

September 21, 2022

EXPLORATIONS ACADEMY

FALL HARVEST FUNDRAISER
NOVEMBER 5TH
6- 9PM AT EXPLORATIONS

DEAR EXPLORATIONS FAMILIES,

Innovative and imaginative **independent education** creates favorable conditions for scholars to **thrive** in a world where not everyone thinks and learns the same. Each year we rely on the philanthropic spirit of the whole EA community to contribute to **fundraising** in some way. This ensures that our school can keep tuition rates as low as possible and **provide scholarships**.

We are looking for **donations** for our Fall Harvest Fundraiser on **November 5th**. Our goal is **\$15k**. Last year we were able to raise \$12k with 50 items. **Unique experiences** and larger items like vacation stays are particularly desirable. We will put together themed baskets from donated new items or gift certificates.

HERE ARE A FEW IDEAS TO THINK ABOUT:

- Vacation rentals/ **cabin** stays/ airline miles/ hotel stays
- **Services** like house cleaning, yard work, paint a room, dump run...
- Dessert or **dinner** of the month for 3 or 6 month
- Artwork, jewelry, **homemade** items, etc.
- **Unique Experiences** like sunset boat rides, guided nature hike, borrow kayaks with picnic.
- Bike or trail Tours

WAYS TO HELP

1. Donate auction items
2. Attend the event and bring friends/ family
3. Spread the word via social media and direct invitation
4. Ask local businesses to sponsor the event
5. Volunteer to help the event and get your ticket free.

Another way to help: have your friends and families "**like**" Explorations Academy's Instagram page. The more people we have interacting on the IG page, the more free publicity.

Please **drop off all donations** in the office and fill out this **form** with donation details. Thank you in advance for your generosity! Please contact me with questions or donation updates.

Warmly,

Angela Markowski
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Explorations Academy
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October 21, 2022



EXPLORATIONS ACADEMY

An education that *matters.*

Fall Harvest Fundraiser
November 5th

DEAR COMMUNITY SUPPORTER

I am writing in hopes that your company will **donate** an item or service to our fundraisers this year that we are holding from **Nov 5th and on May 22, 2022**. Our Fall Harvest Fundraiser will **support scholarships** for over 45% of Explorations Academy scholars. We have a fundraising goal of **\$40,000** over the two fundraisers.

*Please call for pickup of items or send to:
Explorations Academy 1701 Ellis St #215
Bellingham, WA 98225*

WHY INDEPENDENT EDUCATION?

Innovative and imaginative **independent education** creates favorable conditions for scholars to **thrive** in a world where not everyone thinks and learns the same. We value **experiential** learning, **healthy** individuals and communities and **environmental** awareness. Scholars choose **service learning projects** with a variety of environmental, social justice, and other organizations. This helps build an ethic of environmental stewardship and volunteerism for life as a direct result of first-hand experiences where the **community is the classroom**.

HERE ARE A FEW WAYS TO SUPPORT

- **Donate** a gift certificate, themed basket, or service
- Sponsor the event for \$500
- Attend the event
- **"Like"** and share our Instagram @explorationsacademy.org



OUR MISSION IS TO IGNITE A PASSION FOR LEARNING THAT INSPIRES PARTICIPANTS TO COLLABORATE EFFECTIVELY AND TAKE RESPONSIBILITY FOR POSITIVE GLOBAL CHANGE.

*EXPLORATIONS ACADEMY IS LISTED UNDER GLOBAL COMMUNITY INSTITUTE AND IS A 501(C)3 NON-PROFIT
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Internal Revenue Service

District
Director

Global Community Institute
PO Box 3014
Bellingham, WA 98227

#91-1518827

Department of the Treasury

P.O. Box 2350, Los Angeles, Calif. 90053

Person to Contact: L. Barragan

Telephone Number: (213)894-2336

Refer Reply to: 53096

Date: June 28, 1996

Dear Taxpayer:

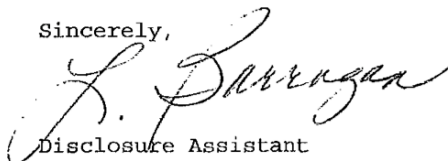
This letter is in response to your request for a copy of the determination letter for the above named organization.

Our records indicate that this organization was recognized to be exempt from Federal income tax in May, 1996 as described in Internal Revenue Code Section 501(c)(3). It is further classified as an organization that is not a private foundation as defined in Section 509(a) of the Code, because it is an organization described in Section 509(a)(2).

The exempt status for the determination letter issued in May, 1996 continues to be in effect.

If you need further assistance, please contact our office at the above address or telephone number.

Sincerely,



L. Barragan

Disclosure Assistant