will help us continue creating opportunities, empowering individuals, and supporting families throughout the year.

WHY PARTNER WITH DSCBA

As a Community Partner, your brand will be recognized as a champion of inclusion and empowerment, while gaining meaningful visibility among an engaged community of families, professionals, supporters, and advocates.

CONNECT WITH OUR COMMUNITY

- 📣 6,600+ Facebook followers
- 📸 1,900+ Instagram followers
- 📧 5,000+ email subscribers
- 👥 250+ Gala attendees

Each sponsorship level includes additional recognition and visibility. Full details are available on the following page.

ADDITIONAL WAYS TO SUPPORT

- Live Auction Donations: Items valued at $1,500+
- Silent/Online Auction Donations: Items or gift cards valued at $100+
- Event Program Advertising: Full-, half-, and quarter-page options available

JOIN US IN MAKING A DIFFERENCE

Since 1998, DSCBA has been dedicated to empowering, inspiring, and supporting individuals with Down syndrome, their families, and the communities that serve them. Together, we are building a more inclusive Bay Area where every individual is valued, included, and celebrated.

DSCBA is a registered 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization | Tax ID: 91-1904304

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Sponsorship Levels & Benefits	Empower $10,000+	Inspire $7,500+	Support $5,000+	Connect $2,500+	Friend $1,500+
PRE-EVENT RECOGNITION					
Social media announcement	✓	✓			
Logo on event specific printed materials	✓	✓	✓		
Company logo recognition on social media to Reach: 6,600 - Facebook, 1,900 - Instagram	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Your company logo/name on mass email marketing (Over 5,000 recipients each instance)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Company logo on event website	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
ONSITE RECOGNITION					
Opportunity to speak for 5 minutes at event regarding your sponsorship and support.	✓	✓			
Company ad on 2 posters displayed at event (provided by client)	✓	✓	✓		
Company logo on bidder paddle	✓	✓	✓		
Verbal recognition by DSCBA Executive Director – to over 300 people	✓	✓	✓	✓	
VIP Table of 10, table signage	✓				
VIP seating - four (4) seats to the event		✓			
VIP seating - Two (2) seats to the event			✓		
Logo recognition on ballroom screen	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Full-page ad (provided by sponsor) in the event program	✓	✓	✓		
Half-page ad (provided by sponsor) in the event program				✓	
Quarter-page ad (provided by sponsor) in the event program					✓
POST-EVENT RECOGNITION					
Company profile and link on DSCBA website for up to one year	✓	✓			
Your company name in DSCBA 2026 Annual Donor Impact Report	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

PLEASE CHOOSE A SPONSORSHIP LEVEL

◯ **EMPOWER** ◯ **INSPIRE** ◯ **SUPPORT** ◯ **CONNECT** ◯ **FRIEND**

OTHER OPPORTUNITIES

WINE SPONSORSHIP - LEVEL 1 - WINE DONATION VALUE:

☐ Provide 4 cases of red/white wine to be served during dinner or wine pull (Value: $35+/ bottle)

Benefits include:

- Opportunity to host a tasting table during the cocktail hour for 250+ guests (provided by sponsor)
- Two reserved seats at the event
- Quarter-page ad (art provided by sponsor) in event program and logo recognition on ballroom entrance screen, event website, mass email (5000+), social media (FB 6200+ Instagram 1800)

WINE SPONSORSHIP - LEVEL 2 - WINE DONATION VALUE:

☐ Provide 2 cases of red and/or white wine for the wine pull (Value: $35+ per bottle)

Benefits include:

- Quarter-page ad (art provided by sponsor) in event program and logo recognition on ballroom entrance screen, event website, mass email (5000+), social media (FB 6200+ Instagram 1800)

EVENT PROGRAM ADVERTISER

☐ $1,000 – Full-page ad (art provided by sponsor)
☐ $750 – Half-page ad (art provided by sponsor)
☐ $400 - Quarter page ad (art provided by sponsor)

DONATION

Benefit: Acknowledgement on event website and program

☐ WINE – Suggested value $35+ per bottle
☐ GIFT CERTIFICATE/ITEM DONATION – $50+ value
☐ CASH DONATION

DONATION VALUE:

Description: _____

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CONTACT INFORMATION

Name: _____

Company: _____ Phone:_____

Email: _____

Address:_____ City:_____ State:____ Zip:_____

BILLING INFORMATION

Amount: _____ Payment Options: Check #: _____ Cash

Please charge to my credit card (circle one): Visa MasterCard AMEX Discover

Name on card: _____

Card Number: _____ Expiration Date: _____ CVV: _____

Billing Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Would you like your donation to remain anonymous? Y ☐ N ☐

***Deadline to receive all donations, advertisements and sponsorships is January 31, 2027**

Please mail all sponsorships and donations to

DSCBA -2027 Annual Auction, Vintage Elegance Gala | 101-J Town & Country Drive, Danville, CA 94526

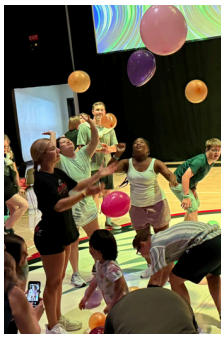
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DSCBA EVENTS & PROGRAMS



World Down Syndrome Day

World Down Syndrome Day is celebrated each year on the 21st of March. The day signifies the uniqueness of the triplication of the 21st chromosome which causes Down syndrome. DSCBA celebrates the day with our members with a dance party.



Dance-A-Thon

Dance-A-Thon is an inclusive, high-energy event that brings our community together through dance, movement, music, and joy while supporting DSCBA. Participants can fundraise by collecting pledges as they dance, helping strengthen our programs and services. All ages and abilities are welcome as we raise awareness and celebrate together!



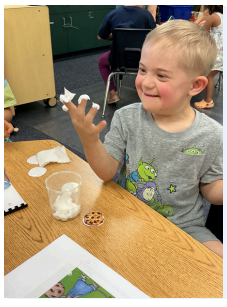
Step Up for Down Syndrome Walk

The Bay Area Step Up for Down Syndrome Walk & Family Picnic brings our community together for a day filled with fun activities, inspirational walkers, meaningful fundraising, and joyful celebration. One of the most beloved moments of the event is the finish line, where we cheer loudly and proudly for our members as they cross, honoring their achievements and spirit.



Music Therapy

Music therapy merges the joy of music with therapeutic goals, using interventions like singing, instrument playing, improvisation, and musical games to support speech, physical, cognitive, academic, and behavioral development.



Communication Readiness Program (CRP)

A 6-week summer program for early elementary children aged 4-8 with complex communication needs. The program incorporates reading, writing, art, music, obstacle courses, speech and socialization with communication and school readiness skills at the core.



Family Support - Connections

Our Connection Groups offer opportunities for families to meet with those who have similar interests and are seeking peer support. Our programs are a safe and confidential place where we talk about issues we have in common with others.



Annual Gala

The Annual Auction is an elegant evening where our community comes together to dine, celebrate, and give back. This signature event welcomes more than 250 guests for a memorable night of generosity, with proceeds supporting the vital programs and services that sustain our mission year-round.



T21 Fun Run

This annual event takes place at two scenic Bay Area locations: the Lafayette Reservoir and Spring Lake in Santa Rosa. Each course offers approximately three miles of paved paths, giving participants the option to walk or run at their own pace.

Down syndrome is caused by an extra copy of the 21st chromosome—referred to as Trisomy 21 (T21).



Holiday Celebrations

DSCBA members and their families attend free holiday celebrations at 3 Bay Area locations. These festive events include visits with Santa and his elves, a magical Tree Farm experience, sing-alongs, treats, and fun photo opportunities. More than 500 attendees enjoy these joyful celebrations each year!



iCan Shine Bike Camp

Riders learn to balance, pedal, steer, and ride on their own. Sessions run for 75 minutes each day for 5 days. The program is an adapted approach to each individual rider based on the accommodations they may need to benefit the most from the program.

THRIVE Program





THRIVE is a unique program for individuals with Down syndrome. It is conducted by age groups with a focus on developing strong core strength, gross and fine motor skills as well as social and friendship-building skills. These sessions embody a unique combination of strengthening cognitive skills and social/behavioral interactions, all while fostering lifelong friendships and having fun.